

**Minutes the meeting of Silsden Town Council, in the council chamber, Silsden Town Hall on THURSDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> august 2006**

Comm 7.30pm

Conc:9.03pm

Present: Cllrs Brown, Trainor, Naylor, Bottomley, Garrett, Phillips, Edwards, Savage & Atkinson

**Cllr Trainor in the chair**

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE were received and accepted from Cllrs Walton, Elsmore, Coward and Ward Cllrs Kelly and Mallinson.
2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST IN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA. Cllr Garrett declared an interest in item 10[4]. Council agreed on him being present at the discussion but no vote given on the item.
3. CRAVEN TASKING GROUP UPDATE Council informed that police had done a awareness day in Silsden on the 2/8/06. Cllr Savage requested that a letter be sent the Home Office and Anne Cryer asking when Silsden is to receive proper policing and the application of the tough on crime approach the government advocates. Council resolved to send such a letter.
4. MINUTES – That the minutes of Silsden Town Council held on Thursday 6th July 2006 (circulated) were signed as a true and accurate record after proposal by KS and seconded by AN with all in favour.
5. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING Item 8 Cllr Edwards informed council he had been invited to the latest MUGA meeting and now sits on the management committee.
6. BRADFORD COUNCIL –Resolved to request that the TPO'd Ash Tree situated off the four fold mouldings site, if dead, be replaced as soon as possible with a mature tree. Council also resolved a similar letter also be sent regarding the loss of the mature Oak Trees at the Bankland's site  
KEIGHLEY AREA COMMITTEE –.Aire View lighting is now on the list.
7. ITEMS FROM Cllrs :-
  - a.Resolved to ask the question of BMDC as to whether the land known as the lorry park near Sykes lane as been sold.
  - b.Resolved to raise concerns regarding the number of vehicles operating as part of the Taxi Company, Bradley Rd and to ask BMDC whether this exceeds planning consent.
  - c.Resolved in light of BW possible closure that this council ask WYP to match fund with BMDC to supply Silsden with CCTV and to liaise with Ward Cllr Mallinson on this matter.
8. CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED NOT ELSEWHERE ON THE AGENDA
  1. BMDC Training programme placed on the notice board.
  2. No councillors took up the Scarborough conference.
9. ADJOURNMENT – PUBLIC ENQUIRIES. Granted to Mr K Norris.
10. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
  1. Agreed payments as per Budget sheet enclosed.
  2. Resolved to make a payment of 800.00 pounds for a housing needs survey for Silsden.
  3. Resolved to make a donation to Silsden Park Rangers of 400.00 pounds.
  4. Considered a request for a donation for Silsden Town Band resolved to seek more information and clarification of amount of funding required.
11. PLANNING-

06/05277/pn	Bank End Fm, Bank lane	Agri Storage Building
06/04839/ful	14 Low House Drive	2 s extension
06/05499/ful	1 Airedale Mews	Conservatory

Council raised no objections but queried whether application 1 is within Greenbelt land and if so whether appropriate development.

12. REPORTS – To note WRITTEN reports of the following:

**Road safety** –none received **YLCA** – None received. **Christmas lights-** None received **Silsden Environmental Group**, - none received. **Keighley Anti Crime Partnership**-None received. **Business Watch**- None received **Youth Council**-Minutes and agenda's can now be viewed on [www.silsden.net](http://www.silsden.net)

13. MAYOR'S REPORT – the deputy Mayor gave an account of the successful evening had during 'proms on the farm' and offered her congratulations to the compare and the organisers of the event.

14.AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING.

CA – to ask BMDC to pull down the banking at the edge of the Green on Bradley Road.

AN - reminder given to Cllrs of the Silsden and Steeton working group meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup> August.

15.Confirmed the date of the next main meeting as 7<sup>th</sup> September 2006..

*Being no further business the chair closed the meeting at 9.03pm*

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*Signed*

Chair

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