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EXTRAORDINARY FULL COUNCIL MEETING

MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY FULL COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 30th SEPTEMBER 2020

Held online via Zoom due to Coronavirus Government Guidance

PRESENT

Clrs: B. Duffy, L. Broders, A. Chesters, C. Gregory-Peake, S. Hamlyn, A. Hall, M. Haynes, W. McDonnell, J. Martin, J. Sinnott, and H. Vasey.

IN ATTENDANCE

Zoë Dean – Town Centre Manager/Assistant Town Clerk

87. Apologies

Cllr Cooper – work commitment

Cllr Shepherd – work commitment

88. Declarations of Interest

None received.

89. Public Participation

No members of the public were present.

90. Confidential Business

After a proposal from Cllr Duffy, seconded by Cllr Chesters,

It was **WTC/96/2021 RESOLVED** that under the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, the public and press be excluded for the remainder of the meeting because of the likely disclosure of private and confidential information or staff matters.

All meeting recordings were ceased.

91. Staffing Matters

A confidential verbal report was read out to members.

1. Following a proposal from Cllr Duffy, seconded by Cllr Hamlyn,
It was **WTC97/2021 RESOLVED** to accept the recommendations in the report. All in favour.
2. Additional support for staff.
After a proposal from Cllr Duffy, seconded by Cllr Hamlyn,
It was **WTC98/2021 RESOLVED** to ratify the recommendation from the Chairman of the Council, and chairs of Finance and Personnel Committees, to appoint Gillian Bailey, a well-qualified locum clerk, two days per week for one month, on a rolling contract.

The Mayor thanked all councillors and staff for their hard work during what had been a difficult few weeks.

The meeting closed at 12:19pm.

Chairman

Date