

CREWKERNE AND WEST CREWKERNE
JOINT BURIAL COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Meeting held on Tuesday 24 November 2015 at 6.45 p.m. in the Council Chambers, Town Hall, Market Square, Crewkerne.

PRESENT:

Cllrs. M. Best (Chairman), Mrs J. Borland, C. Broome, R. Pailthorpe, Mrs A. Stuart and D. Wakeman.

In attendance: Mr P. Davidson (Clerk) and Mrs P. Hewitt (CTC Finance Officer).
Members of the public: none.

38 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

15/16

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr. Freeman.

39 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

15/16

None.

40 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

15/16

None.

41 TO APPROVE THE MINUTES

15/16

Item deferred until the next meeting of the Committee.

42 CLERK'S REPORT

15/16

The report was noted.

43 TO APPROVE APPLICATIONS, TRANSFERS AND MEMORIALS RECEIVED

15/16

PLOT PURCHASE

Peter and Mary Hedges
Carol Janet Martin
Alison Louise Welsman

EXM 39
CSK NE172
EXN 36

MEMORIALS

Susan Colton
David Stokes

CSK NE 90
S3 2254

The Applications and Memorials were APPROVED.

44 REVIEW OF COUNCILLOR BANK SIGNATORIES

15/16

It was **AGREED** that Cllr. Mrs Broom and Cllr. Freeman would be added as signatories, and that former Cllr. Wyatt would be removed.

45 **REVIEW OF THE BUDGET INCLUDING CONSIDERATION OF CEMETERY**
15/16 **FEES FOR 2016/17**

The Clerk presented a draft budget for consideration by members. Councillors also reviewed the cemetery fees in relation to the budget. After discussion, it was **AGREED to accept the budget as amended during the meeting, together with a set of revised cemetery fees for 2016/17.**

The split of precept between Crewkerne and West Crewkerne was considered, based upon the populations of the two parishes. Given that Wayford has its own cemetery, it was considered reasonable to exclude this village from the West Crewkerne numbers. Cllr. Best will retrieve the exact population numbers from SSDC.

46 **MATTERS OF REPORT**
15/16

None.

47 **DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING**
14/15

Tuesday 5 January 2016 at 6.45p.m.in the Council Chambers, Town Hall, Market Square, Crewkerne.

The meeting closed at 7.45 p.m.

Signed.....

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