

STOCKSBRIDGE TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Stocksbridge Town Council, held in the Council Chamber,
Town Hall, Stocksbridge, on Thursday, 14th March 2024

PRESENT: Cllr. M Whittaker (Chair); Cllrs. R J Crowther, J Wood, J Staniforth, J A Grocutt,
K Davis, and A S Law

IN ATTENDANCE: A Clarke, G Silverwood and F Howard – Stocksbridge Community Leisure
Centre – Item 198

1 Member of the Public

Yorkshire Air Ambulance

The Chairman welcomed a representative from the Yorkshire Air Ambulance and was pleased to present a cheque for £1,000 as a donation towards their attendance at incidents in the area during the past year, thanking them for saving lives.

194. To Receive Chairman's Remarks and Apologies for Absence
Apologies for Absence were received from Cllr. S Abrahams

195. Exclusion of the Press and Public
There were no items for exclusion of the press and public.

196. Declarations of Interest
There were no Declarations of Interest.

197. Public Questions and Petitions
The Chairman welcomed a member of the public who wished to raise his concerns/complaints in respect of the development taking place on the Ingfield House site on Broomfield Road/Bocking Hill. Broomfield Road was a one-way route to Bocking Hill for residents from Broomfield Road/Broomfield Court and was being utilised by site personnel using heavy duty site plant to ferry materials to homes being built adjacent to the cottages, driving the wrong way on the one-way system, leaving behind a trail of mud and debris and churning the grass verges, making the road treacherous underfoot and residents late for appointments. Site fencing was being removed in order that materials could be moved and there was no traffic control/Banksman to ensure safety. When approached to request that the road be cleaned and more care be taken the builders had been rude. The resident was appalled at the lack of action from the Police following one visit and J Atherton, Planning Officer had not been helpful when contacted regarding planning conditions being adhered to. There was also the issue of noise disruption and delivery of materials outside site working hours.
Cllr. JAG stated that the area was beyond appalling, noting she had sent 42 emails to SCC and was very disappointed with the responses. The building company were ignoring traffic regulations and opening site fencing to deliver materials. A formal investigation was now underway.

Cllr. JAG requested that the Town Council write to the Head of Planning, the developer and Health and Safety Executive raising their serious concerns.

Cllr. RJC stated that it should not be necessary to write such letters but also that the Local Government Ombudsman should be mentioned.

Cllr. KD noted that ingress/egress had been mentioned as a concern by the Town Council at the outline planning stage of the application and suggested that a site meeting be held with all parties in order to facilitate a solution. The builders were part of the Accredited Considerate Constructors Scheme and they should be informed.

Cllr. MW thanked the member of the public for attending and stated that the Town Council would take action with emphasis on the health and safety aspects.

198. Stocksbridge Community Leisure Centre

The Chairman welcomed A Clarke, G Silverwood and F Howard to the meeting who had requested an opportunity to update members on the Centre following celebrating its 10 years being run by the 4SLC Trust and volunteers from the community.

GS gave an update on the background since taking over the Centre in 2013, the current financial situation and thanked the Town Council for their initial support and ongoing support being £160,000 over time, £20,000 annually, which was vital to the Centre as it was not self-sustaining. A well written report had appeared in Look Local charting events. Making the building fit for purpose again had taken £2.5 million in grants but now ran 1100 swimming lessons per week.

FH noted that in January 2013 SCC had stated their intention to close the Leisure Centre saying it was not sustainable and not required. Stocksbridge Town Council had been instrumental in holding a public meeting, getting groups going to fight closure and find a way forward. The community had got behind the project and worked extremely hard, protesting outside the building. A Trust had been formed following a judicial review and after months of battling took possession. Then came the mammoth task of getting the building cleaned and decorated, which had been amazing to see, a team of 300 volunteers coming together bringing cleaning materials, paint etc and getting stuck in. Radio Sheffield had been very supportive and even the House of Lords and Houses of Parliament had heard of the situation.

