

Ripley Town Council

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MINUTES of FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING held on Friday 23rd September 2022 at 5.30pm.

at Ripley Town Council Office, 6, Grosvenor Road, Ripley, DE5 3JF.

In Attendance: Cllr: P Lobley (Chair), and Cllrs S Freeborn, M Allwood, L Cox, R Ashton, N Weaving, P Moss and D Williams.

Also: Mrs H J Simpson Town Clerk & RFO.

- 230922/1. To Receive Apologies for Absence Cllr: T Holmes.
- 230922/2. Variation of Order of Business None required.
- 230922/3. Declaration of Members Interests None declared.
- 230922/4. Public speaking No public present.
- 230922/5. To determine which additional items on any part of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.

In view of the confidential nature of **(none)** it was **Resolved** to exclude the press and public from the meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s1, in order to discuss the item.

230922/6. The following Quotations were considered: -

It was Resolved to approve the Quotations from Biddles Ltd for £916.00 for the printing of 200 copies of the Turn the Page Book plus £100 for the ISBN number. **It was Resolved** to approve the Quotation from Shed Grounds Maintenance Ltd totalling £2.078.00 + VAT for Tree and Hedge Works at Porterhouse Road Play Area.

It was Resolved to approve the Quotation from Flagpole Express Ltd for £1,948.80 + VAT for 30 1.5m Flag Poles and 30 Lest we Forget Flags complete with Rope, cleat, and white top.

230922/7. The following Grant Applications were considered: -

It was Resolved to award a Grant of £750 towards the cost of replacing Security Fencing. **It was Resolved** to award a Grant of £200 towards the cost of a disabled friendly waterless toilet. **It was Resolved** to award further temporary financial support to the Old Farm Bus totalling £942.00 to cover the costs of Indoor Sports facilities October to Christmas 2022.

230922/8. Proposal to make Financial Donations to four Foodbanks within the Ripley Township to support demand over Winter/Christmas 2022.

It was Resolved to donate £500 to the following Foodbanks: - Waingroves Food Bank, the Salvation Army Foodbank, St John's School, and Ripley Junior School PTA.

230922/9. Discuss Finance Reports.

Resolved to agree and accept the monthly Financial Reports as at 31.08.2022.

230922/10 To Confirm and Agree Financial Payments for September 2022.

RESOLVED to confirm and agree September 2022 payments as listed below.

