

Minutes of the meeting of the **Community Committee** held remotely on **Thursday 29th October 2020**

PRESENT:

Councillors Horrill (Chair), Barwell, and Savage (substitute for Cllr Le)

ALSO PRESENT:

Mr. Terry Savage
Mr. John Malam

IN ATTENDANCE:

Dr M Bailey (Town Clerk/Finance Officer)

1	APOLOGIES	Cllr Le and Ms S Bacegalpuo
2	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	DH declared his involvement with the Hive organisation and also the Co-op.
3	MINUTES – 1ST OCTOBER 2020	The Committee approved the minutes from the meeting held on 1 st October 2020.
4	MATTERS ARISING/ACTION LOG	<p>The following items were raised from the minutes/action log.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remembrance Sunday – the Clerk reported that the event had been reduced in size further and that a press release had been sent out • Christmas Lights – it was confirmed that the contractors had been informed of the additional lights to be installed • Christmas Trees – it was reported that an application had been made to CWAC and locations had been identified on the old High Street; by the Guildhall; and on Town Park • Big Laundry Event – this took place and photographs to be sent to Deuille-Le-Barre • Cycling – no updates • Waterways Working Group – the membership of the Group was confirmed as Cllrs Horrill; Barwell; and Jump; Terry Savage; Chris Howth (Hive); Anne and Derek Johnson (Cross Hatch); Jim Mole (Inland Waterways Group). The first meeting will take place on 12th November 2020 at 6pm via Zoom

5	ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION	<p><i>Terms of Reference</i> Updated Terms of Reference were approved, with the addition of an item on the Neighbourhood Plan (“to keep under review, as permitted by law and statute, the Winsford Neighbourhood Plan in consultation with the community”)</p> <p><i>Waterways Events in Winsford and Elsewhere</i> Covered under Minute 4.</p> <p><i>Engagement Platform – Participatory Budgeting</i> It was reported that Consul would be investigated as a possible platform (https://consulproject.org/en/)</p> <p><i>Cycling in Winsford</i> No updates had been received but it was agreed to include the idea of a cycling café in the Marina Feasibility Study tender document (see Assets Committee 26.10.20).</p> <p><i>Bin Stickers</i> The Committee considered the bin stickers already produced and the Chair will work with officers on the exact wording</p> <p><i>Development of Community Organisations</i> A proposal to assist community organisations in their development was put forward. WTC would provide an information and advice service. It was agreed to look at examples elsewhere; to include in the 2021-22 budget setting process; and to scope out existing provision to identify gaps</p> <p><i>Dog Areas/Accessible Play Equipment</i> It was agreed to consult on location for the dog area and to look at examples elsewhere. It was further agreed to contact Hebden Green School in relation to play equipment and also groups representing disabilities and CWAC. It was also agreed to reference disabilities in WTC strategies. Cllrs Barwell and Jump will contact relevant groups to collect ideas</p>
6	ANY OTHER RELEVANT BUSINESS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was reported that there are knitting groups in action who are creating products

		to display in towns. It was agreed to contact the 'People's Choice' group to establish work and possible locations
7	DATE OF NEXT MEETING	26 th November 2020

Chair