

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, SILSDEN TOWN HALL ON THURSDAY 5th JULY 2007**

Present: Cllrs Coward, Brown, Maddocks, Edwards, Naylor, Trainor, Atkinson, Phillips & Savage Public [3], Press [1], PCSO
Walton, Ward Cllrs Mallinson & Kelly

Commenced 7.40pm

Concluded 9.30pm

CLLR TRAINOR IN THE CHAIR.

1. APOLOGIES received and accepted from Cllrs Elsmore and Bottomley
2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST - None
3. WEST CRAVEN TASKING – LT updated the council of the latest tasking group noting usual complaints about youths on bikes – parents have been contacted regarding certain youths unacceptable behaviour. Council requested that a letter be sent to Sir Norman Bettison to attend a council meeting to discuss Neighbourhood policing teams for Silsden.
4. MINUTES – That the minutes of the meeting of Silsden Town Council held on 7th June 2007 were signed as a true and accurate record.
5. ADJOURNMENT – None
6. TRAINING – Seminar for newly elected councillors local one Monday 30th July Addingham Old School- Cllrs Brown and Maddocks to attend.
7. YLCA – Notification of joint training conference, Scarborough 28th-30th September - noted
8. Resolved that this council invite officers of BMDC, and governors of both schools to be advised on School Meals provision on this area.
9. Resolved that a request for resurfacing of Hillcrest Ave/Spencer Ave be sent to BMDC in light of them having undertaken to line the roads.
10. Resolved to authorise the project to replace the two benches [corner of Elliot St and at the entrance to the reservoir] to go ahead at a cost to the council of 1192.72 pounds inc vat.
11. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
 1. Agreed payments as below:

Mrs I Corcoran	666	567.45
Mrs C Coleman	667	54.77
Inland revenue	668	95.30
Colin Read	669	122.20
Campion Graphics	670	608.00
BMDC	671	23.57
YRCC	672	35.00
L Corcoran	673	34.00
YLCA	674	58.76

2. Agreed and signed annual stmt of accounts.
3. Agreed and signed annual governance stmt for external auditors.
4. To consider a donation request from Silsden.net for software to run online polls – 500 pounds Council requested more information before being able to give a decision clerk to deal
5. Agreed a donation towards expenses for Proms on the Farm of 250 pounds on the proviso that the event goes ahead.

12. PLANNING.

07/03534/ful Old Corn Mill, Keighley Rd, Demo of existing and replacement –*No objections if assured that the original Cornmill House remains as it is.*

07/03536/ful New Close Mills Construction of 3 additional houses – *object on the lines of overdevelopment, unable to ascertain from the plans by suspect issue of overlooking, again in able to ascertain from the plans sent but question whether adequate parking provision. Would also object on the grounds of surface water run off into the beck as it cannot cope and would like to see sight of Yorkshire stating that the drains will be able to cope with addition as this council has been told that section of the system is a capacity now.*

07/03769/ful 11 Hunters Meadow Conservatory to the rear –*No Objections*

07/04664/ful 17 Howden Rd SS extension – *No Objections*

07/04348/ful 18 Dradishaw Rd Extension to roof – *ok subject to being in keeping but there is insufficient details on plan to make an informed decision.*

07/04655/ful 3 Don Court Replacement Conservatory –*No Objections*

07/04666/cou 74 Keighley Rd Opticians to Tattoo studio – *No Objections but conditions of planning must ensure no parking outside what so ever, No back illuminated signs and frontage to be in keeping with the conservation remit.*

07/04916/ful St John's Close Screen fence southern boundary – *No Objections*

07/04528/ful 8 Throstle Nest Rd FF extension – *Objections as over bearing, out of character with area, proximity to windows of inhabitable rooms of the bungalow adjacent.*

07/04561/ful 16 North Street Conservatory to rear – *No Objections.*

13. REPORTS – None received

14. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

- Bollards Elliot St – KS
- 20 mph discussion – AE
- TH refurbishment – AN

15. TO CONFIRM THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING as 2nd August 2007

Being no further business the chair closed the meeting at 9.30pm.

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Signed as true
Chair 2/8/07