# REDRUTH TOWN COUNCIL



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Town Mayor: Cllr R S Barnes

Minutes of a Meeting of the Redruth Town Council held at Redruth Civic Centre, Alma Place, Redruth on Monday 25th March 2024

Present:

Cllr S Barnes

Cllr A Biscoe

Cllr H Biscoe Cllr M Brown

Cllr K Grasso Cllr R Major

Cllr D Reeve Cllr C Skinner Cllr I Thomas

Cllr W Tremayne

In attendance: Ms A Hunt

Ms S White

Miss K O'Dell

**Operations Officer** 

Chairman

**Engagement Officer** 

Administration Assistant

Three members of Redruth Youth Council were also in attendance

#### 1575.1 To receive apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs Broad, Craze, Ellenbroek and Garrick (other commitments)

1575.2 Members to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or non-registerable interests (including details thereof) in respect of any item(s) on this Agenda

None were declared.

#### 1575.3 To receive a presentation from Redruth Youth Council on their recent work

The three Redruth Youth Councillors in attendance introduced themselves. They set out the work of the Youth Council, both in their regular meetings and in the community. Town Councillors were updated on the Youth Council's activities and achievements over the previous year. These included: holding annual elections; creation of a new Instagram page; being involved in town events; a visit to St Michael's Mount; taking part in Make Your Mark 2024; holding a joint meeting with Redruth School Student Council; working with the Operations team and former Mayor to plant a rose in commemoration of HM Queen Elizabeth II; providing advice on how to make the Library more appealing to young people and coming up with ideas for improvements to East End Playing Field. The Youth Council also continued to be involved in discussions with, and provide advice to, other local councils and national organisations. Future plans were set out, including working with officers on a new activity for Murdoch Day, and a request was made for assistance from Town Councillors in ensuring that young people's voices were heard in

the decision-making process. Cllr Barnes stated that Redruth Youth Council did an excellent job and encouraged them to keep up their good work. Cllr Brown raised concerns that the British Youth Council was being discontinued and was advised that Cornwall Cllr Ellenbroek had been invited to the next Redruth Youth Council meeting. Councillors thanked the Youth Councillors for their time and gave them a round of applause.

# 1575.4 To receive reports from the Cornwall Council Ward Members on their work within the Redruth Parish

A report from Cornwall Cllr Ellenbroek had been circulated prior to the meeting. The report was noted. A written report from Cornwall Cllr Barnes would be circulated by email the following day.

#### 1575.5 To receive the Town Mayor's announcements

A written report would be circulated by email the following day.

#### 1575.6 To confirm the Minutes of the:

## 1575.6.1 Meeting of the Council held on 26th February 2024

RESOLVED by Majority to confirm the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on the 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024 as a true and accurate record of proceedings [Proposed Cllr H Biscoe; Seconded Cllr Barnes]. Cllr Grasso abstained as she had not been present at the meeting.

### 1575.6.2 Meeting of the Council held on 11th March 2024

RESOLVED by Majority to confirm the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on the 11<sup>th</sup> March 2024 as a true and accurate record of proceedings [Proposed Cllr Thomas; Seconded Cllr H Biscoe]. Cllr Skinner abstained as he had not been present at the meeting.

#### 1575.7 To receive the Town Clerk's report

A report had been circulated prior to the meeting. Councillors were asked to inform the Engagement Officer if they were approached by any media in their capacity as Town Councillor. The Operations Officer advised that the workshop for the Brewery site was to be held on 22<sup>nd</sup> April. An email confirming the details would be sent to those Councillors who had expressed interest in attending. The report was noted.

#### 1575.8 To receive Correspondence

Correspondence in relation to a temporary prohibition of traffic on Gas Lane was noted.

# 1575.9 To receive the Minutes as reports of the following committee meetings, and to accept and approve the recommendations and resolutions contained within the minutes of the:

#### 1575.9.1 Finance Committee – 20th February 2024

Unanimously RESOLVED that the minutes of the Finance Committee Meeting held on the 20<sup>th</sup> February 2024 are received and the recommendations and resolutions are accepted and approved [Proposed Cllr Barnes; Seconded Cllr H Biscoe].

#### 1575.9.2 Operations Committee – 4th March 2024

Unanimously RESOLVED that the minutes of the Operations Committee Meeting held on the 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 are received and the recommendations and resolutions are accepted and approved [Proposed Cllr Tremayne; Seconded Cllr Thomas].



1575.9.3 Staffing Committee – 18th March 2024

Unanimously RESOLVED that the minutes of the Staffing Committee Meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024 are received and the recommendations and resolutions are accepted and approved [Proposed Cllr Brown; Seconded Cllr A Biscoe].

1575.10 To consider the planning applications

No consultation requests had been received.

1575.11 To receive feedback from the recent "Meet Your Councillor" event

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the March Meet Your Councillor event had not taken place.

1575.12 To consider the leasing of Unit 7 Market Way

A report had been circulated prior to the meeting.

1575.12.1Unanimously RESOLVED to offer McMinns Gallery the tenancy of Unit 7 with immediate effect [Proposed Cllr Brown; Seconded Cllr H Biscoe].

1575.13 To consider and approve the Schedule of Payments

1575.13.1 Unanimously RESOLVED to approve the Schedule of Payments [Proposed Cllr Barnes; Seconded Cllr H Biscoe].

Chairman

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All references for PA24/ unless otherwise stated.

Meeting: Monday 25th March 2024

REF NO	CC REF	SITE	PROPOSAL	DECISION
			LIST 1	
			NIL	

LIST 2	
NIL	

