Minutes of Maltby Town Council Meeting held on Thursday 5 December 2013


Attendance: 3 members of the public and Ann Stewart Town Clerk/RFO

Prior to the meeting was a presentation from the Maltby Youth Town Council on the Schools Litter Project by Sam Mitchell and Showkat Ali

Bin it to Win It – The project is about preventing litter and littering. In order to get fully involved in this project, you simply have to put your rubbish in the bin. Four schools so far already want to get involved and the Youth Council will starting visiting schools after Christmas.

Cllrs S Maxwell and C Beaumont offered their support to the project Council suggested advertising the project in the Maltby Post
Get in touch with Brownies, Guides and Scouts to see if they want to get involved.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

• Well done to the Council for a fantastic Christmas Light Switch on.
• Residents raised concerns regarding the unsafe condition of the A631 from the colliery to Scotchman’s Corner and the M18 because the lorries from Hargreaves are not being cleaned properly. The residents are meeting with Hargreaves on 7 December and requested a place on the next agenda to report back fully to Council.
• Cllr M Godfrey said she would chase this issue with the relevant RMBC departments.

2013/165 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

RESOLVED: that apologies from Cllrs K Astbury, L Astbury, A Dickinson, K Duckmanton, D Lilley and S Johnson be noted and that apologies were not received from J Robinson or A Rushforth

2013/166 MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 7 NOVEMBER 2013

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the above meeting be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

2013/167 MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING HELD ON 14 NOVEMBER 2013

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the above meeting be confirmed as a true and accurate record of the proceedings.

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2013/168 DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST
NONE

2013/169 ITEMS FOR WHICH A RESOLUTION MAY BE PASSED TO EXCLUDE THE PRESS
AND PUBLIC

11.2 Report on the meeting with RMBC and Greenspaces in regard to the
proposed new play area.
17.2 Grand Cinema, Muglet Lane

2013/170 MINUTES OF THE EVENTS COMMITTEE HELD ON 10 OCTOBER 2013

RESOLVED: that the above minutes be received

2013/171 MINUTES OF THE HORTICULTURAL SHOW WORKING PARTY 11 OCTOBER 2013

RESOLVED: that the above minutes be approved

2013/172 MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17 OCTOBER
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RESOLVED: that the above minutes be received

2013/173 MINUTES OF THE FINANCE & STAFFING COMMITTEE HELD ON 17 OCTOBER
2013

RESOLVED: that the above minutes be received

2013/174 MALTBY TOWN YOUTH COUNCIL

RESOLVED: that their suggested logo be approved

2013/175 ON GOING ISSUES

MANOR FIELD SKATE PARK LIGHTS

RESOLVED: that one more month is given before making a decision to allow
Cllr S Maxwell to look further into this matter and bring more information back
to the Council.

LIST AREAS FOR THE PAYBACK TEAM

RESOLVED: that the above be noted

2013/176 COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE CHAIRMAN

None

2013/177 MAIN GRANT APPLICATIONS

None

2013/178 REPORT FROM POLICE COMMUNITY SUPPORT OFFICERS

None

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A report was given by the Town Clerk on the happenings at the colliery. Councillors asked if they could attend the meeting with Hargreaves on 6 December with the residents, but were informed that in this instance, they could not it was a private meeting. Councillors requested that the residents ask ‘how long will Hargreaves be selling the slurry?’

**RESOLVED:** that an update on the meeting with Hargreaves and a presentation on the condition and safety of the A631 be given at a future meeting.

**2013/180**

**MATTERS REQUESTED BY COUNCILLORS**

**Feedback from the York Conference** – Cllr J Andrews

- Main consensus were issues around money and funding
- Four examples of Parish innovation and challenges
- Presentation from Hemsworth who built a sports centre and the challenges they had to face.
- Re-opened Hemsworth Water Gardens
- One parish took over a library
- Councils getting funding from businesses.

**RESOLVED:** that the above be noted.

**Review membership of Maltby Town Council Committees** – Cllr S Johnson

Proposal: that Cllrs S Johnson and J Andrews join the Finance and Staffing Committee and that the Terms of Reference for that committee be amended to 11 members with a quorum of 5

Cllr C Stringer requested a recorded vote
For: Cllrs J Andrews, C Beaumont, J Bradford J Carratt, S Maxwell, M Richardson, P Scholey, C Stringer and K F Stringer
Against: Cllr J C Kirk

**RESOLVED:** that the above proposal be agreed.

**2013/181**

**RMBC & DMBC MATTERS**

**Review of the RMBC Polling Districts**

**RESOLVED:** that the above be noted

**DMBC Planning - Erection of a 50.2m Meteorological Mast**

Proposal: that Town Clerk write to Doncaster MBC with their objection to the planning application

Cllr C Stringer requested a recorded vote.
For: Cllrs J Andrews, J Bradford, J Carratt, J C Kirk, S Maxwell, M Richardson, C Stringer and K F Stringer
Against: Cllr C Beaumont

**RESOLVED** : that the above proposal be accepted
2013/182  YORKSHIRE LOCAL COUNCILS ASSOCIATION
None

2013/183  ROUTINE CORRESPONDENCE

- Planning Lists Nos: 45-48
- Minutes from the Wood Lee Common and Crags Meadow Steering Group held on 25 September 2013

**RESOLVED**: that the above be noted

2013/184  UPDATE FROM THE TOWN CLERK AND RFO

- Snow warden scheme going well – 3 Maltby residents have come forward in addition to 5 Councillors
- Repairs to the Don Jon steps expected to be undertaken w/c 16 December
- Website is down again. RMBC server is being taken down in October 2014, a meeting w/c 6 January is being held to look at the current format and how it can be upgraded to a new system
- Parish Precept 2014/15 – RMBC will provide the same grant as last year in order to bring the precept up to the requested amount
- The Big Lottery have been in touch to see how the advice service project was progressing and the answer is even better than expected

**RESOLVED**: that the above be noted.

2013/185  MATTERS FOR INCLUSION ON A FUTURE AGENDA

Doncaster MBC to allow MTC to receive planning applications
Timing of the Events Committee meeting
Condition of the roads: Stenton Lane to the Queens Corner
                              In front of Maltby Manor School
Parking:  Heron Foods
            Blind bend across from the Academy

2013/186  DATE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING

**Thursday 9 January 2014 commencing at 6.30pm**

2013/187  A resolution was passed for the following items to be discussed without press and public present and the public left at this point

**MEETING WITH RMBC & GREENSPACES IN REGARD TO THE PROPOSED NEW PLAY AREA**

The report prepared by the Town Clerk was discussed at length.

**Proposal**: That Truman Green be taken off the list of potential play areas

Cllr C Stringer requested a recorded vote
Against: Cllr J Bradford

**RESOLVED**: that the above proposal be accepted

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**Proposal:** that Maltby Town Council do not take on the management or responsibility of a new park on any site

Cllr C Stringer requested a recorded vote
For: Cllrs J Andrews, J Carratt, M Richardson, P Scholey, C Stringer and K F Stringer
Against: Cllrs C Beaumont and S Maxwell
Abstaining: Cllrs J C Kirk and J Bradford

**RESOLVED:** that the above proposal be accepted

**Grand Cinema, Muglet Lane**

**RESOLVED:** that Maltby Town Council are not interested in acquiring this property

The meeting closed at 8.45pm

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