

# **FARINGDON TOWN COUNCIL**

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Clerk: Sally Thurston



**Minutes from meeting of the Grants Sub Committee on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 6.30pm, Jubilee Room, Pump House, Faringdon.**

**Present: Cllrs. Bentley, Castle, and Wise**  
Cllr. Boulton from 9/2/21  
Cllr. Webb as observer  
Sally Thurston (Town Clerk)

## **1/2/21 Apologies for Absence**

Cllrs. Finn and Leniec

## **2/2/21 To elect a Chair**

It was PROPOSED to elect Cllr. Finn as Chair of the Grants Sub Committee. This was SECONDED and RESOLVED.

## **3/2/21 Declarations of Interest**

Cllr. Bentley, Wise and Webb in respect of item 7d. Cllr. Bentley is a trustee of the Folly Trust. Cllrs. Webb and Wise are Friends of the Folly.

## **4/2/21 Public Speaking and Question Time**

None

## **5/2/21 Minutes and Notes**

a) It was PROPOSED that the minutes of the meeting held on Monday 29th March 2021 be SIGNED as a correct record. This was SECONDED and RESOLVED.

b) Members received and NOTED for information, notes from the discussion meetings held on Wednesday 12th May 2021 and Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July.

## **6/2/21 Financial Reports**

The following financial reports were NOTED:

- a) General Grants
- b) Youth Grants – invite further applications
- c) Planting and Painting Bursary

## **7/2/21 Applications for financial assistance**

The following applications for financial assistance were considered:

Name of Organisation	Amount	Purpose of Grant	Decision
a) Root and Branch	£1800	For their beneficiaries to learn with a qualified instructor, 24-week course in basic blacksmith skills.	APPROVED

b) Pump House Project	£1800	Assistance in staff costs for the next 12 months.	APPROVED Conditions: 1. Accounts presented 2. Invitation to all meetings of trustees / committee 3. Regular reports to the Community an Partnerships committee
c) Vale Community Impact (Formerly Wantage Independent Centre)	£2000	General one year grant to ensure running of the centre.	APPROVED
d) Faringdon Folly Trust	£3000	Contribution towards the running costs of the Tower.	DEFFERRED To Full Council. Not quorate for decision

### 8/2/21 Youth Grants

No youth grant applications were received.

### 9/2/21 Painting and Planting Bursary

The following applications for financial assistance were considered:

Name	Amount	Decision
a) Faringdon Pharmacy	£150	APPROVED

Meeting ended 7.05pm