



## Committee Meeting 9<sup>th</sup> July 2019 Hare Hill House

Present

Ian Jackson Michael Price Gillian Price Barry Cropper Robert Clegg  
Ann Stott Vivienne Ashworth Nick Andrews Bob Wetherly Shaun Clancy

### 1. Introductions and welcome

The meeting was opened by Ian Jackson at 7.35

### 2. Apologies for absence

Peter Gugas John Kay Frank Carter

### 3. Submissions for AOB

None

### 4. Minutes of previous meeting and matters arising

Minutes agreed

Matters arising – Item 4 re steps at Railway Station. After investigation by the Enforcement Officer it now comes to light that the steps at the Railway Station are as agreed on the plans and the stone cladding is to either side of the steps, which has now been covered by soil. LCT are not happy with this decision as we were assured the steps would be dressed in stone in keeping with the station frontage. This will be noted on our Facebook page

### 5. Treasurers Report

Treasurer on holiday



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## 6. Planning application update

It has been noted that rubber strips have been placed on Smithy Bridge Road, Wildhouse Lane and at the entrance to the Visitors Centre at the Lake. Highways have been approached regarding this matter. It appears that a private company is responsible for this survey.

IJ has approached the Sales Office of Wiggett Homes regarding the boxes on the frontage of the houses on Hare Hill Road. He has been given the name of someone to contact but is not hopeful of success

## 7. Canalside Development Group

The work on the Café Boat is ongoing

The unveiling of the bench in memory of Brian Holden will take place on 16<sup>th</sup> July at 11.30 at the Pennines In Bloom Garden on Canal Street, Littleborough followed by refreshments in the Littleborough Boxing Club. Invitations have been sent out with approximately 40 people wanting to attend

## 8. Flood Resilience Group

The Table Top exercise has now taken place and was a very successful event. Various flood scenarios were discussed and involvement from different services identified.

Item 13 brought forward – The Red Cross has contacted the FRG with an offer of First Aid Training. It was felt that this offer should be accepted therefore we have asked for more details. These will be made available to the committee on receipt.

A local company has been approached regarding the printing of banners, leaflets and business cards which will be used to promote the FRG at public events held in Littleborough



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FRG have been able to secure a further 3 years web hosting with monies from CUPI which will take us to 2024 before any costs are incurred by LCT  
IJ presented at the public meeting held by Save Our Greenbelt Group to promote the work of LCT and FRG

FRG have purchased 10 identity badges for use when on public duty

Slow the Flow project is due to start at Lydgate/High Peak in the very near future.

## 9. Save our Greenbelt

The group held a successful public meeting on the 30<sup>th</sup> June and will hold Hands around the Lake on Bank Holiday Monday

It was noted that in the second consultation around 600 people voiced their objections to GMSF which for Littleborough was an overwhelming success  
Kate Clegg has been working closely with other Save Our Greenbelt groups within Greater Manchester to give a stronger voice to the group. She is also a member of Friends of Hollingworth Lake

Kate is also involved in a project regarding the Akzo site and is hoping to publish a report on her findings when completed

The group are hoping to produce a newsletter in the near future which will be posted on the website

## 10. Social Media

The website has now gone live at [www.littleboroughcivictrust.co.uk](http://www.littleboroughcivictrust.co.uk).

Anyone who wants to suggest items for the website please contact MP

## 11. Data Protection

There are new regulations regarding Data Protection. A discussion was held regarding the committee's thoughts on this subject and it was felt that LCT should adopt some form of policy on this matter. Further investigation is needed



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## 12. Action Together

LCT is now a member of this group. They are able to help with recruiting volunteers ie for the Café Boat and help with applying for funding

## 13. News/Events

Rushbearing event will take place the weekend of 20/21<sup>st</sup> July

## 14. AOB

BW asked if it would be appropriate for a Defibrillator to be sited at Hare Hill House.

It was felt that this may be for Hare Hill House to discuss rather than LCT

**The meeting closed at 9.00 pm**

**The next meeting will be held on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019 at 7.30pm at Hare Hill House**

**All members of the LCT and Canalside Development Group are welcome to attend**



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