



## Seaford Town Council

**MINUTES** of a **Meeting** of the **Full Council** held at the Council Chambers, 37 Church Street, Seaford on **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2016** at **7.00pm**.

### **Present:**

Councillor L Freeman (Mayor) and Councillor C Campbell (Deputy Mayor).

Councillors S Adeniji, D Argent, P Boorman, M Brown, D Burchett, B Burfield, R Hayder, R Honeyman, O Honeyman, M Lambert, A Latham, P Lower, A McLean, L Wallraven and L Worcester.

James Corrigan, Town Clerk – Seaford Town Council

Georgia Raeburn, PA to the Town Clerk – Seaford Town Council (minutes)

6 members of the public.

### **C19/05/16 Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor R Chambers.

### **C20/05/16 Disclosure of Interests**

No declarations were made of discloseable pecuniary interests or interests other than pecuniary interests as defined under the Seaford Town Council Code of Conduct and the Localism Act 2011, in relation to matters on the agenda.

### **C21/05/16 Public Participation**

*Laurence Holland*

*Questioned whether the Council would consider holding its meeting at The View at Seaford Head.*

The Council requested that the Town Clerk report back to the next Council meeting on the options with regards to venues for the public Council meetings.

### **C22/05/16 Minutes**

It was **RESOLVED** to **ADOPT** the following minutes and **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** the recommendations therein:

**C22.1** Personnel – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2016

**C22.2** Planning & Highways – 21<sup>st</sup> April 2016, with an amendment to P115/4/16 where Constitutional Club has been recorded as Conservative Club in error.

**C22.3** Council – 28<sup>th</sup> April 2016, with an amendment to C102/04/16 recording the response to a question raised during public participation by Mr Woodward.

### **C23/05/16 Final Meeting Attendance Record**

The Council considered report 12/16.

It was **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the final meeting attendance record for the 2015-2016 Municipal Year.

### **C24/05/16 Consultation on New Electoral Arrangements for East Sussex County Council**

The Council considered report 13/16.

It was **RESOLVED** to **INSTRUCT** the Town Clerk to submit a response to the consultation on the New Electoral Arrangements for East Sussex County Council as proposed by The Local Government Boundary Commission, outlining that the Town Council objects to the proposed

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amendments regarding the newly created Newhaven & Bishopstone Ward, Seaford North Ward and Seaford South Ward. In particular with part of Bishopstone being isolated in the Newhaven & Bishopstone Ward and unlikely to receive the representation it should. Bishopstone is a part of Seaford town and should be represented as so. A recommendation will be made for Seaford to be identified instead as three County wards; Seaford Downs, Seaford Seaside and Seaford Bishopstone. The Town Council has concerns that labelling County wards North and South, as proposed in the consultation, will cause confusion given that these do not reflect the North and South ward boundaries the Town Council operates.

The meeting closed at 9.15pm.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lindsay Freeman'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Councillor Lindsay Freeman  
Mayor of Seaford