

Kimberley Town Council

Minutes of a meeting of the **Estates and Environment Committee**, Kimberley Town Council, held on **Thursday 7th April 2022** in the Committee Room, Kimberley Parish Hall, Newdigate Street, Kimberley, Nottinghamshire. The meeting commenced at 7.00pm.

Present: Cllr S Boneham Cllr N Doherty – Chair Cllr J Dymond
Cllr T Rood Cllr I Wilson
Council Officers: J Darbyshire - Assistant Town Clerk
Members of the public - One

EE/22/114 **Apologies for absence**

None received.

EE/22/115 **Declarations of interest**

None.

EE/22/116 **Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on the 10th March 2022, having been circulated to all Councillors, were taken as read. The minutes were agreed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

EE/22/117 **Report upon action taken from above minutes**

Nothing to report.

EE/22/118 **Public question time**

None.

EE/22/119 **Millfield Allotments**

Lease agreement from Broxtowe Borough Council still to be obtained by the Clerk. Steve Walters has been to have a look at the trees and conifers needing removal, to submit a quote. Work to be carried out at the end of the summer. The Clerk to advise the residents backing on to the allotments that the work is in hand.

EE/22/120 **Noticeboards**

All noticeboards to be repaired as required (Maws Lane and Swingate need metal frames painting). Replace perspex where existing perspex has aged but in future boards to be left open as/when the frames decay. Noticeboard on Newdigate Street to be resealed and ventilated on the back (in hand). We'll try using plastic wallets to hold notices to reduce the effect of the weather. The magnetic board outside the Parish Hall is to be used for clubs hiring the Parish Hall. Magnets to be provided. Maintenance of planters to be offered

to local residents and Kimberley Primary School. Kimberley Town Council to order enough plants to do the planters and give them to the relevant people to plant.

- EE/22/121 **Miners Welfare Ground**
Some original paperwork has been returned from the solicitors. Cllr J Dymond has obtained some copies of records from the Records Office. All paperwork received has now been sorted into order. Cllr J Dymond suggested that the trust status be sorted out first before land registration To bring to next Full Council meeting for approval. Cllr T Rood will arrange to meet with the FA to find out what is needed to apply for a grant.
- EE/22/122 **Knowle Park**
Kimberley Town Council are looking to upgrade the flooring on some of the old equipment and purchase some new equipment. Hoping to get funding of up to £50,000, with up to £8.000 contribution from Kimberley Town Council. To bring to next Full Council meeting for approval.
- EE/22/123 **Knowle Common Status**
More work to be done in respect of Knowle Common status.
- EE/22/124 **Knowle Hill Allotment Side Gate**
Cllr T Rood to price up repairs or replacement and bring to next Full Council meeting for approval.
- EE/22/125 **Buildings Maintenance Plan**
Cllr I Wilson has now got enough volunteers to carry out the inspections, they will be done towards the end of April. All paperwork to be handed back to the Clerk once completed.
- EE/22/126 **Chapel Heritage Sign**
The new design has now been approved.
- EE/22/127 **Feedback to Full Council**
Cllr N Doherty is do do a short report to Full Council in respect of Knowle Park, the Stag Ground, FA update and Knowle Hill side gate.
- PR/22/128 **Dates of next meetings**
Full Council – Thursday 28th April 2022
Estates & Environment – Thursday 12th May 2022
HR – Thursday 19th May 2022

There being no further business, the Chair closed the meeting at 8.45pm.