

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF TADLEY TOWN COUNCIL HELD IN THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICES, FRANKLIN AVENUE, TADLEY AT 7.30pm ON 5 JULY 2010

Present: Cllrs Broad, Flahive, Hankinson, Keeling, Leeks, Lovegrove, Moss, Noad, Quelch (7.35pm) and Slimin (Chairman)

In Attendance: Town Clerk, 1 member of the press, Borough Cllr Bound (7.48pm)

1. APOLOGIES

Received and accepted from Cllrs Ballard, Burdett, Faulkner, Frost, Mullan, West, County Cllr Tucker

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Lovegrove declared an interest in agenda item 7 – grant application from Loddon Valley Day Care.

3. MINUTES

39/11FC It was
RESOLVED (9/0/0) to receive and confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting held on 10 May 2010.

4. OPEN FORUM

There was no requirement for an open forum.

5. CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN'S REPORTS

The Chairman reported: Attended the Basingstoke & District Association of Parish & Town Councils meeting on the 3 June. The removal of cheques was discussed, Parish Conference is to be held on the 29 November and next meeting is 2 September. Attended the Treacle Fair on the 6 June, thanks were given to Cllrs Flahive, Moss and Quelch for their help in manning the stand. The next Councillor Surgery is to be held on the 7 July at Tadley Library. Council Tax capping does not apply to Parish and Town Councils. Approval was requested to set up a Youth Forum for those that deliver services to young people, the Chairman would chair and minute meetings, approval was given. Silchester Council are carrying out a Rural Passenger Transport Survey and would welcome any relevant feedback from the Tadley Vision Group. Cllr Flahive is to attend the concessionary fares consultation.

The Vice Chairman reported: Would be attending the annual Zurich Insurance Conference.

6. ACCOUNTS

40/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to receive and sign a statement of receipts and payments for the months of April and May 2010.

7. COMMITTEES

41/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to receive and approve the reports of the Highways and Planning Committee held on 24 May and 28 June 2010.

42/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to receive and approve the report of the Recreation and Leisure Committee held on 10 May 2010.

43/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to accept the recommendation **4/11FGP** to make a grant of £1000 to TASTE for running costs.

Cllr Leeks and Lovegrove did not vote on the following item.

44/10FC It was
RESOLVED (8/0/0) to accept the recommendation **5/11FGP** to make a grant of £1000 to Loddon Valley Day Care for running costs.

45/10FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to accept the recommendation **6/11FGP** to make a grant of £300 to Victim Support for training costs.

46/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to receive and approve the report of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held 21 June 2010.

8. APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES

To appoint/confirm representatives for the following:

Loddon Valley Day Care Centre – to be advised that no representative appointed.

Tadley Memorial Hall

47/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to appoint Cllr Moss.

9. STANDING ORDERS

New standing orders from NALC were received, having stood adjourned without discussion at the meeting of Full Council on the 4 May.

48/11FC It was
RESOLVED (10/0/0) to defer discussion until the meeting on the 6 September.

10. REPORTS

Cllr Tucker had sent a written report: The following road repairs are to be carried out - Gutteridge Lane from Mount Pleasant to Droxford Crescent is programmed to start 15th July, New Road to Bishopswood Lane, Mount Pleasant and Gravelly Close/The Green - machine patching to be done. Cllr Bound had no report. Cllr Leeks reported that he is to attend concessionary fares consultation.

11. AWE

Cllr Broad reported that no decision has been made yet as to where MOD is to store its nuclear waste. Cllr Round had circulated a report on traffic movements around the AWE site. The redundancy programme is to continue.

12. TADLEY VISION

Cllr Keeling reported that the project is not progressing very well. A meeting is to take place with a representative from Basingstoke Council this week. The main problem is gaining commitment from members. At this stage it looks unlikely that the project will continue.