WENTWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of the Parish Council Held in the Mechanic's Institute, Wentworth on Monday 16th September 2024 commenced at 6.30PM

Signed as a true record

Present 6640.	Councillor Councillor Councillors	Mr B. McNamara (Chairman) Mr S. Peace (Deputy Chairman) Ms C. Hawley. Mrs V. Sykes, Mrs C. Shaw, Mr T. Hill, Mr J. knight,					
	RMBC Councillor RMBC	Mr P. Martin Mr R. Brent Ms T. White					
Apologies for Absence 6641.	Councillor	Mr D. Booth					
Minutes 6642.	The minutes of the meeting held on 15th July 2024 are accepted as a true record and are authorised to be signed by the Chairman.						
	Proposed Councillor Peace Seconded Councillor Knight						
Matters Raised By Parishioners 6643.	Further complaints have been received about missed bus services. These have been reported to the service provider and parishioners have been asked to report missed buses via the online portal where possible. The more complaints that are made, may help to resolve the matter.						
6644.		ort the problems to the RMBC transport committee. He also noted consolidate bus passes. Councillor McNamara has reported the issues					
6645.	A parishioner has complained that the post office sign is missing, the Estate has contacted the post office, but a replacement is the responsibility of the post office plc.						
	Regarding minutes 6603 still outstanding.	and 6604, the hedges have been cut back, but the road markings are					
6646. 6647.	Regarding minute 6607,	the gully has still not been cleared.					
6648.	. Regarding minute 6610, the notice board will be replace in the original position and funding is being sought from the Wentworth Charities.						
6649.	Regarding minute 6615, the defibrillator had come up as used on the online system, however the cabinet had been opened, but the defibrillator had not been used.						
6650.	. Regarding minute 6616, a quote has been received for designing and printing the newsletter. The matter was discussed and an issue at the end of November would be more appropriate. It could include items about Christmas events and Councillor Brent offered to do an article.						
6651.	Regarding minute 6620,	the next speed watch is scheduled for 21/09					
6652.	Regarding minute 6624, the contractor approval review is ongoing.						
6653.	Regarding minute 6625, the new Harley pavilion windows have been completed						
6654.	Regarding minute 6630, improves.	the beacon will be repainted and the sign reattached when the weather					

6655.	Regarding minute 6636, the Tour of Britain passed through the parish successfully. Thanks were offered to Councillor Shaw and the Mission Rooms team for organising the events during the race.						
6656.	Regarding minute 6637, the BMBC crash barrier at the junction with Occupation Road is still outstanding, despite being reported numerous time over the past few years.						
RMBC Matters	It was noted that the recent walkabout had been successful						
6657. 6658.	Councillor Brent reported that the children signs request has been passed to RMBC, but there is no update.						
6659.	Councillor Brent is to liaise with RMBC Highways regarding the BMBC crash barrier.						
6660.	Councillor Knight enquired about the proposed Harley boulders, it seems they are progressing through RMBC, but need further approvals.						
Finance 6661.	The payments were approved for August and September						
6662.	Clerk HMRC AWS J Torry EON Everflow Warwick Developments Clerk HMRC AWS J Torry EON Everflow RMBC Proposed Councillor Peac Seconded Councillor Knig The revised councillor role	ht	£ 271.80 £ 154.40 £ 993.63 £ 35.00 £ 34.42 £ 27.43 £ 2,446.88 £ 231.60 £ 154.40 £ 993.63 £ 35.00 £ 43.25 £ 26.55 £ 460.74	Salary & expenses August HMRC Grounds maintenance September Window cleaning September Electricity charges September Water charges Harley pavilion windows Salary & expenses July HMRC Grounds maintenance August Window cleaning August Electricity charges August Water charges Play Inspections			
Playing field	The revised councillor roles and responsibilities listings have been reissued. Further issues have arisen with the use of the playing fields by the JFC, a committee has						
issues 6663.	been convened to discuss the issues with the club's senior managers.						
Open Forum 6664.	It was noted that benefits checks had been brought up at the councillor surgery, Ms White is to contact Citizens Advice and DIAL with regard to holding events in the parish						
6665.	Councillor Brent mentioned the Quality Parish Council accreditation scheme.						
6666.	Ms White advised that there would be a drop in session at the Cortonwood Centre as ward councillors are consulting with communities to help setting the councils priorities.						
6667.	Councillors Hawley and Martin suggested name badges for councillors for when they attend the parish council surgeries, Councillor Hawley is to obtain quotes.						
6668.	Councillor Shaw advised that there have been several burglaries in the Harley area recently and that the police have distributed flyers as reinsurance.						
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6669.	^{59.} Councillor Shaw noted that the proposed Remembrance bench for Harley has not been approved by the Estate. Matter to be resolved between RMBC and the individual who proposed the bench.					
6670.	Councillor Peace noted an article in the Rotherham Advertiser about residents in some areas being against the use of permanent speed cameras in their area.					
6671.	A list of parish council grit bin locations is to be forwarded to Councillor Knight	вм				
6672.	2. Councillor Hawley is to progress the safe guarding training					
6673.	Ms White commented that Voluntary Action Rotherham could be a source for funding.					
6674.	Councillor McNamara reported that moss is starting to form on the lamp posts along Main Street, matter to be reported to RMBC	JH				
Chairman's Allowance 6675.	Councillor McNamara declared a pecuniary interest in the following item and left the meeting					
6676.	s. It was proposed that RMBC be contacted for details of the parish basic allowance scheme					
	Proposed Councillor Peace Seconded Councillor Knight					
	Resolved By unanimous vote, the parish basic allowance details to be sought	JH				
Next Meeting 6677.	The next meeting is confirmed as 21st October 2024 at 6.30pm in the Mechanic's Institute. Agenda to be distributed					

The meeting closed at 8.24pm

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