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### Minutes of the **General-Purpose**

**Committee Meeting** of Albrighton Parish Council held on **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2024** in the Library, Station Road, Albrighton, Wolverhampton WV7 3QH.

**Present:** Councillors Illes, Meyrick, Pledger, Wilmot Noakes and Wild

**Clerk:** apologies received. Robinson & Harrison

There were no members of the public present at this meeting.

**A quorum was present for all decisions made.**

#### **GPC24 - 01 Welcome by the Chairman**

The Chairman of the General-Purpose Committee welcomed everyone to the meeting.

#### **GPC24 – 02**

Disclosable Pecuniary and other Interests.

No declarations were made regarding the Code of Conduct.

N/A

#### **GPC24 - 03 Minutes of previous meeting**

**Proposed DM Seconded GW Agreed 5 Abstain 1 (6)**

#### **GPC24 - 04 Code of Conduct**

Disclosable Pecuniary and other interests

No declarations were made regarding the Code of Conduct

#### **GPC24 - 05 Tracker update**

The actions from the previous meeting noted on the tracker were reviewed and those noted as completed agreed to remove. Items with ongoing updates remained and new added one ongoing concern was around grit bins (due to weather) and also street furniture due to recent claim against the council. A suggestion to invite Shropshire Council's Street Scene Officer to give advice on replacing rotten wooden bollards and other associated furniture

#### **GPC24 – 07**

##### **Coronation Garden area**

The update was given with the following points be noted

**Fruit Trees-** expected to have confirmed by the end of Jan. JO is in contact with Ross from SC re dates for collection, coordination of collection will then be required.

**Oak Memorial Tree-**, the lady who had requested if this was possible was very pleased that it had been agreed and would liaise with the office initially as to when it would be delivered for planting. **Action, office make additional contact**

**Soil** – This is arranged to be delivered early March

#### **GPC24 - 08 Parking /Traffic Concerns.**

Cllr Meyrick gave a detailed view on the parking issues around the village. He had also received feedback from Cllr Lumby regarding a meeting with a member of Marston's, there was a meeting arranged for the 22<sup>nd</sup> January where findings from here would be shared with council members. From this discussion it was agreed that a working party should be formed to bring a group together to move the topic forward. Cllr Meyrick agreed he would be the chair for this meeting and coordination TOF and an agenda. He stated he would liaise with the clerk re the first meeting and for anything he needed to do initially.

Councillor Wild arrived, offering apologies for arriving late as she was unaware that the meeting started at 6pm and not 7pm. Cllr Wild has recently joined the council. Apologies accepted.

Proposal to form a working group.  
Proposed PI Seconded SP Agreed All

#### **GPC24 – 09 Plaques**

Cllr Noakes put the suggestion forward in light of the recent claim against the council that all 'furniture' and land owned by the council should have something demonstrating this was the case ie This bench is the property of Albrighton Parish Council contact 01902- 375455

All thought this was a positive and sensible suggestion.

**Proposed PI Seconded SP Agreed All**

It was noted the benches outside the Red House and the Harp were on property of the council.

#### **GPC24 – 10 Items for the next agenda**

Councillors agreed to liaise with the Clerk regarding any future agenda items.

#### **Next Meetings**

FCM	01 February 2024 The Red House at 7pm
GP	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 Library meeting room 6pm
Planning	20 <sup>th</sup> February 2024 Library meeting room 6pm
Finance	22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2024 Library meeting room 6pm

Meeting ended 7.10pm