



Crowle & Ealand Town Council

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Minutes of the **Full Council Meeting** of Crowle and Ealand Town Council held at Community Hub, Crowle on **13th August 2019**.

Present: Cllr A Rayment (Mayor), Cllr R Pender (Deputy), Cllr N Arrand, Cllr M Bailey, Cllr J Ramsden, Cllr J Reed, Cllr R Stewart, Cllr S Walshe

Officers Present: Kirsty Dunn (Town Clerk)

Apologies: Nil

Members of the Public: Two

Press Present: Nil

The Full Council Meeting began at 7:00pm

PUBLIC FORUM

Mrs Nikki Byrne – NLC Town Centres Manager

Nikki gave an overview of upcoming plans to involve the local region in various markets and events in a drive to promote North Lincs businesses and Towns. The first of such events will be a monthly 'Food Fest' running at Brigg on Fri 27th Aug, with Crowle & Ealand to follow in due course. It is hoped these efforts, linked in with the Tourism Plan will help revive and bring back thriving and vibrant Towns across NL.

The Mayor thanked the public forum speaker and proceeded with the Business Meeting.

F/083/19 Declaration of Interest: To note any declarations of interest made by Councillors in respect of items on this meeting's Agenda (in accordance with the Council's Model Code of Conduct and the Localism Act 2011).

Cllrs M Bailey – Item 7d PPI

Cllrs M Bailey, J Reed & R Stewart – Item 7g & Items 16 PA/2019/1198 & PA/2019/1212: PPI on all counts

Cllr J Reed – Item 11 PPI

F/084/19 Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on 9 July 2019:

Resolved to be approved as a true record. Proposed Cllr M Bailey, seconded Cllr N Arrand. Carried

F/085/19 Item 12 Train Timetable

This item was brought to top of the agenda on agreement of full council.

A re-cap of the issues around the transport timetable changes and its impacts was covered. TC will liaise with Mrs Ann Hindley and TCs from Thorne and Keadby & Althorpe to deliver information and a questionnaire on behalf of Railfuture. It will also be advertised on social media, copied to Regen and if possible The Arrow.

F/086/19 Mayors Report

- a. Congratulations to Animis for a fantastic 1st Triathlon.
- b. Thank you to Cllr R Pender for the Crowle Show attendance and Arrow article. A letter of congratulations is to be sent to the Crowle Show committee for an outstanding show this year.
- c. Mayoral attendance at Action Group Garden Party and upcoming Ealand Chapel Garden Party on 21 Aug.

- d. Cllrs are requested to contribute to the Regen News by doing a 200 word piece on themselves and their role/projects within Council. Cllrs selected for the next issue are Cllrs R Pender and S Walshe. Deadline is 27 Sep.
- e. Best Kept Village Results – Crowle & Ealand 3rd. Only 2 points behind 1st place and delighted with the results. Well done to all involved and a letter to each resident that was highlighted in the report.
- f. Tracy (Regen) wants to help support the VE Day celebrations. Also requested if they could put a plaque in the noticeboards regarding their work with the Town flower planters. Cllr A Rayment is to go back to them and suggest directly onto the planters so everyone can see would be a better option.

F/087/19 Ward Report

- a. 7 Lakes bollards replaced. Delay was due to the electrical element.
- b. Gyrotory work has begun. It will cause delays for local residents but work is essential. Also requested extra gardening attention as it has not been tackled efficiently.
- c. Weeds on flyover treated twice and not going. Request to re-treat submitted.
- d. Key for water fountain will be requested for Council Office retention.
- e. Market Store 'Dip' has been chased.
- f. Pride of Crowle & Ealand is going great. Another day running 14 Aug. Grant request is in the office for purchase of cleaning materials.
- g. Community Cinema starts again in Sep. 1st film – A Star is Born.
- h. 14/15 Sep is Heritage weekend
- i. Hoping to establish a stargazing event on the Moors. Railway Trustee may allow use of facilities. Details BC and follow in due course.
- j. Re-iterated the Animis Triathlon praise. Events attracted all ages and abilities and was a fantastic family event. A letter to be sent from this council.
- k. Post Office is ongoing. An offer of free premises to run an outreach facility from the Hub is on the table.

F/088/19 Clerks Report

Noticeboard glass is in. TC to seek tenders from local joiners to build new noticeboards.