There was no money so a plan of action was made with the dry side opening in July 2013 for use by self sufficient groups followed by a Membership Scheme in January 2014 open to all to get a feel for running the Centre. The plan had always been to open the swimming pools so the volunteers came together again up ladders cleaning and painting, with an average age of 72, and the small pool was opened by the then Mayor, Cllr. Jack Clarkson in February 2015 followed by the main pool in April 2016 opened by Vera Grand and Bernie Clifton.

AC reported on the initial amount of work involved, being taken on by volunteers. The pools had been emptied and a structural survey highlighted that the undercroft was cracking, there were a lot of defects in general and plant that required replacing. SCC were building a new pool at Thorncliffe so all their funds were directed to that and they had requested a viable business plan within 4 weeks – which the Trust had done.

Covid hit in March 2020 just after approval for the building to be made DDA compliant with lifts/access and a new car park in so they had to go ahead with completion in September 2020, but this wiped out all reserves with the Centre only opening 10 weeks out of 54.

Rising energy and food costs are having an impact on the Centre. The Centre now has 56 staff but still has 68 volunteers saving on staffing costs and without which the Centre would not operate. They have a fantastic fundraising team; 1,000 GP referrals; People Keeping Well; Social Prescribing and Suicide Prevention Team.

GS concluded by stating that there is still enthusiasm to keep going, the Centre is far more than a building it is a community but it will make a loss next year.

Cllr. JAG stated that she attended regularly and thinks it is absolutely fantastic for the community, covering all ages and urging that they keep going.

Cllr. ASL remembered back to the petitioning and noted the support from surrounding areas.

GS noted the vast demographic and stated that following the closure of Hillsborough pool for improvement works the swimmers from there had continued to use Stocksbridge as they preferred the welcoming environment.

Cllr. JW stated that the facility was excellent and noted her daughter brings her children to use the pool from the other side of Town.

Cllr. KD concurred with all the comments and stated it was a remarkable achievement.

The Chairman thanked A Clarke, G Silverwood and F Howard for attending and the presentation, noting he was impressed with the speed of opening the Centre.

199. To Receive Remarks from the Minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 11th January 2024
 With reference to item 181, second paragraph – Litter on Stocksbridge By-pass. The Clerk referred to correspondence from Cllr. KD informing of his recent visit to McDonalds to discuss a way forward with respect to litter on the exit slip road to Deepcar from the by-pass. It had been suggested that corporate litter signage would be ideal but were informed that local councils will not allow such signage outside the footprint of the restaurant. McDonalds have kindly agreed to provide litter picking equipment for the Litter Picking Group together with high viz apparel. D Luck, SCC had undertaken to make enquires and report back to Cllr.KD.

Further correspondence had been received from D Luck informing that signage would require a planning application to Barnsley MBC. Cllr. KD had noted that he was under the impression that the slip road came under SCC and not BMBC and had requested clarification.

200. To Approve as a True and Correct Record the Minutes of the Town Council meeting held on 11th January 2024

Minutes of the Meeting of the Town Council held on 11th January 2024, copies of which had been circulated prior to the meeting were taken as read.

Proposed by Cllr. R J Crowther, seconded by Cllr. J Wood and

RESOLVED:- That the minutes be confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

201. Finances - To Receive and Approve Monthly Financial Statements

The Clerk reported that the details of the Monthly Financial Statements had been previously circulated.

Proposed by Cllr. R J Crowther, seconded by Cllr. A S Law and

RESOLVED:- That the Town Council accept details of the Monthly Financial Statements for January and February 2024 as supplied by the Clerk.

202. Yorkshire Local Councils Associations

Correspondence including:-

- White Rose Update, 19th January
- White Rose Update, 2nd February
- Law and Governance Monthly, January 2024
- White Rose Update, 16th February
- White Rose Update, 1st March
- Law and Governance Bulletin – 6th March

- Duty to Prevent Sexual Harassment
 - LTN87 Procurement – revised January 2024
- Copies previously circulated.

