The Stokesley **Pride-in-our-Town Association**



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MINUTES OF AGM HELD at STOKESLEY TOWN HALL on MARCH 10th 2025 AT 20.00.

Attending: Caroline Rathmell (Chair), Fiona Wilson (Secretary), Ajit Patel (Treasurer), Sue Sutton,

Helen Fletcher, Adrian Rathmell, Kate Fulton, Tricia Virgo, Jenny Strachan, Ken Ridgeway,

Linda Purnell.

Apologies: None

Chair's Welcome.

The Minutes of the previous AGM on March 11th 2024 were accepted.

- Chair's Report: In summary: Gratitude was expressed to all volunteers, including the new ones, for another successful year. Several compliments have been received by SPIOTA throughout the year. Many of the broken tubs have been replaced with new ones which are made from recycled materials and contain a water reservoir. Watering is always difficult but these do make a difference. The tubs were exceptional last summer.
- 2. <u>Treasurer's Financial Report:</u> After a concerted effort the financial situation is much improved. The Town Hall has waived room rent for meetings. We have had both more sponsors and more donations, particularly from local businesses. The new Town Hall window boxes instead of hanging baskets have all been sponsored. Fred Lee, one of our founder members died and the funeral collection was for SPIOTA.
- 3. Notices of resignations: None.
- 4. Nominations of Officers: Current officers were proposed, seconded and re-elected

Any other business: The words for Fred Lee's memorial plaque are being finalised. The tree will be

planted outside the library on Wednesday April 2nd at 2pm.

Insurance: Quotes are being compared.

The meeting was closed at 20.35.