

NAILSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL
MINUTES of a Meeting of Nailsworth Town Council
held at the Town Hall, Nailsworth
on Tuesday 5th December 2017

Present	Cllr Jonathan Duckworth (Town Mayor) Cllr Sue Reed Cllr Angela Norman Cllr Sally Millett Cllr Anne Elliott Cllr Myles Robinson Cllr Ron Kerby Cllr Mike Kelly Cllr Robert Maitland Cllr Paul Francis
Minutes	Justine Hopkins (Deputy Clerk)
Apologies	Cllr Steve Robinson

Ref. No		Action												
2017/149	Verbal Introductions Everyone introduced themselves. One member of the public was present.													
2017/150	Declarations of Interest & Applications for Dispensations Cllr Sue Reed will not take part in the discussion about 2017/152 item b as it is SDC property.													
2017/151	Matters of Urgency 1. Change of venue for next meeting-The Full Council meeting on 19 th December will be held at the Mortimer Room to see if it is suitable for future use as a chamber. 2. Car Parking review meeting-To agree on a statement to SDC regarding timing and methodology (see point 2017/156 below).													
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	d) S.17/2645/HHOLD Woodcot Rockness Hill	Erection of detached annexe	The documents have not been available online so can we discuss in 2 weeks to give councillors a chance to visit the site	
2017/153	<p>To consider the proposed closure of a Public Right of Way at Pike Lane (This item was brought forward as a Shortwood resident in attendance for this item)</p> <p>SDC have confirmed to NTC that the footpath is not going to be closed.</p> <p>After discussion the following was agreed and will be registered on the SDC planning portal before 15th December:</p> <p>'During the development there should be no obstruction and a safe and adequate alternative route from Shortwood agreed during resurfacing. Any footpath closure should be for the minimum amount of time and other routes should have equally convenient access, be wheelchair accessible (as BS8300) and have adequate lighting at all times. Nailsworth Town Council would like to see any operational plans for closure including alternative routes and arrangements before they are put into action'</p>			
2017/154	<p>To consider moving the date of the January meeting</p> <p>After the meeting it was confirmed that the dates had been agreed at the May meeting. The Council/Environment meeting will be on Tuesday 16th and the Main Council will be on the 23rd.</p>			
2017/155	<p>To consider a report from the Flood Risk Working Party</p> <p>Cllr Sue Reed discussed the circulated report and recorded her thanks to Jane Leigh from Merton Cottages who put together a very comprehensive report. Investigation is on-going regarding who put in the sleeping policeman at the entrance to the private road to the Nodes. GCC have agreed to clean out the drains and gullies this week. The Deputy Clerk will send about a doodle poll with dates for the next meeting in January.</p>			
2017/156	<p>To consider forming a Car Park Review Working Party (Cllr Sue Reed left the room for this item)</p> <p>Cllr Jonathan Duckworth discussed the briefing from two SDC officers in which they confirmed reviews across the district where free parking exists. Nailsworth's review will be in December using the Neighbourhood Warden. This will then go for review and public consultation in the Spring.</p> <p>NTC propose to deal with this by forming a Working Party: Cllrs Jonathan Duckworth, Cllr Ron Kerby, Cllr Sally Millett, Cllr Angela Norman, Cllr Robert Maitland and Cllr Mike Kelly all agreed to be on the Working Party (Cllr Anne Elliott and Cllr Paul Francis would like to receive the paperwork on these meetings).</p> <p>Proposed by Cllr Ron Kerby, Seconded by Cllr Robert Maitland, approved unanimously.</p> <p>Cllr Jonathan Duckworth will send a doodle to arrange the first meeting.</p>			

Cllr Anne Elliott asked what the Chamber of Trades position is? Cllr Jonathan Duckworth said they will be looking at figures for impact, downturn in trade, shop closures, etc. We have to fight it as it is hugely important to the economic success of the town. After discussion it was agreed that NTC will make the following statement to SDC:

'Nailsworth Town Council thanks the SDC officers for their presentation last Wednesday. NTC would like to express their serious concerns about the timing and methodology for the car park survey. We have no confidence that the survey will provide results that could be used as a basis for any rationally based recommendation'

Proposed by Cllr Ron Kerby, Seconded by Cllr Anne Elliott, approved unanimously.

Cllr Anne Elliott provided an update on Lloyds Mobile Banking. She has been in contact with Lloyds for two months and Tetbury have the unit for two days a week (although this is not within our boundary as covered by Cirencester). The petition on our website has 115 responses and various outlets in the town have petitions.

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