

**NAILSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES of a MEETING of Nailsworth Town Council**  
 held at the Arkell Community Centre Nailsworth  
**on Wednesday 12 October 2016**

Present	Cllr Jonathan Duckworth (Town Mayor) Cllr Anne Elliott Cllr Paul Francis Cllr Ron Kerby Cllr Robert Maitland Cllr Sally Millett Cllr Angela Norman Cllr Myles Robinson Cllr Steve Robinson
Apologies	Cllr Norman Kay Cllr Sue Reed

**2016/132 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND COUNCILLORS' DISPENSATIONS**

There were no declarations or dispensations.

**2016/133 CONSIDERATION OF COUNCIL'S RESPONSE TO RECENT CONSULTATION ON ECOTRICITY'S PROPOSAL FOR HOUSING AT THE NEW LAWN SITE**

Members had been highly disappointed to learn that Ecotricity's proposed planning application for the New Lawn site did not appear to incorporate any of the suggestions made by the Council during pre-application discussions with the company.

After discussion, the following actions were agreed:

- a) The Clerk would seek to arrange a meeting with the Diocese Estates Manager to discuss matters relevant to the application.
- b) The Mayor and Cllr Robert Maitland would liaise with the Clerk to draft a constructive Council response to Ecotricity expressing NTC's hope for more imaginative and sustainable proposals which would be of major community benefit and a fitting legacy to the town.
- c) The Mayor would seek to discuss the New Lawn application with SDC planning officers.
- d) The Council would consider organising a public meeting in due course if appropriate.

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 Town Mayor

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 Date