



## **Annual General Meeting 2018**

Muslim Community Centre  
Cambridge Road  
Huddersfield

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2018 6.15pm  
Presiding for AGM: Dr. NHS Hasnie

Present:

Masjid Riza: Sharafat Ali

Masjid Anwar-e-Madina:

Masjid Umar: N/A

Masjid Noor: Abdul Majid Ali, Mohammed Hanif

Masjid Bilal: N/A

Masjid Usman:

Masjid Shah Jalal: N/A

Masjid Abu Bakr:

Masjid Madni: N/A

Masjid Ghausia: N/A

Masjid Salafia: N/A

Masjid Hanafia: N/A

Masjid of Elland: N/A

Eden Foundation: M. Tariq Khan

Muslim Burial Society:

Muslim Funeral Society:

HMBC Committee:

K. Khan (Chairman)

B. Hussain (Vice Chairman)

A. Khaliq (Treasurer)

A. J. Ahmed (Secretary)

Dr Nasim Hasnie OBE



Topic	Discussion	Action	Person Responsible
1. Quran Tilaawat	Completed by Abdul Jebar		
2. Apologies	Karamat Hussain Masjid Abu Bakr; Muslim Funeral Society; FR Tariq		
3. Minutes of last meeting	Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a correct account Proposed by: M T Khan Seconded by: Sharafat		
4. Matters arising	<p>a. Checklist for burial A poster was presented to the attendees that outlines the funeral process</p> <p>b. Scanning costs in the case of post-mortem examinations</p> <p>c. Burial of religious scripts This is in progress and each masjid could be charged £15 if HMBC is charged.</p>	<p>Email the poster out after minor correction. Send out as PDF, Add to Website, Post to the FB page</p> <p>This will be followed up this year</p> <p>Send email to masjid to alert when the grave will be opened for the burial of scripts</p>	<p>HMBC Secretary</p> <p>HMBC Committee</p>
5. Chairman's Report	<p>The Chairman spoke to the report. The report highlighted the need for strategic developments for the future purchase of our own burial land.</p> <p>Suggestions from the floor included involving every masjid to get involved in purchasing a graveyard for the Muslims. This is a very important developmental point for the Muslims of Huddersfield.</p> <p>Proposed by Sharafat Seconded by M T Khan</p>	<p>Email all of the Masjid regarding this purchase project. Sub Committee should be convened to explore land requirements for future Muslim burials</p>	HMBC



<p>6. Treasurer's Report</p>	<p>The Treasurer spoke to the Treasurer's report. Accounts were presented between 1/1/2017 – 31/12/2017.</p> <p>There were 69 death incidents in 2017 an increase of 21% on the previous year, 57 death incidents in 2016, 60 in 2015 and 46 in 2014.</p> <p>The Treasurer explained donations that helped to convert the vehicle that was purchased last year. Special contributions include donations. The vehicle was the biggest expense over the last 2 years.</p> <p>There are no increases on the charges by HMBC for their services.</p> <p>The Treasurer's report was accepted. Proposed by Sharafat Seconded by M T Khan</p>		
<p>7. KMC burial fee rise</p>	<p>KMC proposed the increases in September 2017. The proposal was put on hold by the KMC. HMBC worked with the North Kirklees Muslim burial Council (Dewsbury and Batley).</p> <p>Extensive work went on to present petitions, public meetings as a result KMC held engagement meetings which were attended by HMBC and NKMB. The increases were opposed effectively using many different avenues as resources from the community were mobilised.</p> <p>KMC are willing to have 4 meeting with the Burial councils.</p> <p>KMC will hold a cabinet meeting on 28<sup>th</sup> February to agree budgets. KMC said that they will present their pricing to us once they have made their decision.</p> <p>Out of this whole process that involved many professionals, research and negotiations have brought Muslim Burial Councils from Huddersfield, Dewsbury and Batley together and we have agreed to meet up once a year.</p>		



	HMBC was thanked for their efforts in this ongoing process. The conduct of the HMBC has been very professional in their conduct whilst presenting arguments to the local council.		
8. Any other Business	None.		
9. Date of next meeting	Provisional date Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2019		

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