Minutes of a meeting of the Environment Committee of the Bingham Town Council held in The Old Court House, Church Street, Bingham, on Tuesday, 9th April, 2013, at 7.30 p.m.

PRESENT:

Councillor A. Harvey

- A. Ashmore
- " G. Davidson
- " J. Eagles
- " Mrs. T. Kerry
- " F. Purdue-Horan

Also in attendance: County Councillor M. Suthers

1.00 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND ACCEPTANCE:

There were no apologies for absence received.

2.00 <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:</u>

There were no Declarations of Interest received

3.00 <u>MINUTES</u>:

The Minutes of the meeting held on the 12th February, 2013, having been circulated prior to the meeting, were taken as read, approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

4.00 MATTERS ARISING (FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

Refer to Action Points, Appendix 'A'.

5.00 ACTION POINTS:

See attached Appendix 'A'.

6.00 UPDATE ON BUS ISSUES:

The Chairman confirmed he had spoken with Clive Grayson in late March and there was positive passenger feedback in relation to the recent changes following the cessation of business of Premiere Travel. The following was also noted:-

- Route 101 Additional morning and evening services had been added.
- Route 53 Cropwell and Cotgrave services are to be kept running.
- T.I.T.A.N.project was on-going; Newark and Retford areas had been completed, and Bingham was the next area to be addressed.

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7.00 <u>UPDATE ON CONTRACT RE. FLOWER BASKETS AND STRESS</u> TESTING OF STREET-LIGHTING COLUMNS:

The Clerk confirmed an order had been placed regarding flower baskets, and Nottinghamshire County Council would be stress-testing seventeen columns (this included seven due next year).

8.00 UPDATE ON N.C.C. MATTERS:

01 Update re. One-Way System

The Chairman confirmed he had been liaising with Paul Hillier at Nottinghamshire County Council and would shortly be in touch with members to arrange a joint meeting.

02 Update on Other Matters

Noted that issues with regard to parking on Cherry Street was ongoing.

03 Cogley Lane Road Markings

The Clerk confirmed a meeting had been arranged for the 15th April, 2013. Councillors wished their thanks to be registered with Nottinghamshire County Council Highways for their assistance with highway matters. Councillor Eagles raised the possibility of a 'Harrington Hump' for Bingham Station platform to actually assist access on to a train. However, this still left the problem of mobility access on to the north platform.

9.00 UPDATE ON MEETING WITH NETWORK RAIL:

The Chairman confirmed that various third parties were meeting in order to design an acceptable scheme for access over the railway line. The Committee would be kept informed.

10.00 THE MANOR HOUSE - UPDATE:

The Clerk confirmed a letter had been sent to Rushcliffe Borough Council confirming support of Bingham Manor House being added to the Rushcliffe Community Assets Register.

11.00 <u>EFFECT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AMMENDMENTS RE.</u> ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE:

This matter was on-going and would be referred to a future meeting.

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12.00 BINGHAM 2020 RE. ENVIRONMENT ISSUES:

This matter was on-going and would be referred to a future meeting.

13.00 <u>CORRESPONDENCE</u>:

01 Nottinghamshire County Council

Letter received regarding notification of overnight closure of Bingham level crossing from 10.00 p.m., 27th April, 2013, until 6.00 a.m., 28th April, 2013.

14.00 The Chairman announced that he would not be standing as Chairman in May and accorded a vote of thanks to Committee members and Officers for their assistance and support over the past two years.

As there was no further business to transact, the meeting closed at 7.50 p.m.

CHAIRMAN.

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ACTION POINTS;

AGENDA ITEM	DETAILS	ACTION TO BE TAKEN BY
F6523 14 th June, 2011.	N.C.C. Grass-cutting	Lengthsman Scheme Pilot – continue monitoring.
F6523 14 th June, 2011.	Bus parking and driving (outside town centre).	N.C.C. – On-going
F6523 14 th June 2011	East Street	Refer to e-mail dated 14 th July from N.C.C. To be included for Detailed Visual Inspection (DVI) to assess inclusion in 2012/2013 Programme of Works.
F6575 August, 2011.	Request for 20 m.p.h. restriction on Newgate Street	N.C.C on-going. Agreed to follow up after Health Centre plans addressed. Suggest speed check undertaken.
F6611 18 th Oct 11	Carnarvon Primary School	If adequate funding, consideration will be given to additional set of zig-zag lines.
	Restricted parking on Cherry Street/Church Street.	On-going
	One-way system on Market Street	N.C.C. to prepare simple design by 31.3.13
	Transport Consultation	On-going
F6940	Cogley Lane road markings	Vice Chairman & Clerk to meet with NCC Officer 15 th April, 2013.