203. SY Mayoral Combined Authority

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from SYMCA inviting members to participate in a virtual event, hosted by the Urban Transport Group, to join SY Mayor Oliver Coppard in a lunchtime conversation regarding his vision for a fully integrated, affordable and reliable transport network in South Yorkshire. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from SYMCA listing responses to some comments raised at the last STUG meeting on 4th January 2024.

The Clerk reported that she had received further correspondence from SYMCA regarding bus service changes effective from 7th April, with a public engagement consultation taking place from 5th February to 15th February. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

204. Thurgoland Community Choir

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from Thurgoland Community Choir informing of their forthcoming initiative “Singing for Well-being”, aimed at those dealing with lung Covid, respiratory issues, mental health concerns or seeking social connections.

205. Yorkshire Air Ambulance

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from the Yorkshire Air Ambulance passing on their sincere thanks to the Town Council for their recent donation. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

206. Sheffield City Council’s Bereavement Service

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from Sheffield City Council’s Bereavement Service advising that they are devising a new strategy and inviting participation by the public in a survey which will run until 10th March 2024. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

207. Upper Don Trail Trust

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from the Upper Don Trail Trust informing of a public meeting and AGM to be held on 20th February 2024 at 7pm at Oughtibridge Parish Centre. Also, a copy of the Upper Don Trail Trust Annual Trustees Report 2023. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

208. Clerks & Councils Direct

The Clerk reported that she had received a copy of Clerks & Councils Direct, Issue 152, March 2024.

209. Residents Correspondence

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from a local resident commenting on the recently unveiled Dragon of Wantley head and suggesting that it may be appropriate to have

a historic piece of stonework installed within the Town incorporating the industrial heritage of Stocksbridge.

210. Bus Service Changes

The Clerk reported that she had received correspondence from SYMCA informing of bus service changes effective from 6th April 2024. Copies of this correspondence had been previously circulated to members.

211. Clerks Reports

Nothing to report.

212. To Receive Verbal Reports from Members'

a) Cllr. JS reported that he was hopeful that the swings would be installed at Smithy Moor playground within the next week or two.

Cllr. JS had attended the Saturday morning sessions at SCLC which were still well attended. He had been approached by a resident regarding the plaques at the Centre, some of which had not been replaced after the building works.

b) Cllr. JAG reported that she had attended the Community Action Group with Police, Housing and Social Services; People Keeping Well; Stocksbridge Community Forum; site visit to the Medical Centre regarding flooding issues; Oxley Park had received planning permission for the All Wheels track; St Ann's 50 Year Celebration event; Friends of Fox Glen; new TARA Toddler Group held at the Christian Centre; Patients Practice meeting at Valley Medical Centre.

Cllr. JAG noted she was still working on getting improved Broadband in Bolsterstone and improvements to the Clock Tower steps and Nanny Hill had finally been resurfaced.

Cllr. JAG had attended meetings with Royd NI School regarding traffic congestion issues resulting from the Hollin Busk/Carr Road development.

Cllr. JAG informed that the Towns Fund had agreed concession fares for a Hopper Bus and could now go out to tender.

c) Cllr. KD advised that he had received litter pickers from McDonalds but no vests and was still trying to pin down responsibility for the slip road from the by-pass. The Clerk undertook to see what equipment the Town Council may still have. Cllr. RJC informed that the slip road was the responsibility of SCC.

Cllr. KD reported his concerns regarding a statement made by Cllr. S Abrahams at a recent Stocksbridge Community Forum meeting.

d) Cllr. JW advised that she had attended the second meeting of the Stocksbridge Community Forum.

Cllr. JW noted that it was Spring Clean month and enquired if the Town Council were involved.

Cllr. KD informed that Helen Jones, Stocksbridge Litter Pickers was organising a litter pick and would let the Town Council know when this was.

e) Cllr. ASL reported that he had attended the St Ann's 50th Anniversary event and TARA AGM, which continued to do well and had had a successful year.

Cllr. ASL noted TARA required an Auditor for their books if members knew of anyone.

Cllr. RJC noted he would pass on details of the Auditor used by GVCA.

f) Cllr. RJC stated it was good to hear that TARA was doing well following a lot of hard work from Beryl.

