

**WELLS CITY COUNCIL**  
**MINUTES OF THE WELLS IN BLOOM SUB-COMMITTEE HELD IN THE EAST ROOM,**  
**WELLS TOWN HALL, AT 6.00pm. THURSDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2016**

**PRESENT:** Councillors: M Brandon; C Cox, J North (Deputy Mayor); C Wride  
Co-opted: Mrs L Bishop; Mrs J Jones

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Town Clerk: F White  
Cllr C Price

- 16/21W APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**  
Cllrs A Gibson (Mayor); D Unwin  
Mrs S Hanks; Mrs B Beauchamp
- 16/22W DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** None declared.
- 16/23W MINUTES OF THE MEETING held on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2016** were proposed, seconded, approved and signed.
- 16/24W MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**  
No members of the public present.
- 16/25W CO-OPTION TO THE COMMITTEE**  
It was agreed to co-opt Trish Parfitt.
- 16/26W FINANCE REPORT**
- i. Financial reports were presented; a total of £ 6,295 was available in the current year budget.
  - ii. Quotations for Summer 2017 Planting:  
**A total of £5,181.45 (excl. VAT) was agreed for plants and baskets; a budget of £5,500 was approved, to allow for compost, etc**
- 16/27W REPORT ON SUMMER PLANTING 2016**  
The season was very successful, with the double begonias making a good show. Most of the taking out will be done next week, except the beds and roundabout.  
It was agreed to rest the schools baskets competition for the time being and prepare an alternative basket display next season.
- 16/28W AUTUMN PLANTING for Spring 2017**
- Plant delivery & sorting: 7.30am start, Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2016
  - Big Plant Out: 8.30am Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2016
- 16/29W PRESENTATION EVENING Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2016**  
Tasks were allocated. Set up on the day from 2.30pm.  
It was agreed that vouchers will be purchased for prizes, as usual.
- 16/30W ANY OTHER MATTERS OF REPORT**  
No further matters
- 16/31W DATE OF NEXT MEETING: t.b.a.**