

KIRTON IN LINDSEY TOWN COUNCIL PROMOTING KIRTON COMMITTEE MINUTES



Minutes of the Meeting of Kirton in Lindsey Town Council Promoting Kirton Committee on Monday 12th February 2018 held at the Heritage Room, Town Hall, High Street, Kirton in Lindsey at 6.30pm.

Members Present: Cllr Pat Frankish (Chair), Cllr Kathy Cooper, Cllr Maggie Davies, and Cllr David Garritt.

Also present: Alison Birkett, Olive Ovington, Martin Hollingsworth, Paddy McNickle, Jim Bray and Jack Startin.
Assistant Clerk: Neil Taylor-Matson

Public Participation:

Paddy McNickle, of No 1 Air Control Centre addressed the Committee about plans for exercising their right under the honour of holding the Keys to the Town to hold a parade through Kirton in Lindsey in either April or May 2018. Planning is at an early stage and mutual discussion over the best courses of action was welcomed.

Jim Bray addressed the Committee with recommendations over improvements to the Christmas Festival and specifically the issue of noise created by the use of petrol generators at the event. Alternative methods of providing power within the Market Place were discussed. Mr Bray also commented that the planning and staging of the Christmas Festival should be carried out by residents setting up a community group and not by the Town Council. The difficulties experienced in generating interest from the community to do this were explained by the Committee, and community organisation of the event with the support of the Town Council was welcomed.

Cllr Pat Frankish opened the meeting as Chair.

MINUTES

PK1802/01 Apologies for Absence
No apologies were received.

PK1802/02 Declaration of Interests / Dispensations
There were no Declarations of Interests reported and no dispensations sought/granted.

PK1802/03 Minutes of the Previous Meeting
The Committee considered the Minutes of the promoting Kirton Committee Meeting held on 13th November, 2017
RESOLUTION: That the Minutes be signed as a true and accurate record.

PK1802/04 Summer Gala
The Committee discussed the 2017 Summer Gala and plans for this year's event.
RESOLUTION: That the theme for the 2018 Gala will be 'purple and green' to celebrate the 100th anniversary of women being granted the vote.
RESOLUTION: That the Town Hall draw will be conducted during the Gala.
RESOLUTION: That early promotion of the date and approach to local businesses and groups is made to prepare for the event.

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

PK1802/05 Christmas Festival
The Committee discussed the 2017 Christmas Festival and plans for this year's event.
RESOLUTION: That following consultation with the Church, the date be confirmed as Sunday 25th November 2018.
RESOLUTION: That the Christmas Festival will be traditionally held on the last Sunday of November going forward.
RESOLUTION: That outdoor stalls provided by North Lincolnshire Council be arranged as soon as possible.

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: That fairground ride providers be considered along with smaller rides.

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

Signed:

Dated:

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RESOLUTION: *That electric supplies for within the Market Place be explored with local businesses approached for support during the event.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That the Christmas lighting in the Market Place be enhanced with the addition of a Merry Christmas motif on the Town Hall.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

PK1802/06

In Bloom

Cllr Frankish, Cllr Cooper and Cllr Davies declared a personal interest in 1802/06 (a).

a. The Committee considered the transfer of funds to the In Bloom group bank account.

RESOLUTION: *Due the declaration of interests, the Committee was not quorate for a decision and so this was deferred to the February Full Council Meeting.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

b. The Committee considered any actions required for the Keep Britain Tidy Great British Spring Clean on March 2-4th 2018.

RESOLUTION: *That the In Bloom group already have plans for this event.*

c. The Committee considered any planning or actions required.

RESOLUTION: *That Councillors are approached to collect planters from Hewston House in Brigg and consider the requirement to paint the planters.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That the grounds maintenance contractor is approached to populate replacement planters within the Market Place.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

PK1802/07

No 1 Air Control Centre – RAF Parade

The Committee received details of the planned parade and considered any actions required for the event.

RESOLUTION: *That the Neighbourhood Action Team are approached about permissions for the parade to carry unarmed weapons.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That the Town Hall are approached for availability to hold a reception following the parade.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That the item is taken to the next full meeting of the Town Council to consider the payment of costs for the reception.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That the suitable dates for the parade would be Wednesday 16th May or Friday 18th May.*

RESOLUTION: *That when the date of the parade is confirmed, promotion of the event takes place and this is to include to the schools within the town.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk/Cllr Garritt

PK1802/08

Eagles Squadron

The Committee considered actions required following the receipt of the ceremonial flag in September 2017.

RESOLUTION: *That approval was received from the Kirton in Lindsey Society to place the flag on permanent display in the Town Hall Heritage Room in a suitable cabinet.*

RESOLUTION: *That Cllr Andrew Kofoed is approached to make a suitable cabinet.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

RESOLUTION: *That Eagles Squadron are contacted for details to include with the display about the significance of the folds of the ceremonial flag.*

ACTION: Assistant Clerk

PK1802/09

Agenda for next and future meeting

No agenda items were requested.

PK1802/10

Date of next Meeting

The date and time of the next Promoting Kirton Committee Meeting (subject to any changes of circumstances) was agreed for Monday 12th March at 6:30pm.

The meeting closed at 7.05pm

Signed:

Dated: