CREWKERNE TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a CREWKERNE TOWN COUNCIL meeting held remotely on Monday 10 August 2020 at 7.05 p.m.

PRESENT

Cllrs. K. Head (Chairman), M. Best, R. Cottle, B. Hodgson, R. Pailthorpe, J. Roberts, A. Stuart and D. Wakeman.

In Attendance

The Deputy Clerk L. Gowers, 1 member of the press and 2 members of the public.

76 **TO NOTE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

20/21

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs. C. Aslett (personal), B. Hartshorn (personal) and J. Roundell Greene (personal).

OPEN FORUM 77

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No-one wished to speak.

78 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

20/21 on items on the agenda

None.

MTIG FUNDING PRIORITIES

79 20/21 The working group to provide a report on recommended MTIG and Community Grant funding priorities

Cllr. Wakeman confirmed that the working group was still processing the projects and funding available and would bring a cohesive report back to Full Council.

BARN STREET COMMUNITY ORCHARD PROPOSAL: RESIDENTS FEEDBACK 80 20/21

Cllr. Head spoke at the beginning of the Planning and Highways meeting held immediately prior to this meeting, to inform members of the public that this item would be deferred as the public consultation would not end until 31 August. Cllr. Head also suggested a meeting at Barn Street recreation ground, with some key objectors and supporters of the project and recommended that this item was brought to September Full Council meeting.

GEORGE REYNOLDS CENTRE 81

20/21 To consider the quotation received to construct a pathway to the rear entrance of the GRC and to construct a hardstanding area on Henhayes adjacent to the car park gate

Given the short time frame in which this work was required to be completed, it was AGREED on this occasion to waive the requirement of the Financial Regulations for two quotations. It was further AGREED to approve A. Pike Construction to

undertake the construction of a rear pathway to the GRC together with a hardstanding area, in accordance with the quotation received and at the quoted cost of £3,340 (+ VAT).
Signed: Dated:

It was AGREED that in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted it was advisable that the public and press be excluded and were instructed to withdraw.

<u>CONFIDENTIAL SESSION – STAFFING MATTERS</u>

82 TO UPDATE THE COUNCIL ON A STAFFING MATTER

20/21 To receive a briefing regarding the employment situation of the Cemetery Superintendent and to approve the recommended actions to be taken

The Deputy Clerk briefed Councillors on the current employment situation with the Cemetery Superintendent and it was **AGREED to approve the recommendations of the Staffing Committee regarding this matter**.

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The meeting closed at 7.21 p.m.