Cllr. RJC reported that he had attended two Garden Village Community Association meetings.

213. To Receive a Verbal Report from the Mayor

The Mayor, Cllr. M Whittaker reported that he had attended the following events since the last meeting:-

22nd January – Lunchtime conversation with SY Mayor Oliver Coppard regarding a reliable transport network in South Yorkshire

24th January – meeting with a representative from MacDonalDs, together with Cllr. KD and the lead co-ordinator of the Stocksbridge Litter Pickers group regarding litter on the by-pass slip road into Deepcar

The Chairman wished to thank Cllr. KD for his initiative and persistence with the ongoing issue of litter on the by-pass.

Behold Ye Ramblers play – the proceeds of which went to the Stocksbridge Food Bank
Stocksbridge Community Forum meetings

Walkers are Welcome which needed some publicity to gain new members

Upper Don Trail AGM which had been well presented

7th March – 50th Anniversary celebration at St Anns RC School

214. To Consider Planning Applications and receive the Decisions of the Sheffield Planning and Highways Committee

23/03999/FUL	Land to rear of 21 Broomfield Lane, Stocksbridge	Erection of a dwellinghouse with associated parking.
24/00127/FUL	Edgecliffe Farm, Don Hill Height, Stocksbridge	Erection of two-storey extension to front of dwellinghouse including formation of Juliet balcony to side.
24/00191/FUL	28 Hollin Busk Road, Stocksbridge	Erection of single-storey rear extension to dwellinghouse.
24/00120/OUT	Land at junction with Carr Road/ Hollin Busk Lane, Deepcar	Outline application for up to 85 residential dwellings including open space (Amended Description) (Application under Section 73 to vary condition no(s) 7 (levels), 8 (landscape and ecological management plan), 9 (Arboriculture Method Statement), 10 (Site investigation and remediation), 11 (WSI), 12 (Surface Water Drainage), 13 (Energy Report), 14 (CEMP), 15 (Construction Method Statement), 16 (Phase II Intrusive SI), 17 (Remediation), 18 (Species rich grassland), 19 (Employment and Development Plan), 20 (Broadband), 21 (Open Space inc. phasing), 22 (EV Charging Scheme), 23 (S278 works), 24 (Details of S278 works), 25 (Dry Stone Walling), 26 (Validation Report), 27 (Travel Plan), and 28 (Hard and soft landscape); as imposed by planning permission 17/04673/OUT).
24/00225/FUL	43 St Matthias Road, Deepcar	Erection of single-storey front extension to dwellinghouse.

24/00256/LD2	Edgecliffe Farm Don Hill Height, Stocksbridge	Application for Lawful Development Certificate for the erection of a kennel (Application under Section 192).
24/00148/FUL	586 & 588 Manchester Road, Stocksbridge	Demolition of existing shop building and erection of 1x dwellinghouse with garden area and parking provision.
24/00258/LD2	109 Smithy Moor Avenue, Stocksbridge	Application for Lawful Development Certificate for alterations to roof to create additional living accommodation including rear dormer (Application under Section 192).
24/00382/FUL	13 Webb Avenue, Deepcar	Two-storey side extension, demolition of rear conservatory, front porch and extension to garage with new gabled roof to dwellinghouse.
23/04014/FUL	Former farm building opposite Whitwell Farm Cottage, Whitwell Lane, Stocksbridge	Change of use to part of barn as 1x dwellinghouse.
24/00505/ARPN	New Hall Farm, New Hall Lane, Stocksbridge	Alterations and conversion of 3no. agricultural buildings to create 5no. dwellings (use Class C3) with associated works and parking.
24/00525/FUL	3 Whitwell Cottages, Whitwell Lane, Stocksbridge	Erection of rear raised terrace area to dwellinghouse.
24/00676/OUT	Curtilage of 31 Sheldon Road, Stocksbridge	Outline application (appearance, landscaping and scale reserved) for erection of dwellinghouse.
24/00751/FUL	57 Newton Avenue, Stocksbridge	Demolition of conservatory and erection of two-storey side and rear extension and single-storey rear extension to dwellinghouse (resubmission of 23/02311/FUL).

