

MINUTES of the **NEIGHBOURHOOD COUNCIL MEETING** held on Wednesday the 17th January 2018 @ St Margaret's Church Hall Ingol commencing at 7.00pm

Present: Cllrs Roskell, Brookes, Darby, Anderson, Bevan and Thompson There were five members of the public present.

01/18 To receive apologies

Cllrs McGrath, Soole and Ellison – it was noted that prior to this meeting Cllr Buchner had resigned and that the Clerk in accordance with statutory procedures had placed the requisite notices of a casual vacancy on the NC notice boards.

02/18 To approve the Minutes of the Meeting held on the 13th December 2017 (enclosed)

It was resolved that the Minutes of the meeting held on the 13th December 2017 should be approved and signed by the Chairman as a true and accurate record.

03/18 To receive Declarations of Interest

Cllr Darby declared a personal and prejudicial interest in respect of the item relating to a financial contribution to Preston City Council to assist with open space maintenance costs as he is a City Councillor; he left the room during the debate and voting on this item.

O4/18 To adjourn the meeting for a period of public participation

The meeting was adjourned

It was confirmed that the working group looking at additional dog fouling signage were hoping to put forward a proposition soon.

It was pointed out to a resident that any complaint relating to a Neighbourhood Councillor must be sent to the Monitoring Officer at Preston CC who had jurisdiction in these matters.

Members were invited to the inauguration of the new priest for St Margaret's Church – full details had already been circulated to members

The meeting was reconvened

05/18 To authorise payment of the following accounts:

On Line	TVC	Repairs following vandalism	51.06
On Line	Catchpoint	Annual Maintenance Charge CCTV Granton	96.00
On Line	GGS	Lengthsman (37-40)	319.20
On Line	Marmax	Seats	1809.00
On Line	Catchpoint	CCTV installation Bridge / Nisa	6180.00
On Line	SLCC	¹ / ₄ Annual Subscription	64.50
On Line	W V McWhittle	3 rd Qtr Sal and Exp	1293.79
On Line	Inland Revenue	3 rd Qtr Tax and NI	833.10
On Line	J Thompson	Reimburse Xmas Event Costs	427.08
On Line	GGS	Lengthsman (33-36)	319.20
On Line	Printing World	Newsletter	255.00
On Line	Johnston Publishing	Environmental Assistant Advert	199.20
On Line	City Distributers	Newsletter	137.76

It was resolved that the payments mentioned above should be approved

06/18

To consider and approve the enclosed Terms of Agreement between PCC and this Council concerning a contribution of £9550.00 to be made for Open Space maintenance in this Neighbourhood Council's area and authorise release of those funds in accordance with the terms of the said agreement as they become due.

A recorded vote was requested:

Those in favour of the above proposal Cllrs Bevan, Roskell, Brookes and Anderson

Those against Cllr Thompson

It was resolved that the enclosed Terms of Agreement referred to above should be approved and that the Clerk as the Proper Officer should be authorised to sign the Agreement on behalf of this Council

07/18 To approve the Statement of Accounts for period ending 27th December 2017

It was resolved that the Statement of Accounts referred to above should be approved

08/18

To consider the way forward regarding the CCTV installation at NISA store which has been temporarily abandoned due to several acts of vandalism which have resulted in irreversible damage to three cameras and costs of repairs to TVC gates following attempt to vandalise the wi-fi connection to the recording equipment situated in the TVC building.

It was resolved that this Council do wish to continue with the CCTV installation, whilst accepting that a different and probably more costly solution needs to be found. It was further resolved that Cllrs Anderson, Bevan and Darby should investigate options and bring back recommendations to this Council as soon as practicable.

09/18 To note that the date of the next meeting is scheduled for the 28th February 2018

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