BRAMCOTE BEREAVEMENT SERVICES JOINT COMMITTEE THURSDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2020

Broxtowe Borough Council:

Councillors S J Carr (Chair) T Hallam (substitute) R I Jackson

Erewash Borough Council:

Councillors C Hart G Hickton W Major

An apology for absence was received from Councillor M Radulovic MBE.

10 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

11 MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 25 June 2020 were confirmed as a correct record.

12 CREMATION NUMBERS AND OTHER UPDATES

The Joint Committee were provided with the latest update on cremation numbers and a general update including the Covid-19 response.

It was noted that there had been an increase for the service during the COVID-19 pandemic during March, April and May. It was noted that cremation numbers had since returned to normal.

13 POTENTIAL FOR OTHER SERVICES - SANDWELL CREMATORIUM

The Joint Committee considered the potential for other services at Bramcote Crematorium. These included the potential for a café and a pet crematorium. It was noted that these options required financial investigation.

14 <u>SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS</u>

The Joint Committee noted the proposed dates of the Bramcote Bereavement Joint Services Committee. These were:

14 January 2021 - Bramcote Crematorium18 March 2021 - Bramcote Crematorium17 June 2021 - Bramcote Crematorium (Annual Meeting)

RESOLVED that the proposed schedule of meetings is approved.

15 <u>EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS</u>

RESOLVED that, under Section 100A of the Local Government Act, 1972, the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

16 <u>POTENTIAL LAND SALE / REDEVLOPMENT ADJACENT TO THE CREMATORIUM</u> SITE

The Joint Committee noted the confidential report.