Proposed by Cllr. J A Grocutt, seconded by Cllr. J Staniforth and

RESOLVED:- That the Town Council instruct the Clerk to write to Planning Department with respect to the undermentioned planning application expressing Councillors concerns regarding access/egress on a dangerous bend onto Manchester Road; sight lines; wagons moving earth to cut into land; where will workers park their vehicles; water run-off concerns and impact on Midge Hall, also noting that the South Yorkshire Bat Protection Group have objected.

24/00357/OUT	Land between Manchester Road And The Rookery and Rookery Vale, Manchester Road, Deepcar	Outline application for the erection of up to 22no. dwellings (use Class C3) with means of access from Manchester Road (all matters reserved)
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Members noted that no lessons appeared to be being learned from the issues being caused by other developments taking place in the area in respect of water run-off and wildlife protection.

Planning Applications - Decisions

The undermentioned planning applications have been Granted Conditionally:-

23/02823/FUL	15 Bocking Hill, Stocksbridge	Erection of a two-storey side extension to dwellinghouse.
23/02638/FUL	42 Smithy Moor Avenue, Stocksbridge	Alterations to roof to form additional living accommodation to include hip to gable roof and erection of rear dormer extension with juliette balcony, demolition of existing rear off-shot and erection of single-storey rear extension, part excavation of front garden and formation of retaining walls to provide off-street parking for 2no. cars (AMENDED DESCRIPTION on 06.02.2024).
23/02807/FUL	177 Woolley Road, Stocksbridge	Demolition of detached garage, erection of two-storey side extension including integral garage, single-storey front porch and single-storey rear extension to dwellinghouse (resubmission of planning application 23/01725/FUL).
24/00191/FUL	28 Hollin Busk Road, Stocksbridge	Erection of single-storey rear extension to dwellinghouse.
23/03953/RG3	Oxley Park Moorland Drive, Stocksbridge	Replacement of skatepark with a new concrete skatepark, landscaping, signage and other associated works (Application under Regulation 3 – 1992).
24/00113/NMA	Land at junction with Carr Road Hollin Busk Lane, Deepcar	Application to amend the wording of the Affordable Housing Statement (relating to planning approval 22/01978/REM).
24/00225/FUL	43 St Matthias Road, Deepcar	Erection of single-storey front extension to dwellinghouse.
The undermentioned planning application has been given Condition Application Decided:-		
17/04673/COND9	Land at junction with Carr Road Hollin Busk Lane, Deepcar	Application to approve details in relation to condition numbers: 23 & 24 (Highway Improvements) relating to planning permission 17/04673/OUT.
The undermentioned planning applications have been Withdrawn:-		
23/03281/FUL	7 St Hilda Close, Deepcar	Erection of first-floor side extension above attached garage to dwellinghouse.

23/03350/OUT 49 Pot House Lane, Stocksbridge Outline application (all matters reserved expect for access) for demolition of dwellinghouse and erection of up to 75 en-suite bed care home and 30 self-contained assisted living units (Use Class C2) with vehicular access from Linden Avenue and associated parking.

The undermentioned planning applications have been Refused:-

23/03934/LBC More Hall, More Hall Lane Ewden Alterations and conversion of dwellinghouse (Use Class C3) into three separate apartments (Use Class C3) with associated access and parking.

23/03933/FUL More Hall, More Hall Lane, Ewden Alterations and conversion of dwellinghouse (Use Class C3) into three separate apartments (Use Class C3) with associated access and parking.

23/03750/FUL 30 St Matthias Road, Deepcar Demolition of attached garage and erection of a two storey side extension to dwellinghouse.

The undermentioned planning application has been given Grant Conditionally Prior Notification:-

23/03541/CBSPN Valley DIY and Building Supplies, Hope Street, Stocksbridge Change of use of first-floor level of a commercial unit (Use Class E) to form 1no. residential apartment (use Class C3) (Amended description).

