Coleford Town Council

Regeneration Committee
Monday 16 December 2019
Minutes

Attendees: **Cllrs Elsmore, Penny, M Cox, S Cox, Drury,**
Richard Morgan FoDDC
Caroline Taylor

Public Forum
No comment was made in the public forum

1. Apologies were noted from Cllrs Allaway-Martin, Barnham, Kay & B Watkins GCC Highways

2. There were no declarations of interest on items on the agenda

3. There were no dispensation requests

4. The minutes of 20 November 2019 were noted

5. **To make recommendation re the Town Centre Management**
   Report attached
   Recommendation
   That the changes to the specification are agreed
   That it is aimed to have the post up and running by April

6. **To have an update and recommend re the next steps for UWE project**
   Cllr M Cox summarised the main points of the presentation and highlighted areas of importance re the reintegration of the town
   Recommendation
   That a Full council meeting is held in January to inform all councillors of the possibilities for regeneration in the town
   That the UWE presentation is shared with all stake holders

7. **To discuss re the Historic England meeting**
   Recommendation
   That the meeting planned in January is used to identify why the bid was not successful and to seek additional funding sources

8. **To have an update on Perrygrove/Puzzlewood cycle link feasibility**
   There was no report back

9. **To make recommendation re lime trees on Lords Hill / Old Station Way**
   Mrs Taylor presented the case for the reinstatement of the trees on Lords Hill. She confirmed that there was sufficient space for the tress outside the Lidl boundary but that the footpath would have to be moved to accommodate them. She commented that GCC Highways would have no objection. It was noted that the Council were in favour of increasing the tree planting in the parish
   Recommendation
   That ownership of the land is clarified
   That GCC Highways are requested to provide costings for the works to the footpath & the planting
   That GCC Highways & Lidl are invited to a meeting to discuss the matter. A Town Council representative to be present