

HORWICH TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Council held in the Council Chamber, Public Hall, Lee Lane, Horwich on Thursday 20 November 2014 commencing at 7.15 pm.

PRESENT Councillors: R. Silvester (in the Chair), G. Atkinson, K. Denton, K. Helsby, J. Kellett, K. McKeon, A. Morley, C. Root, L. Rock, S. Rock, K. Thomson.
Town Clerk, C. Hutchinson.
2 members of the public.
1 member of the press.

CHAIRPERSON TO OUTLINE FIRE SAFETY EVACUATION PROCEDURE:

TC 3202 The Town Mayor outlined the procedure.

TO SUBMIT APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND ACCEPT THE REASONS:

TC 3203 Apologies were received from Councillor McCartin, due to illness, Councillor Ramamurthy who was away and Councillor J Silvester due to an urgent family matter. Resolved to accept the reasons for absence as presented by 9 votes to 0 with 2 abstentions..

TO REMIND MEMBERS TO MAKE A DECLARATION CONCERNING ANY MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED DURING THE MEETING OF WHICH THEY HAVE AN INTEREST:

TC 3204 None.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT MAY PUT QUESTIONS OR MAKE OBSERVATIONS REGARDING MATTERS IN RELATION TO WHICH THE COUNCIL HAS POWERS OR DUTIES OR WHICH AFFECT THE PARISH. MAXIMUM PERIOD 15 MINUTES:

TC 3205 None.

TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON 23 OCTOBER 2014:

TC 3206 Resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting of the Town Council held on 23 October 2014 by 9 votes to 0 with 2 abstentions.

TO NOTE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE HELD ON 23 OCTOBER 2014:

TC 3207 Resolved to note the minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 23 October 2014 by 9 votes to 0 with 2 abstentions.

TO NOTE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE HELD ON 10 NOVEMBER 2014:

TC 3208 Resolved by 8 votes to 0 with 3 abstentions to note the minutes of the Finance and General Purposes Committee held on 10 November 2014.

ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT – SEE ATTACHED LIST:

TC 3209 Resolved to approve the accounts for payment as presented and amounting to £3,839.09 by 10 votes to 0 with 1 abstention.

TO CONFIRM THE DATE FOR THE NEXT MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL AS 18 DECEMBER 2014:

TC 3210 Resolved to confirm the date for the next meeting of the Town Council as 18 December 2014 by 10 votes to 0 with 1 abstention.

Councillor R. Silvester declared the meeting closed at 7.23 p.m.

Chairperson..... Date.....