## HEDGE END TOWN COUNCIL - MINUTES OF A FULL COUNCIL MEETING HELD 15 MAY 2019

**Clirs. Present:** Clir. Paul Carnell, Clir. Helen Corben, Clir. Ian Corben, Clir Tonia Craig, Clir. Cynthia Garton, Clir. John Jupe, Clir Lucy Jurd (Chair), Clir Rupert Kyrle, Clir Cliff Morris, Clir Ron Nichols, Clir Derek Pretty, Clir Anne Small, Clir Ben Thomas, Clir. Jane Welsh, Clir Geoffrey Westgarth,

## 1. Apologies

Cllr Margaret Allingham, Cllr George Brown, Cllr. Keith House, Cllr Pat Jenkins

## 2. Public Questions not on the Agenda

None recorded.

#### 3. Declarations of Interest

None recorded.

## 4. To Receive a Police Report

PCSO Christopher Rutter was unable to attend the meeting and the police reports were circulated at the meeting. The report is appended to these minutes.

Cllr Corben mentioned that traveller encampment at Woodhouse Lane and any residents concerns should be reported via 101.

Cllr Craig asked about the report statistics and if they are ones that have been attended whereas there is a lot of low level crime that often goes either unreported or unattended. The Town Clerk to clarify this with the PCSO.

Cllr Kyrle asked about the possibility of raising speeding vehicles in Hedge End with the Chief Constable as speeding issues are often not dealt with by the police and this is an increasing problem in the area. The Town Clerk to raise this issue with the Chief Constable.

Councillors discussed the option of traffic calming measures and if this could be raised with the County Council. Cllr Garton reminded the meeting that the police recently increased their precept to provide more policing in local areas. Cllr Craig highlighted that some of the Hedge End Policing Team have recently retired or about to retire. The Town Clerk to raise concerns with Darren Miller.

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5. To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on Wednesday 17 April 2019

#### **RESOLVED**

That the Minutes of the meeting held on 17 April 2019 be confirmed and signed by the Chair as a correct record.

Cllr Garton updated the meeting that she had received a response on the Maypole roundabout outlining that no further action was being taken and will be following this up.

### 6. Chair's Remarks

The Chair thanked the Town Clerk and staff for organising the Annual Parish Assembly and ensuring it ran smoothly.

The chair highlighted how humbling the youth awards were for young people in the community helping others. Awards were also made for Best Cultivated Allotment and then a number of awards from the Friday Night Project. These were presented by the Mayor of Eastleigh, Cllr Darshan Mann.

Cllr Lucy Jurd is looking forward to chairing the council and working closely with everyone over the forthcoming year.

## 7. Resolved Items for NOTING Only:

a) Highways & Planning Committee – 17 April 2019 and 24 April 2019 (*Minute H242 and H246*)

That the Minutes of the meeting of the 17 April 2019 and 24 April 2019 be received.

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## 8. Eastleigh Borough Council and Hampshire County Council Reports

Cllr Garton updated the meeting on the Eastleigh Borough Council AGM and Mayor Making where Cllr Darshan Mann was appointed as the Mayor.

Cllr Kyle updated the meeting that Cllr Cynthia Garton was appointed Deputy Mayor.

Cllr Pretty updated the meeting on works taking place in Dowds Farm which is believed to be Bovis Homes and will follow this up.

Cllr Ron Nichols informed the meeting of a water main burst at the top of Shamblehurst Lane. Southern Water have been informed and traffic lights are in operation.

Cllr Kryle reported that the works on Heath House lane by SGN has been disruptive. There has been reports of fly tipping under the new bridge and the developer has been made aware that this needs to have further work to prevent future incidents.

The councillors wanted it noted that thanks should be extended to Cllr lan Corben as the retiring Chairman.

It was questioned if there was any procedure for recognising long serving councillors. Councillors agreed to discuss this outside of the meeting.

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There being no further business the Chairman closed the meeting at 8.15pm.