



FULL COUNCIL

Thursday 14 March 2019 at 7.00 pm

Present: Councillors A Hickman (Chairman), A Barrett, G Bell, C Clark, J Dawson, M Emmerson, Mrs. P Heseltine, R G Heseltine, E Jaquin, J Kerr, P Madeley and Mrs. K McIntyre

Dave Parker (Chief Officer), Wendy Allsopp (Administration & Member Services Manager) and Joshua Daley (Customer Services Apprentice)

1. To accept representations from the Public between 7.00 pm and 7.15 pm.

None

2. To accept apologies for absence.

Apologies were accepted from Councillors A Rankine (ill health) Mrs. W Clark (holiday commitments) C Harbron (ill health) and P Whitaker (prior commitments)

3. To record declarations of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in items on the agenda.

Councillor M Emmerson declared a non-pecuniary interest with regard to agenda item 9 as he is a market trader.

4. To consider the recommendations of the Chief Officer relating to requests for dispensations to Members on items requiring a declaration of pecuniary and non pecuniary interests.

None

5. To approve the minutes from the Full Council meeting held on 17 January 2019.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Full Council meeting held on 17 January 2019 as a true and accurate record of what transpired at that meeting.

6. To report and receive information arising from the minutes of items not on the agenda from members and the Chief Officer.

Members noted that North Yorkshire County Council had started to refresh signage dictating Ahead Only access from the High Street on to Jerry Croft.

7. To receive and consider minutes, recommendations and reports of the Events and Tourism Committee.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Events and Tourism Committee meetings held on 4 October and 22 November 2018 as a true and accurate record of what transpired at those meetings.

8. To receive and consider minutes, recommendations and reports of the Finance and Policy Committee.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Finance and Policy Committee meeting held on 13 December as a true and accurate record of what transpired at that meeting.

9. To receive and consider minutes, recommendations and reports of the Market Committee.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Market Committee meeting held on 7 November 2018 as a true and accurate record of what transpired at that meeting.

10. To receive and consider minutes, recommendations and reports of the Planning Committee.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 6 September 2018 as a true and accurate record of what transpired at that meeting.

11. To receive and consider minutes, recommendations and reports of the Public Services Committee.

It was **RESOLVED** to accept the minutes of the Public Services Committee meeting held on 29 November 2018 as a true and accurate record of what transpired at that meeting.

12. To receive a report of the Mayoral Engagements for January until March 2019.

Members **NOTED** engagements attended by the Mayor.

13. To note the timetable and additional information relating to the election of Town Councillors for 2019 to 2023.

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Following a proposal by Members and the Chief Officer it was **RESOLVED** that in accordance with Section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable and in the public interest that the press and public be asked to withdraw.

14. Confidential matters.

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It was **RESOLVED** to return to a public session.

15. Questions for the Leader of the Council.

A Member raised concerns about the Tour de Yorkshire 2020 and asked if Skipton Town Council had devised a policy relating to its support to this event.

The Leader explained that although the Finance & Policy and Events & Tourism Committees had discussed the 2020 event no formal policy had been approved.

It was suggested that the Events & Tourism Committee should discuss this matter during the 2019-20 civic year.

The Leader thanked Members and staff for their support over the last four years.

16. To receive notification of matters that Members would like including on a future agenda.

None

The meeting closed at 8.05 pm