

SADDLEWORTH AND LEES DISTRICT EXECUTIVE

REVIEW OF THE COMMUNITY TOILET SCHEME

Portfolio Holder: Neighbourhoods

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Purpose of Report

To provide an update to the Saddleworth and Lees District Executive of the Review of the Community Toilet Scheme by the Saddleworth Parish Council.

Recommendations

The District Executive is asked to consider whether it will provide any funding for the Community Toilet scheme and / or towards the funding of the Wade Row toilets.

Current Position

The Parish Council has undertaken a review of the Community Toilet Scheme and has agreed:

1. The Parish Council will fund the current Community Toilet scheme until 31st December 2014, with the exception of The Granby which will be removed from the scheme from 30th September and replaced by the Commercial.
2. The current scheme will be terminated on 31st December 2014. A revised scheme will be introduced from 1st January 2015. The following premises will be included on the scheme:
 1. Saddleworth Craft Co-operative - Delph
 2. Ram's Head – Denshaw
 3. The Swan – Dobcross
 4. Diggle Hotel – Diggle
 5. The Little Shop – Uppermill
 6. The Commercial – Uppermill

Each premise would receive an annual fee of £600. The current signage will be up-dated with some advance signage provided.

3. The estimated cost of the proposals in the current financial year is £7,400, including £200 for signage. The ongoing annual cost is £3,600.
4. The Parish Council supports the principle that the Wade Row toilets should be kept open. It will consider taking over their management once all the relevant information is available.
5. The Parish Council review is attached as Appendix A

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