



Maltby Town Council – Virtual General Purpose Committee
Thursday 11 March 2021

Present: Councillors J Kirk (Chair) S Biggin, C Beresford, C Beaumont and A Dickinson

In Attendance: Kate Butler Town Clerk

GP20/56 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None.

GP20/57 MINUTES OF THE GENERAL PURPOSE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 11 FEBRUARY 2021

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

GP20/58 DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Councillor Richards – agenda item 11 (Coronation Park Bowling Club, dispensation)
Councillor Kirk – agenda item 13 (Rotherham Road Allotments, dispensation)

GP20/59 COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE CHAIRMAN

None received.

GP20/60 LICENSING APPLICATIONS FOR THE SERVICE STATION ON ROTHERHAM ROAD

No update.

GP20/61 TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON THE ALLOTMENT SITES AND AGREE FUTURE ACTION

The Clerk gave an update on all the MTC allotment sites.

RESOLVED: that all Limesway allotment holders receive a letter regarding bonfires and waste.

RESOLVED: that Green Pastures is employed for Rotherham Road to help reduce the vermin problem.

GP20/62 TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON THE SWEEPING OF THE HIGH STREET AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The Clerk advised that RMBC empty the bins and litter pick on the High Street 3 times a week, RMBC had enquired which days the Council would prefer for the litter picks, the Clerk had advised them that Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays would be the best days.

TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON THE MULTI PURPOSE MACHINE AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

No update.

GP20/63 TO DISCUSS A DOG FOULING CAMPAIGN AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The Clerk advised that the office had contacted SYPTE to ascertain costs to have an advert displayed on the new digital bus stops advising people to 'pick up after their dog' SYPTE had advised that the cost was £80 a bus stop, that the advert design is included within the cost and that the sign rotates every 10minutes.

RESOLVED: that the Clerk contacts SYPTE and books a 'pick up after your dog' advert on four of the digital bus stops at different locations in Maltby for a month.

The Clerk suggested engaging with the primary schools to ask the children to design a poster for Maltby advising residents to 'pick up after their dog'

RESOLVED: that the Clerk contacts the primary schools to inform them of the dog fouling campaign and to ask the children to design a poster.

GP20/64 TO DISCUSS A REQUEST FROM MALTBY COMMUNITY BOWLING CLUB AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The Clerk advised that the bowlers had completed a lot of work on bowling green one which had caused a lot of debris and branches, the bowlers had requested that the Council pay to have the debris and branches removed. The Clerk advised that she had already spoken to P Millington who had advised her of a cost to remove.

RESOLVED: that the Clerk contacts P Millington to remove the waste.

GP20/65 TO DISCUSS MALTBY RATES THAT FUNDED THE MAINTENANCE OF BOTH BOWLING GREENS AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The Clerk advised that she had spoken to RMBC who had advised her that Central Government had been cutting funding to all local authorities, due to the Local Authorities reduced budgets the bowling greens were expensive to maintain and very little income were received from them. When RMBC looked to dispose of the greens Maltby Town Council agreed to take on a lease over to ensure the facility remained for Maltby residents.

GP20/66 TO DISCUSS A REQUEST FROM ROTHERHAM ROAD ALLOTMENT SITE AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

A request from Rotherham Road Allotment site had been received advising the Council of the need for a hard standing car parking area at the allotments and asked if the Council would contribute financially.

RESOLVED: that the Clerk gains quotes for the materials and brings the information back to the next meeting.

GP20/67 TO DISCUSS FLY TIPPING IN MATLBY AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The Committee discussed fly tipping in Maltby and how important it is to ensure the company/person being used to move waste has a waste carriers license.

RESOLVED: that a message is put out on social media advising residents to ask to see the waste carriers license if they book someone to remove waste.

GP20/68 TO DISCUSS THE POCKET PARK FUNDING AND AGREE FURTHER ACTION IF NECESSARY

The clerk suggested the Memorial Gardens for the pocket park funding.

GP20/69 TO INFORM THE CLERK OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Environmental issues (dog fouling and littering)

GP20/70 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

Next meeting Thursday 8 April 2021