

**HEDGE END TOWN COUNCIL - MINUTES OF A FULL COUNCIL
MEETING HELD 20 MAY 2015**

Cllrs. Present: Cllr. Stephanie Arnold, Cllr. Connor Burgess, Cllr. Paul Carnell, Cllr. Stephen Carr, Cllr. Helen Corben, Cllr. Ian Corben, Cllr. Cynthia Garton, Cllr. Jerry Hall, Cllr. Keith House, Cllr. Georgina Jenks, Cllr. John Jupe, Cllr. Michael Lyons, Cllr. James Mitchell, Cllr. Emma Noman (Chairman), Cllr. Derek Pretty, Cllr. Shankerlal Sthankiya, Cllr. Bruce Tennent, Cllr. Jane Welsh

1. Public Questions not on the Agenda

None recorded

2. Apologies

Cllr. Val Houghton, Cllr. Kevin Paddick, Cllr. Chris Yates

3. Declarations of Interest

None recorded.

4. To Receive a Police Report

None received

5. To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the Council meeting held Wednesday 15th April 2015

RESOLVED

That the Minutes of the meeting held on 15th April 2015 be confirmed and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

6. Chair's Remarks

The Chair thanked those present for her election to the Chairmanship of the Town Council. She stated she wanted to be community focussed and advised members of the Dementia Friendly Communities project and developing this for Hedge End. She reported that a grant of £1,000 has been received from Eastleigh Borough Council to help deliver this for Hedge End.

7. Resolved Items for Noting Only:

a) Community & Culture Committee – 14 April 2015

(Minute CC820)

That the Minutes of the Meeting of 14 April 2015 be received.

b) Highways & Planning Committee – 15 April 2015

(Minute H90)

That the Minutes of the Meeting of 15 April 2015 be received.

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8. Borough and County Council Reports

Cllr. Jerry Hall wished to congratulate Cllr. Jane Welsh on her recent election as Mayor of the Borough of Eastleigh. He also Proposed that a note of congratulations should be sent to the newly elected MP for Eastleigh, Mims Davies, to which all members agreed.

Cllr. Derek Pretty reported that at the last HEWEB LAC meeting the issue of the Bradbeer roundabout was discussed. It was acknowledged that the overgrown weeds need to be trimmed back and it is understood that landscaping of the area will take place in early June. He also extended his congratulations to Cllr. Jane Welsh on her election as Mayor of the Borough of Eastleigh.

Cllr. Jane Welsh felt it was appropriate for the Town Council to extend a Vote of Thanks to those Town Councillors who served the previous Council whether they retired from service or lost their seat.

Cllr. Keith House advised members that the roundabout at Bradbeers was a project funded by them and all issues relating to the delivery of this scheme is the responsibility of Hampshire County Council as the Highway Authority. He touched on the forthcoming challenges around the Local Plan and that the Sundays Hill development appears deliverable. The Botley by-pass plan may be taken forward and that Eastleigh Borough Council is working closely with Winchester City Council. He advised members that the Hilton Hotel at the Ageas Bowl has recently opened offering world class facilities.

Cllr. Bruce Tennent reported that he has received the latest schedule of works to be undertaken under Operation Resilience. It is planned to undertake works to the footway at Chichester Close for drainage works.

He advised that he recently attended an information seminar at Hampshire County Council on economic development and domestic abuse, which is designed to aid in case load work.

Cllr. Bruce Tennent stated that he will be attending the Hampshire County Council Full Council Annual General Meeting later this week.

There being no further business to transact, the Chairman closed the meeting at 20.10 hours.