

**Minutes of the Great Coates in Bloom Committee held at 7.30 pm
at the Village Hall, Cooks Lane, Great Coates, Grimsby, DN37 9NW on 25 August 2021**

Present: Cllr M. Stewart (Chair), Dawn Stewart, Fiona Dunn, Chris Dunn, Gerry Smith, George Watson,
Tom Wimsey, Tom McBride,
In Attendance: Carl Thomas (Clerk),
Members of public present: 0

1 To receive apologies and reasons for absence - Ref: 1867

Michael Hunt, Maggs Astley-Maudley

2 To receive declarations of interest under the Localism Act 2011 – being any pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest in agenda items not previously recorded on Members’ Register of Interests. - Ref: 1868

None

3 Finance Report - Ref: 1869

The Clerk outlined the financial position with a current balance of £1820 allowing for the summer plants which had yet to be invoiced.

4 To discuss purchase and location of pony carts - Ref: 1870

Cllr Stewart outlined the pony carts and the proposed purchase.

Sponsorship had also been received from Dalkia totalling £600.

Suggested locations were The Avenue, green alongside Osprey Drive and corner of Allington Drive. Clerk would seek relevant permissions.

It was resolved to purchase the Governors Cart at £450, Trap Cart at £150 and 4 wheeled cart at £490 plus £20 delivery totalling £1100.

Proposed: Cllr M. Stewart Seconder: G. Smith All in favour

5 To discuss locations of basket "umbrella" planters - Ref: 1871

It was agreed to locate the umbrella planter alongside Tommys Mound

6 East Midlands in Bloom Brochures - Ref: 1872

It was resolved to purchase 25 brochures at a cost of £78

Proposed: Tom Wimsey Seconder: Tom McBride All in favour

7 East Midlands in Bloom Presentation - Ref: 1873

Mike & Dawn Stewart would attend the presentation event at The Town Hall.

It was resolved to purchase tickets at a cost of £20

Proposed: Chris Dunn Seconder: Tom Wimsey All in favour

8 Date of next meeting - Wednesday 8th September 2021 - Ref: 1874

Meeting closed at 9.00 pm

Signature:

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