

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of St Ives Town Council held in The Guildhall, St Ives on Monday 17 May 2021 at 11.00am

PRESENT

Chairman – Councillor K Arthur (Town Mayor)

Vice-Chairman – Councillor S Tanner (Deputy Town Mayor)

COUNCILLORS

Beveridge J

Bradford R

Dale A

Harris A

Hodson C

Hynes S

Messenger K

Mitchell A

Ryall J

Wells J

OFFICER

Town Clerk

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE - were received from Councillors L Rogers and L Taylor.

2. RECEIPT OF DECLARATIONS OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE OF COUNCILLORS

The Town Clerk reported that all the newly elected town councillors had signed their Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

3. ELECTION OF TOWN MAYOR FOR THE YEAR 2021-22

Having been proposed by Councillor Harris and seconded by Councillor Tanner, the proposition was put to the Council where it was:

RESOLVED – that Councillor K Arthur be elected Town Mayor of St Ives for the ensuing Council year and until her successor is appointed.

4. CHARTER OATH

The Town Mayor read the Charter Oath of James II.

5. MAYOR'S DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

The Mayor made her Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

6. ELECTION OF DEPUTY TOWN MAYOR FOR THE YEAR 2021-22

The Mayor proposed Councillor S Tanner as the Deputy Mayor for the coming year. The motion was seconded by Councillor A Mitchell and the proposition was put to the Council where it was

RESOLVED – that Councillor S Tanner be elected Deputy Mayor of St Ives for the ensuing Council year.

7. **DEPUTY TOWN MAYOR'S DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE**

The Deputy Mayor read her Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

8. **APPOINTMENT OF MAYORS CHAPLAIN**

The Mayor announced that she appointed Revd. Nicholas Widdows as Mayor's Chaplain for the coming year until the new vicar for the parish church is appointed.

9. **APPOINTMENT OF SERGEANTS AT MACE**

Mr Paul Bates and Mr Raymond Bridgewater were appointed as Sergeant at Mace for the ensuing year and took the Charter Oath.

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

The Mayor announced the invitation from the Churchwardens of the St Ives Parish Church to attend the Church for the Churston Hext Sermon and extended the invitation to all present to join her in the procession to the Church.

Meeting adjourned at 11.24 am

Chairman