

# MOLD TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Cemetery Committee held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Mold (also by VC) on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> February 2023 at 6pm in the Town Hall and via Zoom.

**PRESENT:** Councillors Paul Beacher (Chairman), Haydn Jones, (Mayor), Teresa Carberry, (Deputy Mayor), Chris Bithell, Joanne Edwards and Sarah Taylor.

Officers: Helen Belton, Town Clerk and Finance Officer and Arfon Williams-Cooke, Cemetery Superintendent.

**ABSENT:** Cllr Tim Maunders

## 1. APOLOGIES

None

## 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

## 3. MINUTES

**RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2022 be received and approved as a correct record.

## 4. REPORT FROM THE CEMETERY SUPERINTENDENT

Recently the groundsmen had been working on making kerb-sets safe. They had also been inspecting Memorial Stones. The Cemetery was ready for the grass cutting season, which might start at the end of March.

There was a problem with the cycleway, as the tractor, used for hedge cutting once a year, will not fit. The hedge needs to be cut before the end of March and may need to be cut by hand. FCC will be asked to give permission for the tractor to be driven over the cycleway.

## 5. BURIAL FEES

Fees comparing a number of councils were discussed.

**RESOLVED:** To charge £1000 (£2000 for non-residents) for the newly organized 'graves for one'. To keep all other prices the same. To alter some of the wording on the Notice of Burial Fees to aid residents.

## 6. RULE BOOK

The Rule Book had been revised and updated and the revisions were accepted by the committee. It would be sent out to undertakers, with accompanying letters, asking plot holders to sign an agreement to say that they would act within the rules.

**RESOLVED:** That the Rule Book would be amended and delivered to undertakers/memorial stone masons. All new plot holders /owners of existing graves would be asked to sign prior to a funeral.

**Meeting ended at 6.44pm**

**SUMMARY OF DECLARATIONS MADE BY MEMBERS  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH MOLD TOWN COUNCIL'S  
CODE OF CONDUCT**

<b>CEMETERY COMMITTEE</b>	<b>DATE: 15/2/2023</b>
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<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>MINUTE NO. REFERS</b>

WORD/MINUTES/CEMETERY/CEMETERY

Chairman's signature: ..... Date: .....