

STALBRIDGE TOWN COUNCIL

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Draft minutes of extraordinary meeting of the Town Council On Wednesday 23rd October 2019

Present Councillors K Garland (Chair), D Andrews, J Convoy, M Dimmer, H Hatcher, B Lovell, B Newton P Penfold, M Robinson & R Roden.

T Watson (Clerk)

In attendance

There were 5 members of the public in attendance.

Public Open forum

Comments were received in relation to the trees overhanging the Market Cross

The meeting commenced at 7.43 pm

1. To receive apologies.

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2. Declarations of interest.

None.

3. To receive and update on the condition survey of the Jarvis Field play are fencing in relation to the ownership of the boundary hedge and give further instruction.

The Clerk advised that she had been informed that the boundary is unregistered. It was not considered to be viable to lay the trees / hedge and agreed that as this would be an expensive project it should be approached in phases starting at the pump track end.

RESOLVED: The clerk was instructed to obtain quotas for post and rail with wire and concrete posts

4. To receive notice of events in Stalbridge in relation to road TRO applications.

Road closures - Remembrance Sunday 10.1.19 Station Rd car park to the Church 10.30-10.45.
The Church to The Royal British Legion 12 noon to 12.15

Road closures – lighting of the lime tree Lower road forge fabrics the cutting and the cutting to the A357 4.30-7pm. Lantern parade 29.11.19 A357 for Stalbridge Close to the cutting at the end of the Ring 5.45-6pm.

5. To receive the tree condition survey report and give further instruction.

RESOLVED: Proposed and agreed to commence with the three and six month works and associated tree applications.

6. To receive further information in conjunction with the IT support contract and give further instruction.

(ref. TCM 10.07.19) The Clerk confirmed that at reduction in support costs from the current supplier was not possible and that the alternative quote was now out of date. She further advised that the office main PC is now 5 years old and is showing serious signs of wear and tear.

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RESOLVED: To purchase a new PC & monitor remain with the current supplier and carry out a review in May 2019

7. Finance.

a. To approve the accounts as presented in annex 1b. For payment.

Finance annex 1b. 23.10.19		
To	Ref.	Amount
Sturminster Newton Boxing club	mats for tree at pump track	£37.98
C Jennison	Remove shrubs & installation of fence rear of The Hub	£1,987.61

RESOLVED: Proposed by B Newton, seconded H hatcher and agreed to approve the payments as presented.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.10pm