215. Recreation and Environment Committee Members discussed Minutes of the Meeting of the Recreation and Environment Committee of the Town Council, held on 30th January 2024, copies of which had been previously circulated.
Proposed by Cllr. J Staniforth, seconded by Cllr. K Davis and
RESOLVED:- That the minutes of the Recreation and Environment Committee be accepted.
216. Finance Committee Members discussed Minutes of the Meeting of the Finance Committee of the Town Council, held on 30th January 2024, copies of which had been previously circulated.
Proposed by Cllr. J Staniforth, seconded by Cllr. K Davis and
RESOLVED:- That the minutes of the Finance Committee be accepted.
217. Recreation and Environment Committee Members discussed Minutes of the Meeting of the Recreation and Environment Committee of the Town Council, held on 5th March 2024, copies of which had been previously circulated.
Proposed by Cllr. J A Grocutt, seconded by Cllr. K Davis and
RESOLVED:- That the minutes of the Recreation and Environment Committee be accepted.
218. Finance Committee Members discussed Minutes of the Meeting of the Finance Committee of the Town Council, held on 5th March 2024, copies of which had been previously circulated.
Proposed by Cllr. J A Grocutt, seconded by Cllr. R J Crowther and

RESOLVED:- That the minutes of the Finance Committee be accepted.

(ii) That the Town Council accept the risk assessment forms, system of internal audit forms and financial regulations as supplied by the Clerk and noted that the Town Council have sufficient controls in place to accommodate the potential hazards faced by the Town Council.

(iii) That the Town Council adopt the policy regarding Lone Working in the Workplace as tabled by the Clerk, with immediate effect.

(iv) That the Town Council adopt the latest version of the Grievance and Disciplinary Policies as advised by NALC, with immediate effect.

219. Grant Application – Stocksbridge Food Bank

Members considered a grant application from Stocksbridge Food Bank requesting funding assistance towards the purchase of a modern on-line till and accounts system.

Proposed by Cllr. R J Crowther, seconded by Cllr. J A Grocutt and

RESOLVED:- That a grant of £1,000 be awarded to Stocksbridge Food Bank towards the purchase of a modern on-line till and accounts system.

220. Annual Citizens Award

Members further considered nominations for the Annual Citizens Award. Nominations were received for:-

- Friends of Fox Glen for ongoing work at Fox Glen playground creating refurbished recreational facilities for local children
- Dan Cunningham for his ongoing community preservation work, including reconstruction of the Dragon of Wantley head
- Margaret Moss for supporting community organisations such as The Venue, The Bridge Community Shop, SCLC, Stocksbridge Bowling Club and Stocksbridge in Bloom
- Diane Fortescue for her ongoing community work, particularly with regard to Stocksbridge Community Care Group, Stocksbridge Food Bank and SCLC
- Volunteers from Steel Valley Project for works undertaken within the community to improve the local area

Proposed by Cllr. K Davis, seconded by Cllr. J A Grocutt and

RESOLVED:- That the Annual Citizens Award for 2024 be awarded to:-

(i) Friends of Fox Glen, Dan Cunningham, Margaret Moss, Diane Fortescue and Steel Valley Project volunteers

(ii) That each recipient/group be presented with a certificate and cheque to the value of £50 for individual awards and £100 for group awards at the Town Council's Annual Assembly on 14th May 2024

221. Accounts for Authorisation

Proposed by Cllr. J A Grocutt, seconded by Cllr. A S Law and

RESOLVED:- (i) That payments be authorised in settlement of the undermentioned accounts:-

			<u>Made Under Power</u>
Salaries/Tax/NI/Pensions	March 2024	£3923.32	LGA72(S111)
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Monthly water monitoring	£ 10.30	LGA72(Sch14P9)
T Bisatt	Reimbursement – toilet roll	£ 100.13	“
	Dispensers		
Viking	Stationery/postage	£ 51.56	LGA72(S111)
YLCA	Biodiversity Webinar	£ 33.40	“
Zurich Municipal	Insurance 2024/2025	£ 576.33	“
St Ann's Friends and Family	Grant Aid	£ 790.00	LGA76(S19)

