

# **SEDGEFIELD TOWN COUNCIL**

## **ENVIRONMENT**

Minutes of the proceedings of the **APRIL ENVIRONMENT** of the **Council**  
held at **6.30 p.m.** in the **Council Offices**, Advice & Information Centre,  
Sedgefield, on **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2010.**

### **Present**

**Cllr. Ian Sutherland (Chairman)**

**Cllr. Norman Dunn (Vice-Chairman) and**

Cllrs. P. Bodo, A. Blakemore, D. Brown, M. Brown, H. Clifford-Brown, S. Hannan,  
T. Jeanes, S. Sutherland, R. Taylor, D. Waters

### **Officer**

L. K. Swinbank (Town Clerk)

### **1. Apologies**

Cllrs. S. Green, J. Robinson, M. Robinson

### **2. Declaration of interest**

None

### **3. Matters of Information**

#### **3.1 Church Wall**

Information regarding the price for ongoing repairs is awaited.

### **4. Reports**

#### **4.1 Sedgefield in Bloom**

Cllr. Ian Sutherland gave a brief verbal report.

**RECOMMENDED**

**To receive the information**

### **5 Correspondence**

#### **5.1 Station Road Field: Mrs. R. Darnton**

A letter has been received from Mrs. Darnton regarding establishing a wildlife area at the above and also commenting on Ceddesfeld pond.

**RECOMMENDED**

- i) **To receive the information**
- ii) **To write an article in the next Sedgefield Extra inviting views**

**6. Notice Board: Parish Hall for Bloom**

The Chairman, Cllr. Ian Sutherland reminded Members that before the Parish Hall refurbishment took place a notice board was on the front of the building.

**RECOMMENDED**

**To put back up the notice board**

**7. Allotments**

**7.1 Opening Winterton Site**

The Chairman reported that the site had been officially opened. Unfortunately, however a cement tile – containing some inert asbestos had been dug up. As a result it was suggested that the site be ploughed and worked and that NEDco would be on hand to bag and dispose of any additional asbestos tiles. (Cost £150)

**RECOMMENDED**

**To approve the action as above**

**7.2 Charges**

The charges for the allotments was agreed to be £25.

**8. Allotments: Increased Charges from Dec 2010**

The Clerk suggested that the allotment charges for Butterwick Road be reviewed for 2010 in line with charges for the Winterton Site – which includes the water costs.

**RECOMMENDED**

**This was agreed and will be £25/year from 2011**

The Chair thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 6.50 p.m.