DOVER TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of the FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE held in the Council Offices, Maison Dieu House, Biggin Street, Dover on Wednesday 23rd November 2016 at 6pm.

PRESENT

Councillor R Walkden - Chairman
Councillor Brivio
Councillor Burke
Councillor Cowan
Councillor Jenner
Councillor Precious
Councillor Rix (ex-officio all Committees)
Councillor Ward
Councillor Wood

217. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Shirley (prior engagement) and Wanstall (family illness).

218. <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</u>

Members present made no declarations of disclosable pecuniary and/or other interests as required by law.

219. MINUTES

The Committee considered the minutes of the meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on 14th September 2016.

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on 14th September 2016 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

220. TOWN COUNCIL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The Committee noted that the schedules of payments made by the Town Council during September were approved at the Town Council meeting held on the 19th October 2016.

The Committee considered the schedules of payments made by the Town Council during October 2016.

Chairman

The Committee noted the out-turn of Committee budget to 31st October 2016.

The Committee noted McCabe Ford Williams' letter of 1st November 2016 concerning the recent interim audit visit.

RESOLVED:

That the schedules of payments made by the Town Council October 2016 be laid before the next meeting of the Town Council in accordance with Standing Order 3(x);

221. PROGRESS SHEETS

The Committee noted that there are no outstanding items concerning resolutions made by the Finance & General Purposes Committee during 2016/17.

222. COUNCILLORS WARD GRANTS

The Committee noted the current situation with Councillors Ward Grants (spreadsheet handed out at the meeting).

223. OFFICE PREMISES & ADMINISTRATION

The Committee noted the Chairman's report of 8th November 2016 concerning telephone systems.

The Committee noted the Chairman's report of 10th November 2016 concerning the recent inspection of the Town Council's Assets.

224. ALLOTMENT INSPECTION

The Committee noted the RFO's report of 19th September 2016 concerning the inspection of the Town Council's allotments in September 2016.

225. <u>INFORMATION ITEMS</u>

There were no items of information regarding the Committee's responsibilities received.

The meeting closed at 6.18pm

Councillor R Walkden CHAIRMAN

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