MEETING: DATE & TIME: PLACE:

Annual Meeting of Kingswood Town Council

Thursday 18th May 2023 at 7.00pm

Kingswood Civic Centre, High Street, Kingswood, Bristol, BS15 9TR

Chairman:

Alison Evans Councillors: Diane Bentham

Richard Bentham Leigh Ingham Kenneth Rabone Sean Rhodes Alexander Massey James Corrigan

Maria Ingram - Cotton

Also Present: Interim Clerk

In Attendance: 4 members of the public

01.05.23	Election of Chairman				
	Resolved: To elect Councillor Alison Evans as temporary Chairman of the Council for the Municipal Year 2023/2024.				
02.05.23	Election of Deputy Chairman				
	Resolved: To elect Councillor Alexander Massey as temporary Deputy Chairma for the Municipal Year 2023/2024.				
03.05.23	Apologies for absence and to consider the reasons given				
	Liam DavisMatthew PalmerSandie Davis				
	Resolved: To note the apologies				
04.05.23	Declarations of Acceptance of Office				
	Resolved: That Councillor declarations of acceptance of office have been made and to receive any outstanding declarations.				
05.05.23	Adoption of Standing Orders for the Council				
	Resolved: To adopt model Standing Orders for the Council.				
06.05.23	Adoption of Financial Regulations for the Council				
	Resolved: To adopt model Financial Regulations for the Council.				

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07.05.23	Adoption of the Councillor Code of Conduct for the Council				
	Resolved: To adopt the South Gloucestershire Council Code of Conduct with relevant amendments appropriate to the operation of a Town Council.				
08.05.23	Confirmation of interim arrangements for the Clerk to the Council				
	Resolved: To note and confirm the interim arrangements for the Clerk to the Council.				
09.05.23	Initial budget for the Council				
	Resolved: To note the initial budget for the council.				
10.05.23	Work program for the municipal year 2023/2024				
	To agree an initial work program for the municipal year 2023/2024, to include				
	 establishment of relevant council committees - Deferred confirmation of initial annual precept – Deferred 				
	 appointment of permanent clerk to the council - Deferred preparation of Town precept for the financial year 2024/25 - Deferred 				
11.05.23	3 Date of next full council meeting				
	 31st May 2023 14th June 2023 				
	Every subsequent second Wednesday of the month.				

Meeting Closed: 19.52pm

Signed as a True Record	<u>)</u>
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