

HUNTINGDON TOWN COUNCIL

To; All Members of Huntingdon Town Council

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONSED TO ATTEND
An extra ordinary meeting of the
TOWN COUNCIL
to be held at
ASSEMBLE ROOM, TOWN HALL, HUNTINGDON
on
TUESDAY 26TH OCTOBER 2021
at
6.30pm

20th October 2021

P. R. Peacock

Town Hall
Market Hill
Huntingdon
PE29 3PJ

PHILIP PEACOCK
TOWN CLERK

AGENDA

23. **STANDING ORDERS**

To approve the suspension for this meeting only of Standing Order 5.g (wearing of robes) as per Standing Order 26.d.

24. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive and accept any apologies for absence.

Clerk's Note: Any apologies should be received by the Town Clerk prior to the meeting, with the reasons for absence being accepted by the meeting

25. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To receive any declarations of interest from Councillors in any matter included on this agenda.

26. **COVID 19**

Members to discuss and agree the matter of should Council Meeting continue to be held Face-to-Face or to revert to virtual meeting.

If Members agree to return to virtual Meetings, they will need to rescind their previous resolution made at Recess Meeting on 19th August Agenda item 4, first before proceeding with new proposal.

A – Rescind resolution of 19th August, agenda item No.4 to return to full face-to-face meetings

B – Resolve to return to virtual meetings of all committees and sub-committees – with only the full Town Council meeting face to face from 27th October 2021 to 28th February 2022

27. **COVID-19 MEETING CALENDAR**

Members to receive and adopt Covid-19 Meeting Calendar covering period 27th October 2021 to 28th February 2022 – Copy attached

28. **DELEGATED POWERS OF AUTHORITY**

Members are invited to future extend the Powers of Delegated Authority to the Town Clerk to cover the period up to 31st May 2022.

29. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of the Town Council will be held on Thursday 11th November 2021.

This meeting will be serviced by the Town Clerk – Telephone 01480 410383

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Notes

A. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

(1) Members are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests and unless you have obtained dispensation, cannot discuss or vote on the matter at the meeting and must also leave the room whilst the matter is being debated or voted on.

(2) A Member has a disclosable pecuniary interest if it

- (a) relates to you, or
- (b) is an interest of -
 - (i) your spouse or civil partner; or (ii) a person with whom you are living as husband and wife; or (iii) a person with whom you are living as if you were civil partners and you are aware that the other person has the interest.

(3) Disclosable pecuniary interests includes -

- (a) any employment or profession carried out for profit or gain;
- (b) any financial benefit received by the Member in respect of expenses incurred carrying out his or her duties as a Member (except from the Council);
- (c) any current contracts with the Council;
- (d) any beneficial interest in land/property within the Council's area;
- (e) any licence for a month or longer to occupy land in the Council's area;
- (f) any tenancy where the Council is landlord and the Member (or person in (2)(b) above) has a beneficial interest; or
- (g) a beneficial interest (above the specified level) in the shares of any body which has a place of business or land in the Council's area.

B. Other Interests

- (4) If a Member has a non-disclosable pecuniary interest or a non-pecuniary interest then you are required to declare that interest, but may remain to discuss and vote.
- (5) A Member has a non-disclosable pecuniary interest or a non-pecuniary interest where -
 - (a) a decision in relation to the business being considered might reasonably be regarded as affecting the well-being or financial standing of you or a member of your family or a person with whom you have a close association to a greater extent than it would affect the majority of the council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the ward or electoral area for which you have been elected or otherwise of the Council's administrative area, or
 - (b) it relates to or is likely to affect any of the descriptions referred to above, but in respect of a member of your family (other than specified in (2)(b) above) or a person with whom you have a close association and that interest is not a disclosable pecuniary interest.

For Members of the Public or Press to join the meeting, you will be required to email Huntingdon Town Council, only limited numbers may attend due to social distancing requirements. Please email town.council@huntingdowntown.gov.uk to request this access, stating your name and address and business (if applicable) please. You will be emailed further details.