

EPSOM AND EWELL

Minutes of the Meeting of the COUNCIL of the BOROUGH of EPSOM AND EWELL held at the Town Hall, Epsom on 17 October 2017

PRESENT -

The Mayor (Councillor Liz Frost); The Deputy Mayor (Councillor Neil Dallen); Councillors Michael Arthur, Tony Axelrod, John Beckett, Steve Bridger, Kate Chinn, Alex Clarke, George Crawford, Lucie Dallen, Hannah Dalton, Graham Dudley, Robert Foote, Chris Frost, Rob Geleit, Eber Kington, Tina Mountain, Barry Nash, Martin Olney, Jane Race, David Reeve, Humphrey Reynolds, Guy Robbins, Vince Romagnuolo, Clive Smitheram, Jean Steer, Mike Teasdale, Peter Webb, Clive Woodbridge and Tella Wormington

<u>Absent:</u> Councillors Richard Baker, Rekha Bansil, Omer Kokou-Tchri, Jan Mason, Peter O'Donovan, Keith Partridge, Alan Sursham and David Wood

The Meeting was preceded by prayers led by the Mayor's Chaplain

17 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made by councillors regarding items on the Agenda.

18 MINUTES

It was noted that the Minutes of the Meeting of Council on 25 April 2017 had in fact been agreed at the Annual Meeting in May 2017. The Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Council held on 19 September 2017 were agreed as a true record. The Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Council held on 16 May 2017 were also agreed as a true record, subject to noting that the Mayor had in fact appointed two Chaplains to cover the period of her occupancy of the Office. The Mayor signed both set of Minutes and the Minutes of the Annual Council Meeting would be amended accordingly.

19 MAYORAL COMMUNICATIONS/BUSINESS

Thanking those who had already responded, the Mayor stressed the importance of responding to Eileen Askew, without delay, regarding attendance on Remembrance Sunday. In that regard, the Mayor extended a warm welcome to Eileen, the Council's new PA/Civic and Ceremonial Officer.

Finally, on behalf of the Council, the Mayor recorded the Council's thanks and appreciation to the Head of Legal and Democratic Services who was leaving to become Attorney General of the Falkland Islands and South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands.

20 QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS

Six questions had been addressed to Committee Chairmen to which written answers had been provided and published.

21 SEXUAL ENTERTAINMENT VENUE AND SEX ESTABLISHMENT POLICY

Council received a report from the Head of Housing and Community regarding the updated Sexual Entertainment Venue and Sex Establishment Policy.

Councillor Graham Dudley **MOVED** and Councillor Neil Dallen **SECONDED** the recommendation in the report. Upon being put, the recommendation was **CARRIED** (without a division) and it was

RESOLVED that:

That Council adopt the revised Sexual Entertainment Venue and Sex Establishment Policy attached as Annexe 1 to the report.

22 MOTIONS TO COUNCIL

No motions to Council had been received by the deadline of 5pm on Wednesday 4 October 2017 (eight clear working days before the meeting).

The meeting began at 7.30 pm and ended at 7.49 pm

LIZ FROST MAYOR