



SPECIAL PROJECTS COMMITTEE

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Clerk: Karen Wakefield

Minutes of the meeting of the Special Projects Group held on Tuesday 20th August 2019 at 6.30pm in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall, Sherwood Drive, New Ollerton

Present: Cllrs R Shilling (Chair), R Allwood, D Batey, D Cumberlidge (Ex-Officio), R Murray, L Shilling and B Wells

Mrs K Wakefield (Clerk), Mrs J Fletcher (Deputy Clerk)

Apologies: Cllr P Hancock for personal reasons

Resolved: That these apologies be accepted

Declarations of Members Interests: None

Declaration of Any Intentions to Record the Meeting: None

SP/19/35 To receive and agree the Minutes of the Ordinary meeting of the Special Projects Committee held on Wednesday 3rd July 2019

The Minutes, having been previously circulated were signed as a true and correct record.

Proposed: Cllr B Wells
Decision: Nem-Con

Seconded: Cllr D Batey

SP/19/36 Town Centre Development:

1. To discuss any further information resulting from the Musson Liggins informal meeting

Following the informal meeting held with Musson Liggins, a discussion took place regarding the marketing of the former Courtaulds site. The Clerk informed members that the fees for marketing of the site would be available for the next Full Council meeting.

2. To discuss any further information resulting from the NSDC/OPE informal meeting

An over-view of the meeting was given to members and they were informed that the Locality Review is to be held with officers and other parties not Councillors so as to be a non-political meeting. All members were pleased that the Town Council had been consulted and looked forward to any further developments following the review.

3. To discuss future plans for the town centre and formulate any resolutions for consideration by Full Council

Following the earlier discussion, it was proposed that, following the acceptance of the fee proposal, the site be placed on the market via Musson Liggins.

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The Clerk informed members that the Deputy Chief Executive Officer of Newark & Sherwood District Council would like to meet with the Town Councillors on the 24th September 2019 at 4.30pm. The Clerk also informed members that the District

Council are looking seriously to have a permanent presence in the town and wish to discuss this in more detail.

The Clerk was instructed to place this item on the next Full Council agenda.

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Playparks and Green Open Spaces

1. To receive any relevant updates from Cllr Murray, Chairman of FUBB

Cllr R Murray reported that he was awaiting confirmation of access to some areas for the country walk.

A sensory park had been put forward as a suggested development for the town. Further information regarding available land and costs for equipment is required. Enquiries are to be made of the small areas on land in the town which are not developed.

2. To receive any relevant updates regarding Phase 3 of Central Park

Cllr D Cumberlidge tabled a summary of results gathered from children and young people in the Ollerton and Boughton areas regarding play equipment and other issues that had been flagged up whilst engaging with them.

Cllr D Batey thanked Cllr Cumberlidge for her hard work and for presenting an excellent piece of work.

Cllr R Shilling requested that designs and costings be presented at the next Special Projects meeting and instructed the Working Party to work with the Clerk to obtain this information.

The Clerk was instructed to obtain costings for the access ramp drawings and construction.

Cllr Batey questioned if any further information had been obtained regarding the swales and the tripping hazard and the Clerk informed members that she would chase this up.

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Correspondence

None

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Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 20th August 2019 at 7.00pm

Meeting closed at 19.44pm