

## **CLITHEROE TOWN COUNCIL**

**Minutes of the General Purposes Committee held on Monday 14 February 2022  
In the Council Chamber, Clitheroe Town Hall**

**PRESENT:- The Town Mayor, Councillor Simon O'Rourke, in the Chair  
The Deputy Town Mayor, Councillor Jenni Schumann  
Councillors Ian Brown, Kerry Fletcher, Stewart Fletcher, Mary Robinson,  
Donna O'Rourke, Town Clerk**

### **01.22 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

**Apologies for absence, together with reasons, had been received from  
Councillors Mark French, Gaynor Hibbert and Jonathan Hill.**

### **02.22 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**There was no public participation.**

### **03.23 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

**There were no declarations of interest.**

### **04.22 MINUTES**

**The Minutes of the General Purposes Committee meeting held on 27 September 2021  
were approved and signed.**

### **05.22 MAYORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

**Details were provided of events attended by the Town Mayor and Mayoress since the last  
Council meeting on 10 January 2022.**

### **05.22 PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

**Consideration was given to planning applications received for weeks ended 21 & 28  
January 2022 and 04 & 11 February 2022.**

### **RESOLVED:**

- (1) That no objections be raised to the following applications:-  
3/2021/1220, 1287, 3/2022/ 0056, 0058 & 0124**
- (2) That RVBC be advised that the Town Council has no objections to application  
3/2022/0034 provided all requirements specified in the refusal of 3/2021/0940  
have been adhered to in the resubmission.**

**06.22 ALLOTMENT ACCOUNTS 2020/21**

The Town Clerk advised that the allotment accounts for the year had been drawn up and all was in order.

It was further reported that the remaining late payers of the 2021/22 allotment rents were being contacted and threatened with eviction if payment was not received by a specified date. It was noted that the original demands for rent had been issued in October 2021 which was four months ago.

**07.22 ACCOUNTS PAID JANUARY 2022**

Details of accounts paid in January 2022 were provided. It was noted that January had been an expensive month primarily due to paying for the Christmas lights. It was noted that, going forward, there were plans for Christmas lights in other areas of town but these would be discussed further at the next Council meeting in March 2022.

The meeting closed at 19.50 pm.

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Chair