



HAYLE TOWN COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEETING

THURSDAY 1 OCTOBER 2020

Minutes of the Hayle Town Council Meeting held via Zoom on Thursday 1 October 2020 commencing at 7.15pm with a **Public Participation Session**.

PRESENT

Councillor C Polkinghorne (Mayor)
Councillors S Benney, H Blakeley, D Bradshaw, B Capper, G Coad, D Cocks, S Johnson, B Mims, P Nidds, J Pollard, A Rance and A Roden

Town Clerk E Giggall
Snr Support Officer M Costello

7.15PM PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION

No members of the public were present.

7.15PM THE MEETING COMMENCED

61 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS (For Information Only)

The Mayor had no announcements to make. The Clerk explained to councillors that the office staff would be working on a rota basis covering the office opening hours, the rest of their time would be spent working from home, following the most recent government guidelines.

62 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Councillor Mims, who was experiencing technical difficulties. The Mayor advised that he would try join the meeting as soon as he could.

63 TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS

There were none.

64 TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF FULL COUNCIL MEETING 17 SEPTEMBER 2020

It was resolved that the minutes of the full council meeting 17 September 2020 be taken as a true and accurate record.

The Mayor to sign each page in due course.

65 TO DISCUSS MATTERS WHICH WERE RAISED DURING PUBLIC PARTICIPATION 17 SEPTEMBER 2020

All matters were dealt with at the time.

66 TO RECEIVE REPORTS OF OTHER COMMITTEES

- a) Hayle Harbour Committee, 10 September 2020

It was resolved to approve the report of Hayle Harbour Committee Meeting 10 September 2020.

67 REPORTS FROM OTHER BODIES/WORKING PARTIES/EVENTS

The Mayor provided an update on the proposed Remembrance Service which he explained was likely to be held at the Memorial only, with no Church service due to current restrictions. Following a discussion with Councillor Nidds regarding wreaths and how many people could attend, the Clerk asked to convene a meeting with the two councillors to discuss what would be possible, as Hayle Town Council (HTC) had previously agreed to help organise the event as there needed to be clarity about which organisation (the Hayle RBL or HTC) was ultimately responsible.

Councillor Johnson reported that she and the Facilities and Contracts Manager, Phil Drew, had recently taken receipt of the notice board and litter pickers for the 2 Minute Skatepark Clean initiative, which she felt would be useful to promote in the spring when more users of the Skatepark could be expected.

(Councillors Coad and Mims joined the meeting at 7.30pm)

68 ACCOUNTS

- a) To approve the Income and Expenditure of the Council for August 2020 as listed on Appendix B

It was resolved to approve the Income and Expenditure of the Council for August 2020 as listed on Appendix B.

69 STANDING AGENDA ITEMS

- a) Hayle Harbour Update

It was reported that the development appeared to be progressing quickly. Caravans had been situated at the Riviere Fields site in order to provide accommodation to workers and Members queried whether planning permission was required. Information had also been sought regarding how many local workers were on site, the answer given by the developer was that there were eighty from the surrounding areas. It was further reported that 4 portacabins were sited on the "Spit" behind Jewson's, which appeared to be used for fishermen to store equipment and may be of concern to the RSPB. Finally, the Mayor complimented Cllr Coad for voicing concern about the forthcoming Hayle Harbour Advisory Committee (HACC) being held at the Harbour Office, he had advised that they should hold virtual meetings in future due to numbers present.

The Clerk undertook to write to David Speight, the development manager and Cornwall Council (CC) to enquire whether planning permission is required for the caravans.

b) Cornwall Council Update

It was reported that the Highways Officer had been contacted regarding concern at the amount of accidents occurring at Carwin Rise resulting from issues with the roundabout. Further areas of concern were discussed regarding Maddison Vean, where there are no pavements, little parking and no play areas and finally at Caroline Row, where there is an area in front of the properties which is apparently “no-man’s land” and has trees growing onto the highway.

c) Cornwall Community Governance Reviews

The Clerk had nothing new to report and Members discussed a recent meeting of the CC Electoral Reform group which had recently met to review the recommendations. No decisions had been published to date.

**70 CLERK’S REPORT/CORRESPONDENCE/ /MEETINGS/
INCIDENTALS**

a) To receive an update regarding the proposed additional CCTV camera in the vicinity of Ellis Park and to consider the quotation provided by SSE

The Clerk provided some background information on the issues of anti-social behaviour at Ellis Park which had been raised at a full council meeting in October 2019. It had been resolved to fund an additional CCTV camera and a sum of money had been placed in the 2020/21 budget for this purpose. The project had been delayed due to Covid. She explained that following a recent site meeting with SSE it had become apparent that the installation of a new camera would prove to be more costly than previously thought due to the required location and there being no direct connection link to existing cameras in the system. The quote provided was for 12-13k which was greater than the budget, however, the Clerk advised that the additional cost could potentially be met by using earmarked reserves, if the Council agreed. The Clerk informed Members that she, with the support of Councillor Rance and Sarah Kind of Cornwall Fire and Rescue Service, had pro-actively applied to the PCC for a grant towards the cost.

It was resolved to delay making a decision for 3 months to determine the result of the application for funding to the PCC.

b) Meetings

The Clerk read out forthcoming meetings which she told Members would be confirmed the following day by email.

Finally the Mayor expressed his thanks to all Councillors for a full turnout.

The meeting closed at 8 pm.

Approved by the council as a true record, at its meeting 15 October 2020

Town Mayor

Date