



## **BLYTH TOWN COUNCIL**

**Minutes of a Meeting of the Community Funding Sub Committee  
held at 6.30 pm on Tuesday 7 June 2022 in the Council Chamber,  
Arms Everytne House, Quay Road, Blyth, NE24 2AS**

**Present:**

**Councillors** – W Taylor (Chair), D Carr, C Jones, K Nisbet, J R Potts, M Richardson, S Stanger

**Officers:** J Hughes, Town Clerk, M Wilkinson, Deputy Town Clerk

**Also Present:** Thom Bradley

<b>1</b>	<b>Apologies for absence</b>  Councillors A Barrass, A Cartie and J Reid
<b>2</b>	<b>Disclosure of Interests and Grant of Dispensations</b>  Councillor Taylor declared an interest in Friends of Crofton Field application (number 3) and did not participation in the discussion.
<b>3</b>	<b>Minutes of the Special Community Funding Sub-Committee Meeting held on Thursday 26 May 2022</b>  The minutes were noted as a true record. Councillor B Erskine attended this meeting
<b>4</b>	<b>To consider new Applications listed below</b>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Briardale Arts Society</li><li>2. Northumberland Citizens Advice Bureau</li><li>3. Friends of Crofton Field</li><li>4. Blyth Riverside Resource Centre Amenity Fund - (Backyard Project)</li><li>5. Cowpen Quay Community Association</li><li>6. Forget Me Not Residents' Association.</li><li>7. Holding Hearts Therapeutic Services CIC</li><li>8. BRIC (Blyth Community Enterprise Centre)</li></ol>

	<p>9. ESCAPE Family Support Ltd  10. Headway Arts  11. Community and Voluntary Action Blyth Valley  12. Blossoming Communities</p> <p>The above applications were considered carefully, with questions asked and comments made by members in this part of the meeting.</p> <p><b>The meeting moved to Part II to make decisions on funding.</b></p>
<b>5</b>	<p><b>Date and Time of Next Meeting</b></p> <p>The next Meeting of the Community Funding Sub Committee will be held at 6.30 pm on Tuesday 6 September 2022 in the Council Chamber, Arms Everytne House.</p>
<b>6</b>	<p><b>Part II</b></p> <p>Pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960; that in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the press and public be excluded, and they are instructed to withdraw.</p> <p><b>Discussion and Decisions regarding Funding Applications</b></p>

The above Sub-Committee is delegated with the management and development of the council's grant scheme and has the power to resolve any individual applications **without** recourse to the standing Committee.

#### **MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY FUNDING SUB COMMITTEE:**

A Cartie (Chair)  
W Taylor (Vice Chair)  
A Barrass  
D Carr  
C Jones  
K Nisbet  
J R Potts  
J Reid  
M Richardson  
S Stanger