

**Minutes of the Meeting of Quedgeley Town Council held at Quedgeley Community Centre on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at 7.30pm.**

**PRESENT** Cllr G Smith, Cllr S Smith, Cllr Hughes, Cllr Powell, Cllr Potts, Cllr Wilcox, Cllr Logan, Cllr Talbot, Cllr Mrs Slatter, Cllr Mrs Arnold, Cllr Arnold, Cllr Williams,

<b>FC.048/17-18</b>	<p><b>APOLOGIES</b> Apologies were noted from Cllr Mrs Hanks, Cllr Pearce, Cllr Lee and Cllr Mrs McAllan.</p> <p>Gloucester City &amp; County Councillor – Cllr Norman</p>
<b>FC.049/17-18</b>	<p><b>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</b> None received</p>
<b>FC.050/17-18</b>	<p><b>ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING</b> None present</p>
<b>FC.051/17-18</b>	<p><b>ADOPTION OF FULL COUNCIL MINUTES</b> Cllr G Smith <b>PROPOSED</b> to adopt the Minutes dated <b>15<sup>th</sup> January 2018</b> as a true and accurate record of the meeting. Seconded Cllr Mrs Arnold Vote Unanimous <b>So resolved</b></p> <p>It was noted the planned Easter Egg Hunt is on Easter Monday and not Easter Sunday.</p>
<b>FC.052/17-18</b>	<p><b>CLERK'S REPORT</b> Complaints and Achievements – 36 received during the month of January. One issue regularly raised is the missing bollard in the parking area at the top of School Lane, the subsequent gap allows vehicles to drive from Bristol Road to School Lane across the parking area. Following discussion, it was agreed to establish the land owner, if necessary through land registry, and arrange for the bollard to be replaced. If this fails, instruct the Council contractor to undertake the work.</p>
<b>FC.053/17-18</b>	<p><b>CORRESPONDENCE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Confirmation of Certificate of Higher Education for Mrs Webster in Community Governance Local Council Management – Distinction</li> <li>(b) Mr Hughes, Pavilion Groundsman Level 2 soil maintenance – Distinction. The Committee congratulated The Clerk and Mr Hughes.</li> <li>(c) Gloucestershire County Council, road traffic order, speed limit on A38 – noted.</li> </ul>
<b>FC.054/17-18</b>	<p><b>CHAIR'S REPORT</b> Nothing to report.</p>
<b>FC.055/17-18</b>	<p><b>FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Minutes dated <b>8<sup>th</sup> January 2018: accepted by F&amp;GP on 05.02.18.</b></li> <li>(b) Report of Chairman - nothing to report at this stage.</li> <li>(c) To consider and accept the 2018-19 budget as recommended by the F&amp;GP Committee with the annual precept of £243,491.00. The clerk explained the figure was an increase in last year of 3.05% but the precept paid by the electorate remained unaltered due to the number of additional dwellings in Quedgeley. Cllr Powell <b>PROPOSED</b> to agree the budget and set the precept as above. Seconded Cllr Hughes Vote Unanimous <b>So resolved</b></li> </ul>
<b>FC.056/17-18</b>	<p><b>PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Minutes dated 20<sup>th</sup> December 2017: <b>accepted by P&amp;D on 17.01.18.</b></li> <li>(b) Report of Chairman, Cllr Logan reported, January there were only 3 planning applications submitted, a change of use application for an area of land earmarked for employment to be residential, members requested an increase in S106. The proposed new stadium for Forest Green Rovers Football Club at junction 13 off the M5, ongoing since January 2016, the Committee upheld the concerns of Highways and Stroud District Council in relation to access and egress.</li> </ul>

<b>FC.057/17-18</b>	<p><b>RECREATION AND AMENITIES COMMITTEE</b></p> <p>(a) Minutes dated 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018: <i>accepted by R&amp;A on 07.02.18</i></p> <p>(b) Report of Chairman, Cllr S Smith reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dog Show – 24<sup>th</sup> June 2018</li> <li>• Firework Display – 10<sup>th</sup> November 2018</li> <li>• Easter Egg hunt – Easter Monday, update of arrangements to date.</li> <li>• Bridge Fishers Meadow – agreed not to proceed.</li> <li>• Allotments</li> <li>• Cemetery, documentation and access, member attendance at interments</li> <li>• Cemetery head stone audit.</li> <li>• Membership of Committee</li> <li>• Budget</li> </ul> <p>(c) To consider and agree new Terms of Reference (SS) – deferred until the next meeting.</p>
<b>FC.058/17-18</b>	<p><b>COMMUNITY BUILDINGS COMMITTEE</b></p> <p>(a) Minutes dated 27<sup>th</sup> November 2017: <i>accepted by C/Building on 22.01.18</i></p> <p>(b) Report of Chairman, nothing to report at this time.</p>
<b>FC.059/17-18</b>	<p><b>REPORTS FROM OUTSIDE BODIES AND WORKING PARTIES</b></p> <p>(a) Kingsway Residents Association, Cllr Talbot reported the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting of 2018 discussed the Big Lunch and investigating youth projects working with Gloucester City Council.</p> <p>(b) Quedgeley Community Trust, next meeting 21<sup>st</sup> February, Cllr G Smith and Cllr Wilcox will be attending to discuss the Quedgeley Show and possible involvement from the Allotment Association.</p> <p>(c) UBB – Cllr G Smith advised he was unable to attend the last meeting, he has plans of works and he further advised compensation is being sought by the shops in Stonehouse following the loss of revenue while the cable is being laid to the power station.</p> <p>(d) Allotment Association quiet part of the year, dates confirmed for 4 events annually.</p> <p>(e) Royal British Legion – County AGM, Cllr G Smith attended, opened the meeting as part of his civic duty.</p>
<b>FC.060/17-18</b>	<p><b>FURTHER BUSINESS FOR REFERRAL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Surgery details at Tesco. The Clerk confirmed she will allocate dates, poor response from members, the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting is 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018. The Police and other organisations will be attending.</li> <li>• Tesco notice board.</li> </ul>
<b>Meeting concluded: 20.00 hrs</b>	