SB Christian Centre Lunch Club Transport Grant £ 300.00 “
(ii) That payments be authorised in settlement of the undermentioned accounts in respect of The ARC:-

		<u>Made Under Power</u>	
NRC Services Ltd	Cleaning charges	£ 726.01	LGA72(S111)
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Lighting repairs – Council Chamber	£ 250.00	“
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Monthly water monitoring	£ 20.60	“
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Boiler room door and Accessories	£ 766.00	“
Firths Window Cleaning Services	Window cleaning x 4 mnth	£ 240.00	“
IPM Group Ltd	Security call out	£ 54.00	“
Micro Alarms Ltd	Call outs/repairs	£ 182.40	“
Micro Alarms Ltd	Supply of alarm tags	£ 37.88	“
Copymark (Service) Ltd	Photocopier charges	£ 23.99	“
Zurich Municipal	Insurance 2024/2025	£1906.71	“
Sheffield City Council	Business Rates Room 10	£ 339.74	“
Ashton Alarms Ltd	Maintenance Contract - CCTV	£ 144.00	“

(iii) That authority be given for Direct Debits paid in settlement of the undermentioned accounts:-

February 2024:-

British Gas Lite	Electricity charges – Xmas Tree (precinct)	£ 30.27	LGA72(S111)
SG Equipment Finance	Photocopier lease	£ 194.40	“
British Telecommunications plc	EMCS Line	£ 43.16	“
British Telecommunications plc	Phone charges	£ 146.06	“
SSE	Electricity charges – ARC	£1447.42	“
Moorepay	Payroll charges	£ 98.92	“
Intuit Ltd – Quickbooks	VAT software subscription	£ 16.80	“
Veolia	Waste removal charges	£ 108.80	“

(iv) That approval be given for payments authorised in settlement of the undermentioned accounts, via email, due to cancellation of the 8th February 2024 Town Council meeting due to heavy snowfall:-

		<u>Made Under Power</u>	
Salaries/Tax/NI/Pensions	February 2024	£3923.32	LGA72(S111)
Garden Village Community Assn	Grant Aid	£1000.00	LGA76(S19)
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Monthly Water monitoring	£ 10.30	LGA72(Sch14P9)
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Burst pipes repairs - Bolsterstone toilets	£ 456.00	“
T Bisatt -reimbursement	Website/domain hosting - Elite Services	£ 167.88	LGA72(S111)
Viking	Stationery/postage	£ 55.28	“
Yorkshire Air Ambulance	Donation	£1000.00	LGA76(S19)
MJRCC Ltd	Computer Services – Jan and Feb	£ 62.40	LGA72(S111)

(v) That approval be given for payments authorised in settlement of the undermentioned accounts, via email, in respect of The ARC, due to cancellation of the 8th February 2024 Town Council meeting due to heavy snowfall:-

		<u>Made Under Power</u>	
Crofton Carpets	Carpeting Room 9	£ 460.00	LGA72(S111)
NRC Services Ltd	Cleaning charges	£ 781.80	“
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Lighting repairs	£ 40.00	“
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Monthly water monitoring	£ 20.60	“
Facility Maintenance Solutions Ltd	Decorating charges - Room 9	£ 300.00	“

(vi) That approval be given for Direct Debits paid in settlement of the undermentioned accounts, via email, due to cancellation of the 8th February 2024 Town Council meeting due to heavy snowfall:-

January 2024:-

Sheffield City Council	Business Rates-Toilets	£ 57.00	LGA72(S111)
Sheffield City Council	Business Rates-ARC	£ 550.00	“
Sheffield City Council	Business Rates-History Soc	£ 42.00	“
Business Stream	Water charges – ARC	£ 328.24	“
Public Works Loan Board	Loan Repayment	£3379.37	“
Moorepay	Payroll charges	£ 98.92	“
Intuit Ltd – Quickbooks	VAT software subscription	£ 16.80	“
Veolia	Waste removal charges	£ 125.20	“

Chairman