



HAYLE TOWN TEAM



TOWN TEAM MEETING

WEDNESDAY 7 JULY 2021

Notes of the Hayle Town Team Meeting held via Zoom on Wednesday 7 July 2021 commencing at 7.00pm. Open to the public, businesses, and community.

7.00PM MEETING COMMENCED

1. VITALITY FUNDING

Application for the Vitality Fund was submitted on 25 June 2021.

Focus was on active travel, connectivity, and leisure facility exploration, including the outdoor swimming pool. The application was for the £100,000.00 grant.

The application has been acknowledged and a panel meeting will be held to discuss it.

Hoping to hear in a few weeks.

2. WELCOME BACK FUNDING

£56.1 million available nationally, £609,639.00 allocated for Cornwall for high street welcome back and safety funding. Local authorities, towns and parishes, and organisations within the town or parish can apply. Only one application will be accepted, not multiple applications.

Ideas for what the funding can be used for:

Recovery plan – beautification, enhancing flora and fauna: not really acceptable, they would like to see something more longstanding.

Time is running out, money needs to be allocated and spent by March 2022.

We were successful in the Legacy Funding amounting to £7500.00 which will be used for upgrading and painting the street furniture in the town and repairing the lamp post where the banners are located in Foundry Square.

Welcome Back Funding Survey to be completed and submitted by Friday 9 July 2021.

Agree to countywide pilot schemes and initiatives, and/or suggest our own ideas:

- The longstanding issue of bicycle racks
- A row of seats at the recreation ground
- Street entertainers/performers
- Other towns considering an app platform for Town Information Apps, the associated technology and possibly staff hours to assist
- To attract visitors to the town, the Cultural Events Program by Cornwall Council agreed to
- Town band funding and musical events
- A Town Day Celebration

- Creating more seating or event areas, marquees (buy or hire) and green spaces within the town centre agreed to
- Weekend of music on the end of South Quay (an exercise in costing would be an advantage)
- Funding a new post to cover the events plan. Fund could be used to pay for a brief for a project outline
- A feasibility study to see what we need to go forward
- Going forward possibly funding for an Events/Town/Communications Manager

3. TOUR OF BRITAIN

Cornwall Council urgently need to know if the town will be holding any events to support and celebrate the Tour of Britain which might need road/street closures put into place, or health and safety notices.

Previous suggestions of scooter/bike races for children along the memorial walk were rejected due to health and safety concerns, and the popularity of the walk on Sunday's.

No action required.

4. STILT WALKERS FEEDBACK

Cornwall Council have requested feedback on the presence of the stilt walkers in the town to promote Covid awareness and high street reopening.

All feedback has been very positive, they were great to work with, flexible in their approach, very engaging with the public and everyone was happy to work with them again.

5. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

No other business was considered.

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