

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Administrative Assistant

Responsible to: The Town Clerk

Date Produced: April 2022

Standard Hours: Up to 20 hours per week

JOB PURPOSE

To provide a secretarial and administrative support service to the office.

To assist with the organisation/coordination of functions/events.

Key Areas of Responsibility

1. Customer Service

- Helping members of the public who contact the Town Council.
- Dealing with general queries by phone or from visitors to the office.
- Dealing with routine enquiries and correspondence without reference.
- Monitoring the Town Council's general email account.

2. Communication

- Monitoring the Town Council's social media accounts: Facebook and Twitter.
- Contributing to the redesign of the Town Council's website, and updating the documentation on the website to support meetings, including archiving of previous documents.
- Publicising Town Council news and events, including updating the Events Calendar on the Town Council's website and Facebook page.
- Updating the Town Council noticeboards.

3. Administrative Service

- Regular communication with the Town Clerk and Deputy Clerk.
- Typing of letters/emails and dealing with correspondence.
- Maintaining a comprehensive filing system.
- Contributing to the preparation of the Bingley Town Council newsletter.
- Monitoring of Town Council grants.
- Booking venues for Full Council meetings.

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- Monitoring of policy review schedule.

4. Green and Clean

- To monitor and publicise the Town Council facilitated litter picks, including:
 - o Compilation of risk assessments;
 - o Maintenance of Green and Clean paperwork, including monitoring of Green and Clean Champions list;
 - o Communicating with Green and Clean Champions.
- Organisation of Green and Clean Forums.

5. Purchasing

- Purchasing stationery and other items as required.
- Source and purchase specific items under the direction of the Town Clerk.
- Monitor and replenish all stock items as required.

6. Equipment

- Providing information regarding equipment i.e. updates/replacement and keeping the Asset Register up to date.

7. General

- Assisting the Town Clerk in a variety of tasks.
- Assisting in the organisation of events and functions.
- Maintaining database of organisations and other contact names and numbers that are regularly needed.
- Attending training courses or seminars as required by the Town Council.
- Providing help and assistance to all Town Council personnel and Members.