



Middleton St George Parish Council

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Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Parish Council held on Monday 15th April, 2019 in the Parish Council Meeting Room

Present: Councillor Mrs. C. Gilsenan (Chairman),
Councillor S. Crowther (Vice Chairman),
Councillor Mrs. M. Beadle,
Councillor A. Blacklee,
Councillor Mrs. H. Bullock,
Councillor L. Foggett,
Councillor C. Headlam,
Councillor M. Robertson,
Alan Macnab, Clerk.

In Attendance: Mr. E. Lazenby, Darlington Model Boat Club and Mr. W. Appleton, Wally's Angling Club.

The meeting started at 6.30 p.m.

873. Chairman's opening address

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

874. Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Embleton because of work commitments and Councillor Sansom for personal reasons.

The Special Meeting **agreed** to accept the apologies received.

875. To consider conferring the Honorary Freedom of Middleton St. George Parish

The Clerk explained that under the Local Government Act 1972 Section 249 Paragraph 5 as amended by the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009 the Parish Council has the right to confer the honour of Freedom of the Parish on individuals who have given exceptional service. For the resolution to be passed the meeting must be quorate and the resolution must have the support of at least two thirds of the members present. The Chairman drew the meeting's attention to the Honorary Freedom Procedures which were enclosed with the papers for the meeting.

This meeting has been convened specially to consider bestowing this honour on Mrs. Lorraine Bulloch for her service to the Guide Movement and her service to other organisations in the village

It was proposed by the Vice Chairman and seconded by Councillor Blacklee that the title of Honorary Freewoman of Middleton St. George Parish be conferred on Mrs. Lorraine Bulloch. The Parish Council **voted unanimously and agreed:**

Chairman's Signature..... **Date**.....

- a. To confer the title of Honorary Freewoman on Mrs. Lorraine Bulloch.
- b. That the Freedom award be presented in September, 2019.

The meeting ended at 6.35 p.m.

Chairman's Signature..... Date.....