September 2022 Payments

| ltem No. | Method | Payee | | <u>Cost</u> | <u>VAT</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|-------------|--------|---|---|-------------|------------|--------------|
| 1091 | DD | WaterPlus Ltd | Water Bill – 6 Grosvenor Road, Office | £89.01 | £0.00 | £89.01 |
| 1092 | BACS | AVBC | Temporary Road Closure Fee | £20.00 | £0.00 | £20.00 |
| 1093 | DD | We Transfer | Large Emails Fee | £10.35 | £0.00 | £10.35 |
| 1094 | CARD | Amazon EU | Hard board backed envelopes | £13.32 | £2.66 | £15.98 |
| 1095 | BACS | Newhall Band | Performance at Crossley Park | £350.00 | £0.00 | £350.00 |
| 1096 | SO | G Freeman & A Mills | Monthly Rent – Town Council Office | £750.00 | £0.00 | £750.00 |
| 1097 | CARD | Amazon EU | White Board, Eraser and Pens | £40.84 | £0.00 | £40.84 |
| 1098 | BACS | DCC LGPS | Employee and Employer Pension Contributions May 2022. | £666.42 | £0.00 | £666.42 |
| 1099 | BACS | DCC LGPS | Employee and Employer Pension Contributions June 2022 | £666.42 | £0.00 | £666.42 |
| 1100 | BACS | Collective Revolution Youth Group | Grant Payment - £200 approved at August Meeting. | £200.00 | £0.00 | £200.00 |
| 1101 | BACS | Old Farm Bus CIC | Weekly Youth Workshops #1 | £2,050.00 | £0.00 | £2,050.00 |
| 1102 | DD | It'seeze Spoton.net Ltd | Website – Monthly Fees | £45.00 | £9.00 | £54.00 |
| 1103 | DD | Unicom Ltd | Office Telephone and Broadband Charges. | £68.78 | £13.76 | £82.54 |
| 1104 | DD | Water Plus Ltd | Water Bill – Public Toilets, Heage | £547.54 | £0.00 | £547.54 |
| 1105 | CARD | Amazon EU | Office Equipment for new Staff Member | £145.16 | £16.58 | £161.74 |
| 1106 | CARD | Amazon EU | Monitor and Keyboard for new Staff Member | £158.32 | £31.66 | £189.98 |
| 1107 | BACS | Old Farm Bus CIC | Weekly Youth Workshops #2 | £2,050.00 | £0.00 | £2,050.00 |
| 1108 | BACS | Derwent Valley Wind Band | Performance at Crossley Park | £200.00 | £0.00 | £200.00 |
| 1109 | BACS | KK Fire Protection Engineers Ltd | Annual Servicing of Fire Extinguishers – 6 Grosvenor Road, Office | £11.00 | £2.20 | £13.20 |
| 1110 | BACS | Daryl Hemsell | Playground Inspections | £100.00 | £0.00 | £100.00 |
| 1111 | BACS | Old Farm Bus CIC | Weekly Youth Workshops #3 | £2,050.00 | £0.00 | £2,050.00 |
| 1112 | DD | Total Energies Ltd | Electricity Bill – 6 Grosvenor Road, Office | £51.30 | £2.56 | £53.86 |
| 1113 | BACS | KeptKleen Ltd | Town Council Office – Weekly Clean | £170.00 | £34.00 | £204.00 |
| 1114 | BACS | KeptKleen Ltd | Bins Emptied – Ripley Greenway | £296.00 | £59.20 | £355.20 |
| 1115 | BACS | KeptKleen Ltd | Daily Clean – Heage Public Toilets | £558.00 | £111.60 | £669.60 |
| 1116 | BACS | KeptKleen Ltd | Daily Clean – Ripley Market Place – Public Toilets | £558.00 | £111.60 | £669.60 |
| 1117 | BACS | Excel Office Equipment Ltd | Office Furniture – reorganisation of office for new member of staff. | £465.00 | £93.00 | £558.00 |
| 1118 | BACS | AA Tree Surgeons Ltd | Annual hedge trim, top and path side. Footpath between Albion Street and Quenby Lane, Ripley. | £800.00 | £160.00 | £960.00 |
| 1119 | BACS | Shed Grounds Maintenance Ltd | Grounds Maintenance, Cedar Avenue and Porterhouse Road Play Areas. | £88.00 | £17.60 | £105.60 |
| 1120 | BACS | Wish Computers Ltd | Lenovo Laptop and time to set up PC, new email address and calendar. | £430.00 | £86.00 | £516.00 |
| 1121 | BACS | DCC LGPS | Employee and Employer Pension Contributions – August 2022. | £1,317.00 | £0.00 | £1,317.00 |
| 1122 | BACS | HMRC | PAYE & NI contributions – August 2022. | £1,871.44 | £0.00 | £1,871.44 |
| 1123 | BACS | Total Salaries | Staff Salaries – August 2022 | £4,262.66 | £0.00 | £4,262.66 |
| 1124 | BACS | Mrs F Barrett | Reimbursement – Office Sundries | £11.20 | £0.00 | £11.20 |
| 1125 | DD | WaterPlus Ltd | Water Bill – Public Toilets Heage | £83.47 | £0.00 | £83.47 |
| 1126 | DD | WaterPlus Ltd | Water Bill – RTC Office – 6 Grosvenor Road | £118.67 | £0.00 | £118.67 |
| 1127 | BACS | Broxap Ltd | Derby Standard Litter Bin – Fixing and Delivery | £447.95 | £89.59 | £537.54 |
| 1128 | BACS | Old Farm Bus | Weekly Workshops #4 | £2,050.00 | £0.00 | £2,050.00 |
| 1129 | BACS | Emily Shaw | Refund of Stall Fee for Cinema Night | £50.00 | £0.00 | £50.00 |
| 1130 | BACS | Jordan Hogg | Refund of Stall Fee for Cinema Night | £50.00 | £0.00 | £50.00 |
| 1131 | DD | Unicom Ltd | Office Telephone and Broadband | £68.38 | £13.68 | £82.06 |
| 1132 | CARD | Buy A Plan | Location Plan for Flag Permissions | £21.99 | £4.40 | £26.39 |
| 1133 | BACS | PKF Littlejohn LLP | External Auditor Fee | £800.00 | £160.00 | £960.00 |
| 1134 | BACS | Francesca Littlewood | Refund of Stall Fee for Cinema Night | £50.00 | £0.00 | £50.00 |
| 1135 | BACS | Mrs H J Simpson | Reimbursement for Cadbury Selection Boxes for Christmas Event | £365.50 | £0.00 | £365.50 |

