

## **Extraordinary Council – 29 March 2007**

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Minutes of the meeting of **Extraordinary Council** held on **29 March 2007** when there were present:-

Chairman: Cllr Mrs M J Webster

Cllr R A Amner	Cllr Mrs S A Harper
Cllr Mrs P Aves	Cllr K H Hudson
Cllr C I Black	Cllr A J Humphries
Cllr Mrs R Brown	Cllr T Livings
Cllr Mrs L A Butcher	Cllr D Merrick
Cllr P A Capon	Cllr Mrs J A Mockford
Cllr J P Cottis	Cllr J M Pullen
Cllr T G Cutmore	Cllr P K Savill
Cllr T E Goodwin	Cllr C G Seagers
Cllr K J Gordon	Cllr S P Smith
Cllr J E Grey	Cllr P F A Webster

### **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs Mrs T J Capon, Mrs H L A Glynn, C A Hungate, Mrs L Hungate, J R F Mason, Mrs M A Starke, M G B Starke and Mrs B J Wilkins.

### **OFFICERS PRESENT**

P Warren	- Chief Executive
N Khan	- Solicitor
C Honey	- Trainee Solicitor
S Worthington	- Committee Administrator

### **EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

#### **Resolved**

That the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining business on the grounds that exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 would be disclosed.

### **98 TERM OF OFFICE**

Council considered the exempt report of the Head of Administrative and Member Services on a Councillor's term of office.

It was observed that the Member in question needed to attend a Council-related meeting or training session by a specific date, otherwise under the existing attendance rules that Member would effectively cease to hold office, having not attended a Council meeting for the specified period. The Council could take a decision to vary the attendance requirement, but no evidence had been provided to justify such a decision.

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On a Motion moved by Cllr T G Cutmore and seconded by Cllr P A Capon it was:-

### **Resolved**

That the existing attendance policy be re-confirmed. (HAMS)

The meeting commenced at 7.00 pm and closed at 7.10 pm.

Chairman .....

Date .....

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