

**Minutes of Kimberley Town Council, Meeting of the Full Council held on  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 7.00pm**

Present: Councillors: R Plumb  
J Pearce  
N Oakden  
T Rood - Chair  
R Woods  
R Blant  
S McEntee  
K Boettge  
B Samuals

County Councillor P Owen  
Clerk S Nolan

3 member of the public

**264 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Borough Councillors R Robinson, S Easom & M Crow  
Councillors D Warner & A Clark

**265 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Cllr Rood – item 10

**266 MINUTES – PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

Full Council Meeting 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019  
Accepted as a true record.

**267 BOROUGH AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORTS**

Cllr Owen reported that Eastwood Road/Hall Om Wong drains are being cleared. Orchard Street Parking a residents parking scheme is being offered, this idea will be going out for consultation

Cllr Owen has received a complaint regarding the exit onto the main road from Truman Street/jubilee Street. He reported that traffic management is being looked at during this current financial year.

Cllr Owen expressed his disappointment regarding an emergency (possibly a gas leak) on the newly resurfaced Victoria Street.

Flooding on Holly Road – Severn Trent have been alerted

Cllr Samuals asked if the yellow lines outside the Doctor's surgery could be extended. Cllr Owen replied that this is unlikely as it would restrict people parking outside their own homes. He suggested Cllr Samuals contact Broxtowe BC who enforce parking issues when and at the time Cllr Samuals see any issues.

Cllr Plumb asked if anything could be done regarding lorry parking outside the two sets of flats on Gilthill. Cllr Owen will make enquiries.

Parking on James Street Cllr Owen was hopeful that this would be out for public consultation during the current financial year.

Cllr Owen stated that it was unlikely to get residents parking permits on Victoria Street Car Park.

#### 268 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Mr G Barksby asked about the progress on the hearing loop. The clerk stated that the box and wiring for this had been fitted. Mr Tony Allen will be helping to in regards to the sort of microphone required when he returns from holiday, hopefully next week.

#### 269 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

None comments

#### 270 STAG RECREATION GROUND – HIRE CHARGES

Cllr Dymond gave a summary of the proposed charges.

**RESOLVED that; the proposals go forward to the next stage.**

#### 271 STAG RECREATION GROUND – BOLLARD

As the cost of providing a bollard had previously been agreed. It was agreed that the clerk would contact the company to obtain details of the system procedures and also arrange for a site visit to discuss this.

#### 272 BABBINGTON VILLAGE CONSERVATION AREA

Cllr Plumb read out a letter that had already been circulated to members regarding the creation of a conservation area. It was agreed that contact be made to Broxtowe planning with copies of the letter to them and Cllrs Easom, Crow and Robinson for their information and hopefully help.

## 273 PAYMENTS

**RESOLVED that; the payments were approved for payment.**

## 274 CLERKS REPORT

Hearing loop – as previously mentioned this is progressing.  
The clerk has received a complaint regarding the use of slug pellets at Millfield allotments.

**RESOLVED that; the clerk send a letter to all plot holders to restrict the use of pellets which slugs eat as slugs are becoming an endangered species**

Pension deficit **RESOLVED that: this has to be paid**  
The clerk presented a quote for the installation of CCTV with night vision following the recent incidents of vandalism on the Stag recreation ground  
After a vote this was agreed with 1 abstention

**RESOLVED that: Installation of CCTV goes ahead**

A sample red poppy was shown; it was felt that it was too flimsy.

May Day event Cllr McEntee gave an update on the event. The clerk circulated some Kimberley biscuits and a quote for supply ready for 3 events that are taking place within the next 3 months.

**RESOLVED that: 3 cases of Kimberley biscuits are ordered.**

Hanging baskets the clerk informed that Cllr Rood has sterilised the baskets and delivered them to the garden centre. They are being planted up and should be available for 'hanging' sometime in June.  
Ramblers Association, following on from a previous idea regarding a new pathway. It was agreed to organise a walk through Babbington on 27<sup>th</sup> May meeting at 12noon in the Gardeners Pub car park.  
Cllr Owen mentioned that a new law was in the pipeline with no new pathways from 2024.

27 Bus Cllr McEntee stated that the standard of bus on this route is poor. Cllr Owen stated that Notts CC are responsible for the electronic bus stop signs but believes the system on the buses is not very good. The clerk to contact the bus company for their comments on the route and buses that operate on the route.

275 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Neighbourhood Plan Meeting Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm

Annual Town Meeting Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at 7pm

Full Council Meeting Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at 7pm

Recreation, Parish and Finance Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at 7pm

**The meeting closed at 8.30pm**