| 1136 | BACS | Mrs H J | Reimbursement for Christmas Labels for Selection | £31.40 | £6.28 | £37.68 |
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| | | Simpson | Boxes for Christmas Event | | | |
| 1137 | BACS | AVBC | Planning Fee for Oxford Street Flags | £231.00 | £0.00 | £231.00 |
| 1138 | BACS | Hannah Curzon | Reimbursement for sundries for Cinema Night | £19.50 | £0.00 | £19.50 |
| 1139 | BACS | Old Farm Bus | Weekly Workshops #5 | £2,050.00 | £0.00 | £2,050.00 |
| 1140 | DD | It'seeze Spoton Ltd | Monthly Website Charges | £45.00 | £9.00 | £54.00 |
| 1141 | BACS | Mrs Fiona Barrett | Reimbursement for Wrapping Paper for Selection Boxes for Christmas Event | £10.58 | £0.00 | £10.58 |
| 1142 | BACS | Mrs H J Simpson | Reimbursement for Window Display Unit for RTC Office. | £263.00 | £52.60 | £315.60 |
| 1143 | CARD | We Transfer | Large Email Service – Monthly Fee | £10.69 | £0.00 | £10.69 |
| 1144 | SO | G Freeman & A Mills | Monthly Rent – Office, 6 Grosvenor Road | £750.00 | £0.00 | £750.00 |
| 1145 | CARD | Amazon EU Sarl | Desk Calculator | £14.97 | £2.99 | £17.96 |
| 1146 | CARD | Amazon EU Sarl | Office Wall Clock | £14.12 | £2.83 | £16.95 |
| 1147 | BACS | National Leaflet Company | Delivery of Newsletter – Royal Mail | £1,099.31 | £219.20 | £1,318.51 |
| | | | Total | £29,756.29 | £1311.99 | £31,068.28 |
| | | Income | | | / | |
| | | J Hogg Catering | Stall Fee for Christmas Market | | | £50.00 |
| | | Zurich Insurance | Insurance Claim Payment – Market Place Toilets | | | £1,668.75 |
| | | Mrs H J Simpson | Employee Pension Contributions for May and June 2022. | | | £299.12 |
| | | HMRC | VAT reclaim for Financial Year 2021/2022 | | | £23,314.46 |
| | | DCC | Refund of overpayment earlier in year | | | £134.40 |
| | | | Total | | | £25,466.73 |

230922/11. Report from External Auditor PKF Littlejohn Ltd for the Financial Year 2021/2022. It was Resolved to accept the report and note only one comment made from Auditor.

230922/12 Close Meeting at 6.00pm.

The next Ripley Town Council Full Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday 27th September 2022 at 7.00pm in the Council Chamber, Ripley Town Hall.

Signed.....

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RIPLEY TOWN COUNCIL

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