

SEDGEFIELD TOWN COUNCIL

SPECIAL MEETING

Minutes of the proceedings of the **SPECIAL MEETING with Fire Officers** of the **Council** held at **6.30 p.m.** in the **Boardroom of the Parish Hall**, Sedgefield, on **Monday 16th November 2009**

Present **Cllr. Sheila Sutherland (Chairman)**
 Cllr. John Robinson (Vice-Chairman)
 Cllrs. D. Waters, N. Dunn, H. Clifford-Brown, M. Robinson, D. Brown, A.
 Blakemore, I. Sutherland
 Fire Officer: Simon Garnett Spence

Officer

1. Apologies

Cllrs. S. Hannan, M. Brown
L. K. Swinbank (Town Clerk)

2. In attendance

Mr. and Mrs. W. Howell, Mr. & Mrs. F. Gibbins

3. Background

Outline planning permission has been submitted for a new Community Fire Station on West Park Lane, Sedgefield.

The purpose of the meeting was to understand the application and for the Fire Officer to answer all questions.

4. Details

A new community fire station may replace the existing station but will have the addition of a new community recess.

It will take two years to complete.

5. Discussion

a) It was pointed out that there are already a number of community rooms in existence i.e. Parish Hall, Ceddesfeld, Methodist Hall etc.

- b) Parking – possible increase on West Park Lane but there are designated own areas on site.
- c) Training – there will be a number of training sessions.

RECOMMENDED

To receive the information and keep under review

The Chairman, Cllr. Sheila Sutherland thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 6.50 p.m.