F/088/19 Action Plan

Items 1 – Jaques Bank. Can speed be reduced from 60 mph as it Greenway is in force and cyclists use this route frequently.

Item 2 – Ask payback team if they can start the chapels. Ensure skips on site for start of works.

Items 3 – 6, 9 & 11 are no change.

Item 7 & 8 – Completed

Item 10 – Work starts 19th August

F/089/19 Finance

- a. To receive and resolve the financial report and accounts for payments. Proposed Cllr J Reed, second Cllr N Arrand. Carried.
- b. To receive and resolve the bank reconciliation. Proposed Cllr J Reed, second Cllr N Arrand. Carried.
- c. ¼ return noted as received. Council request that new RFO show the spend remaining figure on the return to enable visibility of what is available at all times.
- d. SSE grant application – Crowle & District Model Railway Society. Granted in full. Proposed/Second Cllr R Pender/J Reed and carried.
- e. C&ETC Project funding application form – Ealand Jubilee Methodist Church. Granted in full. Proposed/Second Cllr J Reed/N Arrand and carried.
- f. C&ETC Project funding application form – Isle Community Choir. Granted £500 plus letter offering photocopying facility. Proposed/Second Cllr R Pender/M Bailey and carried.
- g. Large grant application – Crowle Peatland Railway. Granted £250. Proposed/Seconded Cllr J Ramsden/N Arrand, 1 abstain.

- h. Cemetery Plots – A full investigation of the cemetery will be undertaken. Arrow article asking anyone with deeds to come forward.
- i. Noted – £2743.94 insurance will be paid pre-04/09/2019
- j. Noted – Review grant system in Oct in conjunction with Precept. RFO requested to re-vamp the Council grant form to allow online completion.

F/090/19 Fly Tipping

All reports to be submitted as currently. Fly tipping costs the public £1000s per year. People encouraged to report incidents and ensure anyone utilised to remove their waste is legitimate.

F/091/19 Dog Fouling

Bins and signage cannot be sited on private land. Ongoing problem, people needs to report anyone they see not picking up their dog's waste otherwise nothing can be done. Bins are emptied but if anyone sees full bins, please report to TC or NLC.

F/092/19 Crowle Market

Points listed will be raised at the Market Meeting on Thu 12th Sept 19.

- a. Saturdays Market was prior approved and risk assessed to move indoors due to bad weather forecast. Went really well and good attendance.
- b. Banners are being collected in to see what we hold. Also need to be put out by Council for H&S reasons. Committee do not think the signage is needed at Thorne & Keadby Bridge. A small market as it is will not draw people from far afield. Going to raise this matter with traders in Sep to hear their thoughts/opinions.
- c. Are there any rules/regs with sponsorships & this Council? TC to investigate.
- d. Coffee Shop. Ladies running it need hygiene certificates. Mayor would like to open this up to charitable groups to run and receive monies.

F/093/19 Regen Memorial Tree

Cllr J reed declared an interest on this item

Regen request Council assistance with funds for the tree planning application. Proposed/seconded by Cllr M Bailey/N Arrand that Council agree to submit and pay for the application. TC/RFO to action.

F/094/19 7 Lakes

Bring back to next meeting.

F/095/19 Cemetery Top Soil

Bring back to next meeting.

F/096/19 Crowle & Ealand Lights Committee

Permission requested to allow Lights Committee authority to display seasonal decorations on behalf of this Town was received along with request for funding assistance for the cost of Road closaures. A pre-pared letter authorising the decorations was signed by Cllr A Rayment and Cllr J Reed will deal with the Road closure element.

F/097/19 Planning

No observations on all applications: PA/2019/1102, PA/2019/1198, PA/2019/1168, PA/2019/1244, PA/2019/1266, PA/2019/1131 less mandatory stipulation of 'adequate drainage and sewerage infrastructure implementation' where appropriate. Councillors that had declared DOI at Item 3 left the room when items discussed.

The Full Council meeting was closed at 9:00pm.

A vote of Full Council was recorded to re-open the Full Council meeting at 9:00pm

F/098/19 Future Agenda Items

Reinstating the Business Meeting over summer

7 Lakes

Cemetery Top Soil

Personnel Committee

The Full Council Meeting closed at 21:13

Signature: Original signed copy on file.

Date: