

## **BROMYARD AND WINSLOW TOWN COUNCIL**

## MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

held remotely on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 at 7pm

via Zoom video conferencing and audio platform.

Local Authorities (Coronavirus)(Flexibility of Local Authority Meetings) (England) Regulations 2020)

MINUTES C20/60- C20/62

Members Cllrs: S Brunsdon (Chairman), D Dunne-Thomas (Vice-Chairman), G Churchill, F Clark, Present: G Collins, C Davies, J Cooper, M Franklin, D James, L Law, J Lester, C Martin, and R Page.

Officers Karen Mitchell (Town Clerk)
Present: Kym Wild (Deputy Town Clerk)

In attendance: Cllr Alan Seldon – Ward Member (part)

Cllr Nigel Shaw – Ward Member (part)

2 members of the public (part)

C20/60 Apologies LGA 1972 S85 (1)

All Council Members were present

## C20/61 Declarations of Interest and written requests for dispensation

There were no declarations of interest or written requests for dispensation.

Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) Order 2007 SI No. 1159 Localism Act 2011

## C20/62 Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic

Members considered how the Town Council might support small businesses going forward through the pandemic, debating a wide variety of ideas and options.

Both Herefordshire Council ward members were given permission to speak at the meeting in order to give their respective updates on small business grants and proposals for Covid-19 emergency response active travel measures intended to facilitate social distancing in public spaces, provide viable alternatives to public transport and avoid excessive use of cars.

Following discussion,

**IT WAS RESOLVED** that the Town Council Car Parks remain free to use for the remainder of the current financial year (1<sup>st</sup> April 20 - 31<sup>st</sup> May, 21).

**IT WAS RESOLVED** that the public toilets be opened as soon as it is safe to do, following applicable government COVID-19 safety guidance.

**IT WAS RESOLVED** that a letter be sent to Herefordshire Council requesting that the Bromyard Recycling Centre (Linton Industrial Estate) be opened as a matter of urgency.

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