

**SADDLEWORTH & LEES DISTRICT EXECUTIVE**  
**30/11/2017 at 7.00 pm**



**Present:** Councillor A. Alexander (Chair)  
Councillors Hewitt (Vice-Chair), Hudson, Klonowski, McCann  
and Sheldon

Also in Attendance:

Lori Hughes                                      Constitutional Services  
Christine Wilson                                 Community Development Officer

1                    **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Harkness,  
Councillor Heffernan and Councillor Kirkham.

2                    **URGENT BUSINESS**

There were no items of urgent business received.

3                    **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest received.

4                    **PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**

There were no public questions received.

5                    **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

**RESOLVED** that the minutes of the Saddleworth and Lees  
District Executive held on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2017 be approved as a  
correct record.

6                    **SADDLEWORTH AND LEES BUDGET REPORT  
INCLUDING APPENDIX A AND APPENDIX B - FUNDING  
APPLICATION**

The District Executive gave consideration to a report which  
outlined the expenditure to date and potential budget  
commitments for 2017/18.

The District Executive were gave consideration to a request for  
a funding allocation to the Oldham and District Riding Club and  
a contribution towards the proposed tree sculpture in St. Chad's  
Library Gardens, Uppermill. The District Executive were also  
provided an update on Uppermill CCTV.

**RESOLVED that:**

1. The funding allocations made to date by the District  
Executive be noted.
2. The allocation of £1,000 capital expenditure for the  
Oldham and District Riding Club be approved.
3. The allocation of £22,500 capital expenditure for  
Uppermill CCTV be approved.
4. The allocation of £2,700 capital expenditure for the tree  
sculpture in St. Chad's Library Gardens, Uppermill be  
approved.



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## **PETITIONS**

The District Executive gave consideration to a petition which had been received:

- Reference 2017-16: Access Road to Chew Valley and Tanner Business Park (Saddleworth South Ward) received on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017 with 32 signatures

It was noted that the area was unadopted highway. Only the highway up to the bridge was adopted and this would be discussed with Highways.

**RESOLVED** that the petition be noted.

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## **ACTION UPDATE**

The District Executive gave consideration to responses to the two motions supported which had been approved by the Saddleworth Parish Council and the District Partnership related to long-term flooding issues and approval of new properties on land at high risk of flooding.

Members raised the availability of updated maps from the Department of the Environment which need to be taken into account on planning issues related to flood profiles and risks in Oldham and Saddleworth. The information should be available to the Council and Saddleworth Parish Council.

**RESOLVED that:**

1. The responses to the motions be noted.
2. A letter be written to the Executive Director – Economy, Skills and Neighbourhoods to ensure that updated maps were available to Planning Officers and Saddleworth Parish Council related to flood profiles and risks.

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## **DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING**

The meeting started at 7.09 pm and ended at 7.46 pm