

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE GRANTS COMMITTEE OF FEATHERSTONE TOWN COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, OLD TOWN HALL, FEATHERSTONE ON THURSDAY 11TH MAY 2017 AT 10.45AM.

Present: Councillor M Isherwood, Councillor J Wright and Councillor M Tennant King

In Attendance : Sue Coles (Town Clerk).

16/17 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

It was proposed by Councillor M Isherwood and seconded by Councillor Wright that

RESOLVED: Councillor M Tennant King is elected as chairman.

17/17 WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

Councillor A Lapish, Councillor S Vickers and Councillor G Isherwood.

18/17 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillor M Tennant-King declared a non pecuniary interest in item 7, grant application for Featherstone Rovers Foundation.

19/17 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. No members of the public were present.

20/17 BUDGETS

The budget allocation for grants for 2017/18 is £5,000 of which £0.00 has already been awarded to organisations in this year.

21/17 STREETHOUSE ANGLING CLUB

Members of this committee came to April's full council meeting to seek guidance on their application. Councillor M Isherwood asked that a constitution document be created by the club and the Council should give them any help that is required. All members felt that it was a very worthwhile project especially the DDA peg for fishing from the pond. It was

RESOLVED: To agree to the grant request of £500.

22/17 FEATHERSTONE ROVERS FOUNDATION.

To provide an affordable annual trip to Sundown Adventure Land in Retford for the parent and toddler group thus discounting the price and making it more affordable. The group has 60 families attending the toddler's group and the educational trip will promote child development and friendships for families. Featherstone Rovers will make a contribution to the overall cost of £600.

It was **RESOLVED:** that the application for £500 be approved.

23/17 CLOSURE.

The meeting closed at 10.55am.