

PENISTONE TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Extraordinary Town Council Meeting Held at St John’s Community Centre,
Church Street, Penistone **Thursday 28 May 2026 at 4.00pm**

Present: Cllrs H. Kitching (Mayor/Chair), T. Mayne, J. Cutts, D. Walker, M. Lowe-Flello, J. Palmer,
L. Dixon, D. Cunningham, V. Jackson

Also Present: Nigel Bailey – Town Clerk Laura Saul – Wake Smith, Commercial Solicitor

No members of the press or public were present.

2026/01 1.– Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs J. Kitching, F. Nixon, Y. Cooper, T. Drew, D. Greenough and J. Roberts. Reasons for absence were approved.

2026/02 2.– Declarations of Interest

No declarations of personal or prejudicial interest were made. No written dispensations were reported.

2026/03 3.– Exclusion of Press and Public

It was unanimously **resolved** that the meeting be held in private due to the confidential nature of the information and to accommodate the availability of the solicitor.

2026/04 4.– Public Participation

No members of the public or press were in attendance.

2026/05 5.– Update on BMBC Communications and Current Position

The Councillors received an update regarding the ongoing community asset transfer negotiations.

Signed: **Town Mayor / Chair Date:** 22nd June 2026