

FALMOUTH TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of Falmouth Town Council held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Buildings, Falmouth on Monday 24th April 2006 at 7.00 pm for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Present: Councillors: R.J. Bonney (Town Mayor), I.J. Body, M.R. Brain, G W Chin-Quee, Mrs. L.S. Coles, S.D. Eva, G.F Evans, B.A.E. Hobbins, L.J. Lloyd, Dr. D.A. Sterratt, Mrs L.A. Trenchard, M.A. Varney and Mrs M.H. Wengradt

In attendance: A M.Williams (Town Clerk)
S.J. Polglase (Deputy Clerk & Finance Officer)
D. Lang (Town Centre Manager)
Reverend S. Tudgey (Mayor's Chaplain)

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C3170 APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received and approved from Councillor Mrs. Biggins (family commitments), Mrs. Davies (prior engagement) and Mrs. Ryan (holiday).

An apology was also received from PC Hocking due to pressure of work.

C3171 INTERESTS

None received.

C3172 MINUTES

It was proposed by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Varney and

RESOLVED that the Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held on 27th March 2006 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

C3173 TOWN MAYOR'S REPORT

The Town Mayor reported his attendance on behalf of the Council at a variety of events and meetings.

C3174 COMMITTEE REPORTS

The Art Gallery Committee dated 3rd April 2006 was presented by Councillor Chin-Quee, Chairman of the Committee.

It was proposed by Councillor Chin-Quee, seconded by Councillor Mrs. Trenchard and

RESOLVED that the report of the Committee dated 3rd April 2006 be approved.

The Finance and General Purposes Committee Part I report dated 10th April 2006 (Part 1) was presented by Councillor Evans, Chairman of the Committee.

It was proposed by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Sterratt and

RESOLVED that the report of the Committee

dated 10th April 2006 be approved.

The Planning Committee report dated 27th March 2006 was presented by Councillor Brain, Chairman of the Committee.

It was proposed by Councillor Brain seconded by Councillor Sterratt and

RESOLVED that the report of the Committee dated 27th March 2006 be approved.

The Planning Committee report dated 10th April 2006 was presented by Councillor Brain, Chairman of the Committee. He clarified the amount of support, or otherwise for the proposals and advised he would instruct the Committee to consider the matter further at 15th May 2006 meeting.

It was proposed by Councillor Brain seconded by Councillor Sterratt and

RESOLVED that the report of the Committee dated 10th April 2006 be approved.

C3175 COUNCILLOR ATTENDANCE 2005/06

The attached Schedule of Councillor attendance for the 2005/06 municipal year was noted.

C3176 COMMUNITY POLICING REPORT

The Community policing report was duly noted and forms part of these minutes.

C3177 TOWN CENTRE MANAGERS REPORT

The Council welcomed Mr. Lang the newly appointed Town Centre Manager who presented his report which was duly noted and forms part of these minutes.

Further to the report and a discussion on successor Objective 1 funding the Town Centre Manager advised that it was crucial that prospective schemes and projects have a consensus of community support.

C3178 TOWN CLERKS REPORT

The Town Clerk presented his report to members that was duly noted and forms part of these minutes.

Further to his report he advised upon an invitation from the National Association of Local Councils for a representative of the Council to participate in discussions upon local government reorganisation in Cornwall. No Councillor nomination was forthcoming.

C3179 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

It was proposed by Councillor Sterratt, seconded by Councillor Eva and

RESOLVED that in view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted it is advisable in the public interest that the public and press be temporarily excluded and they are instructed to withdraw.