

## CONGLETON TOWN COUNCIL

### MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMUNITY, ENVIRONMENT AND SERVICES COMMITTEE HELD ON THURSDAY 16<sup>th</sup> March 2017

**PRESENT:** Councillors

Mrs A L Armitt  
R Boston  
C H Booth (Deputy Mayor and Vice Chairman)  
G R Edwards (Ex-Officio)  
Mrs S A Holland (Chairman)  
Mrs A Martin  
Mrs A E Morrison  
Mrs J D Parry  
G S Williams

#### 1. **Apologies for absence.**

Apologies for absence were received from Committee members Cllrs P Broom and G P Hayes.

Apologies were also received from Cllr D T Brown (ex-officio member).

#### 2. **Minutes of Last Meeting**

**CES/49/1617 Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2017 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

#### 3. **Declarations of Interest**

Members are requested to declare both “pecuniary” and “non-pecuniary” interests as early in the meeting as they become known.

Cllr G.S Williams declared a non-pecuniary interest in any matters related to Cheshire East Council. Cllr Mrs A Martin declared an interest in agenda item 16.

#### 4. **Outstanding Actions**

There were no outstanding actions.

## 5. Cheshire Police

To receive and consider a verbal report from a representative of Cheshire Police.  
The report covered:

### Community work

- Monitoring of schools parking in particular St Marys and Quinta -Joint patrols with traffic wardens.
- Parking on Ayreshire Way issued 6 Fixed Penalties and 2 advisories. Enforcement one option but problem solving approach needs taking and will review at end of the month.
- Warrants issued at St Johns Road and Brunswick Street flats.
- New surgeries at Bromley Community Hub and Mossley Community Centre.
- Future- Joint Anti –Fraud event on 23<sup>rd</sup> March with RBS - 2.00pm to 4.00pm.
- OP Lambswool- Patrolling rural areas and preventing thefts of lambs and agricultural stocks.
- Herbert Protocol- Information about a scheme for providing information for when Alzheimer’s and vulnerable people go missing.
- Some incidents in park and market area, multi-agency group to address. Some dealt with by yellow cards.

## 6. Floral Arrangement Working Group

To receive the minutes of the Floral Arrangement Working Group held on 9<sup>th</sup> December 2016.

**CES/50/1617 Resolved to** receive the minutes of the Floral Arrangement Working Group dated 9<sup>th</sup> December 2016.

## 7. Treo Memorial Update

To receive a report from the Town Centre and Marketing Manager on the proposed memorial to Treo.

**CES/51/1617 Resolved to** approve the proposed siting of the Treo memorial in the Community Garden.

## 8. Public Realm Update

To receive a verbal update on the plans for the improvements to the Public Realm.

**CES/52/1617 Resolved to** receive the update from the Town Centre and Marketing manager outlining the design and materials to be used for the Public Realm scheme.

9. **Gas Works and Easter recovery update**

To receive an update on the gas works from the Town Centre and Marketing Manager.

**CES/53/1617 Resolved to** receive the update from the Town Centre and Marketing Manager outlining the proposed dates for the completion of the works and work undertaken to support business compensation claims.

10. **Congleton Paddling Pool Improvements**

To receive a verbal update from the Chief Officer with regards to improvements to Congleton Paddling Pool.

**CES/54/1617 Resolved to** receive the update from the Chief Officer who advised that approval had been granted for the refurbishment of the pool and that works would be completed prior to the opening of the pool in May 2017.

11. **Christmas Lights Switch On**

To receive an update report from the Town Centre and Marketing Manager with regards to the Christmas Lights switch on event for 2017.

**CES/55/1617 Resolved to** receive the proposed plans for the Christmas Lights switch on event.

12. **National Spring Clean**

To note a call for volunteers to support the National Spring Clean campaign.

**CES/56/1617 Resolved to** note the request for support for the National Spring Clean campaign.

13. **Moody Street Gardens Project**

To note the development of Moody Street Gardens

**CES/57/1617 Resolved to** receive the update on the works being undertaken on the refurbishment of the Moody Street Gardens.

14. **Resolution to exclude the Public and Press**

To consider passing a resolution in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, that public and press be excluded from the meeting for the matters set out below on the grounds that it could involve the likely disclosure of private and confidential information or staff matters.

**CES/58/1617 Resolved to** exclude members of the public and press from the meeting.

**15. Future use of Congleton Town Council's CCTV Vehicle**

To receive a report from the Chief Officer regarding the future use of the CCTV Vehicle.

**CES/59/1617 Resolved to** propose that the CCTV Vehicle be decommissioned.

**16. Streetscape Proposal**

To receive a proposal for improvements to an area of land on West Road.

**CES/60/1617 Resolved to** approve the proposed improvements to the area of land on West Road.

**Clr Mrs S A Holland  
(Chairman)**