

NORTON-ON-DERWENT TOWN COUNCIL
17 February 2014 at 7.00pm
in the Council Chamber, Commercial Street, Norton
AGENDA

- 1.** Apologies for absence
- 2.** (a) Guest Speaker
(b) Public Session (15 minutes maximum)
For members of the public to raise issues, or make comments on matters concerning Norton.
3 Minutes allowed per speaker.
- 3.** Declarations of Interests.
- 4.*** To confirm and sign the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on Monday, 20 January 2013
(Minutes 139 to 155 inclusive).
- 5.** Clerks Report - to update members on various issues and projects affecting the Town Council.
- 6.** Town Mayors Report
To inform members of his engagements as the Council's representative, and update members on ongoing projects affecting the Town.
- 7.** Financial matters:
 - * (a) To report accounts paid since the last meeting of the Council and authorise cheques to be drawn in payment of accounts now submitted.
 - * (b) To receive the financial report for the period 01.01.14 to 31.01.14.
 - * (c) To receive the budgetary monitoring report for the month of January.
- 8.** Planning Matters:
 - * (a) To consider applications for planning permission referred to the Town Council by Ryedale District Council.
 - * (b) To receive decisions notified by Ryedale District Council.
- 9.** Cemetery Matters:
 - (a) To update members on the closure of the cemetery overnight during the week and at weekends, and to receive any feedback from members.
 - (b) To inform members that the footpaths were in the process of being levelled, with the Clerk and Cemetery Manager to ensure that all areas were inspected for levelling.
 - * (c) To inform members of a letter received about trees in the hedge at the back of the Gallops. These to be inspected by the Clerk and Cemetery Manager.
- 10.** Application for Grant Funding:
To consider the merit of awarding a grant to a local organisation that benefits the local community in accordance with section 137 and 139 of the Local Government Act 1972. For debate and resolution.
 - * Letter from Woodhams Stone Collection requesting a grant to assist with online archiving.
- 11.** Parking Issues – Wood Street
 - (a) To receive a copy of an E. Mail from Mr Marr sent in reply to a local resident of Wood Street.
Reply still awaited on the issues raised by the Clerk.

12. Correspondence.

- * (a) Ryedale Safer Neighbourhoods Team – monthly crime statistics for Southern Ryedale, January 2014. For information
- * (b) North Yorkshire County Council – Bus Subsidy Reduction information. For information.
- * (c) Yorkshire Water Services Ltd – Letter updating members on the work being carried out on the sewerage system in and around Sutton Street. For information.
- * (d) Malton Against Superstore – Letter requesting support for opposition to the proposed store on Wentworth Street. For information.
- * (e) York & North Yorkshire Road Safety Partnership – Letter in reply to a complaint about speeding on Scarborough Road. For information.
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- * (f) North Yorkshire County Council – Temporary Road Closure, Plum Street Norton. Closed for one week during the period from 7 April 2014 to 27 March 2015, for footway reconstruction. For information.
- * (g) Frack Free North Yorkshire – Information sheet about a public meeting to be held on Friday 21 February, at 6.30pm, at Friends Meeting House Malton. For information.

13. Allotment Matters

- * (a) To receive information on proposals put forward by allotment holders on the ‘Bacon Factory’ half of the allotments, to improve security. For discussion.
- (b) To inform members of a meeting to be held with allotment holders, on Friday 21 March at 7.00pm in the Council Chamber, Commercial Street.

14. Verge and Footpath Issues - Langton Road

To receive information from Councillor Spencer regarding the use of the verge and paths on Langton Road by the horse racing community. For discussion.

15. Reports of representatives on other organisations.

16. Members’ questions.

17. Excluded Items

RESOLVED that under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, members of the press and public are excluded for the following items of business as the Council considers that the nature of the business to be transacted is prejudicial to the public interest.

- * (a) Council Vacancies.
To receive applications for co-option as Councillor for Norton East Ward (1 vacancy) and Norton West Ward (2 vacancies). For Resolution.
 - * (b) King George’s Playing Field – Multi Games Unit, Ball Stop Fencing.
To receive quotations for ball stop fencing to be installed on the Multi Games Unit. For Resolution.
- 18. To confirm the date of the next ordinary meeting of the Council for Monday, 17 March 2014 at 7.00pm.**

Ros Tierney,
Town Clerk.
12.02.14

