## PENISTONE TOWN COUNCIL

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Minutes of the meeting of the Town Services Committee held on June 10<sup>th</sup> 2019 in the Bar Room, St. Johns Community Centre Penistone.

Present

The Town Mayor Cllr. Mrs. Millner, Cllrs. Mrs. Rusby (in the Chair) Barraclough, Bradbury, Cutts, Kimberley, Marsh, Millner, Perkins, Unsworth, and Wood

Also present the Town Clerk K. Coulton, A. Hart Finance Officer and Chris Bradbury Site Manager St. John's Community Centre.

Apologies Apologies for absence –Cllrs. Hinchliff, Trotman and Webber RESOLVED the apologies were accepted.

### **Declarations of Personal or Prejudicial Interest**

The Chair invited declarations of which there were NONE.

### **Christmas Lights and Switch on 2019**

Chris Bradbury stated that he had approached the owners of the building who had given consent to erect the Remembrance Poppy.

55 no 5foot Christmas trees had been ordered the brackets would be checked for safety in the very near future.

Businesses would be approached to inform them if they were unaware to provide the power to the trees.

#### **Public Toilets.**

**Cllr. Wood** had asked for this item to be brought for discussion to the Committee as he was of the opinion the facility did not provide value for money.

Members present were provided with a history of the toilet acquisition and a breakdown of income and expenditure since adoption by the Town Council.

Much discussion ensued on the provision of the service and it was finally recommended by a show of hands that the status quo would remain with no amendment.

Improved informative signage would be investigated to raise the profile of not only the toilets but the Paramount, Railway Station etc.

Quotes had been obtained to replace the coin operated mechanism on the door which had been constantly unreliable. This new mechanism would give the benefit of having a timer on it to automatically open and close at a set time, which would alleviate the manual opening and closing making the building more accessible.

Signed......Mayor June 17<sup>th</sup> 2019

It was recommended that this new mechanism be purchased at a cost of  $\pounds 2,450.00$ 

The Community Centre caretakers would monitor the condition of the bus shelter for any sign of anti- social behaviour.

# Date and time of the next meeting:

To be arranged.

Signed......Mayor June 17<sup>th</sup> 2019