

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL  
HELD ON Thursday 7th July 2016**

Commenced 7.30pm

Concluded 8.34pm

Present Cllrs Atkinson, Croft, Whitaker, Walton, O'Dwyer, Robinson and Naylor. Police [1] Public [11]

**Cllr Robinson in the chair**

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – received and accepted from Cllrs A Conway, K Conway, Huggins, Cook and Savage
2. DECLARATION OF INTEREST ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA – None made
3. POLICE report received. Cllrs questioned why violent crime suddenly appeared on the list and wished to know what that defined. PSCO Turnbull to explain at the next meeting
4. The minutes of the meeting of Silsden Town Council held on 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2016 were signed.
5. ADJOURNMENT – 4 taken, with Cllr Robinson to get some information for the group regarding public footpaths
6. ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Agreed to pay the following:

Mrs L Corcoran	Salary	1472	706.33
K Boocock	Salary	1473	84.66
IR	Tax and NI	1474	34.65
N Varnam	lengthman July	1475	866.66

7. PLANNING: deferred until the planning meeting as Bradford Planning portal had crashed and updates and documents were not available
8. REPORTS:  
MO updated the council on his findings so far into drainage and sewerage issues for Silsden in general.  
RW gave an update on progress made towards the Grand de Party July festival and feedback from a recent YLCA meeting.  
AN gave an update from the recent Parish Liaison meeting and informed the council that the planning protocol has gone back again to Bradford for issues to be addressed.  
CA requested that a letter of thanks go to Peter Cotton for the work they do on cleansing and the good working relationship they have with our lengthsmen.
9. To confirm the date of the next main meeting will be September the 8<sup>th</sup>.

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Chair 8/9/16