

Notes of a Meeting of Wem Swimming & Lifestyle Centre Liaison Group held on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at 10.00 on the zoom virtual meeting platform

Present:- Cllr E Towers, Cllr G Soul, Mrs P O'Hagan (Town Clerk).  
Mike Price (Wem Swimming & Lifestyle Centre).

**Meeting was not quorate however notes from those attending are as follows**

- 1 Apologies for absence** – To receive apologies for absence.

**An apology for absence from Cllr Broomhall was noted.**

Absent Cllr Edge, K Creagh

It was suggested that only the Chairman and Manager of WSLC intend to attend future meetings and that reserve Town Council members be considered to ensure a minimum of 3 councillors attend each meeting.

- 2 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests** – To receive any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

None received.

- 3 Minutes** – To approve as a correct record the minutes of a meeting of this Group held on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

As the meeting was not quorate it was not possible to approve the minutes.

- 4 Progress Report on matters raised at previous meetings** – to discuss and receive updates on the following.

Mike Price gave updates on the following items

Website revamp – in progress.

Extension ownership – no update.

Fan repairs – repaired along with lifting floor. It was recognised that there will still be issues with the equipment caused by the humidity and that this was ongoing. It was reported that a volunteer working party was planned to pick up all the minor snags.

Pool Leak - no update.

- 5 Reports** – To receive the following reports

**a) Centre Manager**

No report as Karen Creagh was not present but it was reported that safeguarding training was to be undertaken for all staff.

**b) WSLC Board Report** – This was given by Mike Price which included an update on staffing and business development plans. He stated that the current aim of the board at the moment was to sustain the existing model before considering expansion. The point was made that there was a need to work with all stakeholders on the Bowensfield Site as part of any future development discussions.

A cleaner had been employed and this had helped with dealing with the problems created by the excess moisture.

**c) Financial Report** – The previously noted financial report and budget for 2022-23 was discussed.

**RESOLVED:- to note the reports.**

**6 Information/Other Matters**

Condition of facility complaint – Mike Price reported he had met with a member of the public who was concerned about a variety of issues at the pool and it was hoped that these had been dealt with satisfactorily.

Oil - Discussions were still taking place regarding the use of oil from the old Sports and Social Association Oil Tank.

**RESOLVED:- to note the reports.**

Meeting ended 11.00

Chairman.....