# **IRTHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL**

MINUTES of the MEETING of IRTHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL held in NEWTOWN VILLAGE HALL on WEDNESDAY 8th JANUARY 2020 at 7.30pm.

Present: Cllrs A. Jordan (Chairman, in the Chair), G. Beck, M. Ogden, M. Ridley and H. Slack.

In Attendance: Clerk

City Councillor D. Shepherd County Councillor J. Mallinson

Action

148/19	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE		
	RESOLVED to note that apologies for absence were received and accepted from:-		
	Councillor Storr		
149/19	REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATION		
	RESOLVED to note that no requests for dispensation were received.		
150/19	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST		
	Councillors were invited to record their interests in the register.		
	RESOLVED to note there were no declarations of interest.		
151/19	MINUTES		
	MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 4 <sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2019 WERE SUBMITTED.		
	RESOLVED to authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 4th December 2019, confirmed as a true and accurate record.  POLICE ISSUES –		AJ
152/19			
	152/19.1	POLICE ISSUES	
		A resident of Newby East had raised concerns at speeding in the village.	
		<b>RESOLVED</b> that the Clerk would contact the local PCSO to ask if Newby East could be assessed in order that the local Speedwatch Group could operate there.	
	152/19.2	POLICE NEWSLETTER	
		<b>RESOLVED</b> to note that the latest police newsletter had been circulated to members by email prior to the meeting.	
153/19	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION –  RESOLVED to note that there were no members of the public in attendance.		
	153/19.1	CITY AND COUNTY COUNCILLOR REPORTS	
		<b>RESOLVED</b> to note an update from City Councillor Shepherd and County Councilor Mallinson on the re-opening of shops and access at the viaduct in Carlisle following the demolition of the Central Plaza Hotel.	

# 154/19 REPRESENTATIVES' REPORTS – RESOLVED to note there were no reports. 155/19 TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING – APPLICATIONS – Applications for planning consent were considered.

**RESOLVED** to advise the appropriate Planning Authority of the Council's comments as follows:-

**155/19.1 LAND ADJACENT LIME TREE HOUSE, IRTHINGTON (19/0941)** – Variation of condition 2 (approved documents) of previously approved application 13/0752 (erection of 1 detached dwelling) to amend layout, alterations to chimneys, glazing on southern elevation, amendment to building footprint and windows, render proposed to upper floor.

No observations.

### 156/19 FINANCIAL MATTERS

### 156/19.1 BANK RECONCILIATION TO 14.12.19

There was submitted a report by the Clerk on the reconciliation of the Council's financial records with its bank account statements.

**RESOLVED** to receive and note the bank reconciliation and balance to 14<sup>th</sup> December 2019 of £9,114.24. Councillor Ogden signed the bank reconciliation.

### 156/19.2 EXPENDITURE TO APPROVE

**RESOLVED** to authorise the following expenditure for payment:-

£295.95 A. Riddell – net wage to 10.01.20
 £133.20 HMR&C - PAYE
 £932.40 Colville's Grounds Mnce – grass
 £2.48 Playdale – VAT on cap covers
 chq number 100842
 chq number 100843
 chq number 100843
 chq number 100844

Councillors Ogden and Beck signed the schedule of payments.

### 157/19 DEFIBRILLATOR

**RESOLVED** to note that the defibrillator would be delivered to the parish council office by the end of the week. Councillor Beck would collect it on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January for installation at Newtown Village Hall.

### 158/19 BRIDLEPATH ROUTE U1099

Councillor Ogden had spoken with the Footpaths Officer who had explained that the route was not legally a bridlepath.

**RESOLVED** to note that further information and options to have the path designated as a bridlepath would be emailed to the Clerk. The matter would be on the next agenda for further consideration.

## 159/19 PARISH PLAN

Consideration was given to reviewing the Parish Plan.

**RESOLVED** that the Clerk would contact ACT for further information and that the matter would be on the next agenda for further consideration.

Clerk

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(Signed) Chairman ......

# 160/19 **MEMORIAL BENCH** RESOLVED, following discussion, that Councillor Jordan would ask 2 local contractors for quotes to repair the Hetherington memorial bench in Irthington. 161/19 **CALC** RESOLVED that the following correspondence from CALC was received and noted:-REPAIRS TO PROPERTY RELATING TO THE CHURCH 161/19.2 COMMUNITY ENERGY CHAMPIONS IN PARISH COUNCILS 161/19.3 CARING FOR YOUR COMMUNITY 162/19 **COUNCILLOR SURGERY RESOLVED** that Councillor Slack would attend the surgery for December's meeting. 163/19 CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED BY THE CLERK RESOLVED to note the following correspondence had been received: -**REQUEST TO SUPPORT LOCAL ELECTRICITY BILL** – Email from Power for People. 163/19.1 **RESOLVED** not to support the Bill. 164/19 LITERATURE AVAILABLE FROM CLERK -**RESOLVED** to note the following literature was available from the Clerk:-164/19.1 NOTICE OF EXECUTIVE KEY DECISIONS - 17th December 2019. 165/19 AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING Parish plan Defibrillator **Bridlepath RESOLVED** to note that any further items for consideration should be submitted to the Clerk on or GB before 29th January 2020. 166/19 DATE OF NEXT MEETING - Wednesday 5th February 2020, Newtown Village Hall, 7.30pm. 167/19 PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960 - To consider resolving, in terms of The Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, that, in view of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, (contract terms), it is advisable in the public interest that the public be temporarily excluded and that they be instructed to withdraw. 168/19 **GRASS CUTTING CONTRACT 2020** There was submitted a report by the Clerk on the tenders invited and received for the grass cutting contract 2020. RESOLVED to accept the tender submitted by R. Farrimond in the sum of £1,320.00 Proposed by Councillor Ogden, seconded by Councillor Beck, all agreed. There were no other proposals. Meeting closed at 8.05pm.