

HEBDEN ROYD TOWN COUNCIL

Meeting of the PICTURE HOUSE COMMITTEE Held TUESDAY, 7 JANUARY 2025

MINUTES

PRESENT: Councillors: Butterick (Chair), Fraser, Hedges, Morse, and Young.

Also: Pete Berrisford – Picture House Manager

Minutes: HRTC Town Clerk: Emma Green

336. To receive apologies for absence and any substitutions.

Apologies were received from Cllrs Davenport and Cllr Howes with Cllr Hedges substituting.

337. To receive members' interests relating to agenda items for this meeting.

No interests were declared.

338. To report on matters arising from the minutes of meeting held 17 December 2024 not itemised on this agenda.

There were no matters arising.

339. LIGHTS, CAMERA, SCREEN 2 – CONSULTATION

The committee considered the visioning study and received an update as to the process for submitting the expression of interest to the National Lottery Heritage Fund.

It was moved by Cllr Morse

Seconded by Cllr Butterick and

RESOLVED: To ensure that the consultation results from the 2023/24 are formatted for display/circulation, and to create a strategy to ensure that all key stakeholders, including staff, tenants, Friends of the Picture House, Disability Access Forum, and customers, can continue to be effectively consulted.

340. LIGHTS, CAMERA, SCREEN 2 – MESSAGING

The committee considered the appropriate messaging for social media/press releases in respect of the Expression of Interest to the National Lottery Heritage Fund and Visioning Study from Page\Park.

The committee considered a suggestion from the Picture House Manager regarding the provision of a Warm Space at the Picture House which would provide a positive message.

It was moved by Cllr Morse

Seconded by Cllr Buttrick and

RESOLVED: That the Town Council will fund monthly free screenings, as an extension of the existing dementia friendly screenings, which will be branded as warm spaces. This will be a free showing of a classic film with complimentary tea and coffee. This will be funded using the allocated Screen 2 budget, linking in with consultation, strengthening the position in the community and continued consultation. These screenings will be reviewed in April.

In addition, staff will receive a further update regarding the current position.

341.

BUDGET 2025-26

The budget was presented for the year 2025-26.

It was moved by Cllr Butterick

Seconded by Cllr Morse and

RESOLVED: To approve the budget, with no request for financial support from HRTC.

Meeting finished at 9pm