

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE FLOWERS & LIGHTS COMMITTEE OF FEATHERSTONE TOWN COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, OLD TOWN HALL, FEATHERSTONE ON THURSDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE 2017 FOLLOWING THE ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE AT 11AM**

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**Present:** Councillor G Isherwood, Councillor M Isherwood (Mayor), Councillor R Martindale, Councillor R Taylor, Councillor M Tennant-King, Councillor S Vickers, and Councillor J Wright.

**In Attendance:** Sue Coles (Town Clerk).

**69/17 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN**

It was

**RESOLVED:** Councillor J Wright be elected and Chairman

**70/17 WELCOME AND APOLOGIES**

**71/17 MEMBERS DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

**72/17 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The meeting is to be opened for the public to address Members on matters relevant to the business of the committee. However residents cannot take part in the main proceedings of the meeting, this is strictly limited to Councillors.

**73/17 PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960**

To consider, if thought fit, a resolution under the terms of the public bodies admission to meetings act that the press and public be excluded from any items relating at any part of the meeting by reason of the confidential nature of the business being transacted.

**74/17 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

It was

**RESOLVED:** To receive at the meeting the minutes of the Flowers & Lights Committee held in January 2017.

**75/17 FEATHERSTONE IN BLOOM CONTRACT 2016-2018**

The Town Clerk has asked Plantscape if they could give a date for the flowers being brought into the town and a reply to her phone request has not been received. Councillor G Isherwood suggested that the Council needed more baskets in Old Snyderdale. Councillor G. Isherwood will contact WMDC to ascertain the approved streetlights.

**76/17 SOLAR POWERED CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS**

Sharlston Parish Council have requested that the Town Council order 33 solar trees on their behalf from Plantscape for Christmas 2017 and the Parish Council will reimbursement the Town Council. Councillor G Isherwood requested that their lampposts should be correctly numbered and tested. It was

**RESOLVED:** That 33 solar powered Christmas trees be ordered for Sharlston Parish Council and a invoice be raised to reclaim the cost without VAT.

Closure