 WARWICK TOWN COUNCIL

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### **COMMUNITY & CULTURAL COMMITTEE**

**THURSDAY 3rd JUNE 2021**

**Present:**

Councillor M Ashford

Councillor PS Birdi

Councillor R Eddy

Councillor Mrs MA Grainger (Sub)

Councillor T Morris

Councillor N Murphy

Councillor D Skinner

The Mayor (ex Officio)

**Co-opted Members:**

Karen Parker Chair of Unlocking Warwick

### **MINUTES**

**18****. To elect Chairman for the Municipal Year 2021/22**– Cllr R Eddy was nominated all

were in favourthere were no other nominations received.

**19. Apologies:** Bernie Allen WDC, Cllr Mrs L Butler, N Butler & Cllr O Jacques

It was resolved to accept their apologies.

**20. Declarations of Personal and Prejudicial Interests** -None

**21.** **To elect and Deputy Chairman for the Municipal Year 2021/22** Cllr Mrs L Butler was

nominated all were in favourthere were no other nominations received.

**22. Minutes of the meeting held on 15th April 2021.**

Minutes to be approved and signed. It was resolved to accept the minutes as a true record

of the meeting.

**23.** **Community Engagement**

Unlocking Warwick – update from Unlocking Warwick Chair Karen Parker

report Appendix 1.

**24.** **Community Update -** Update from Mrs B Allen WDC – deferred due to absence.

**25.****Children Centre** – Cllr PS Birdi advised that the next meeting was the 10th July and that he

would update Councillors after that meeting.

**26. St Mary’s Lands Working Party** – Cllr D Skinner advised that no further meetings had been

held. The light fittings on the cycle path had been replaced with a cover. A rat problem

had been dealt with by putting poison down.

**27. Twinning – 2021 – 30-year celebration with Verden –** Cllr R Eddy advised that a site for

the 30 trees had been agreed in St Nicolas Park – cherry blossoms to be planted. Grant

funding to be sort.

**Initiatives** – Cllr O Jacques – not present.

**28. Warwick in Bloom** – review competition – Cllr R Eddy advised the competition had been

launched – thanks to George Palmer for his contribution regarding social media. Digital

entries continuing. Judge Simon Lycett is confirming a date for judging.

- Railway Station – a grant has been applied for to replace tubs.

**29. Queen’s Jubilee –** Cllr R Eddy advised of the nationwide plans. Beacon lighting, Jubilee

Market and a jubilee lunch in the town are being considered.Dates 2/5th June 2022.

We need to ensure we do not clash with national events.

**Queen’s canopy –** Tree planting in the District. Tree planting which we can plot on the

Queens canopy map. It is suggested that the Mayor plants a tree. Councillors were asked

for suggestions regards location. A suggestion was made for Priory Park to screen the

new medical centre.

A suggestion was also made to plant 70 trees and hold a town wide competition to find

local hero’s so that they plant a tree as recognition. The Jubilee wood was mentioned as a

location. Planting should be October 2022.

**30. Blue Plaque – programme for 2021 –** Cllr R Eddy updated Councillors**.**

Healey Court plaque being unveiled on the 3rd July 2021.

Walking tour to be developed with the Visitor Information Centre.

Signed……………………………….. Dated………………………………………………………..