

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Risca Town Council

Held on Tuesday 12 May 2015 at 6.30 pm at Bethany Baptist Church Hall, Tredegar Street, Risca

Present: Cllr Michael Parker, Cllr Tony Davies, Cllr Sally Davies, Cllr Hazel Dupre (Mayor), Cllr Louise Stephens, Cllr Brian Hancock (Vice Mayor) and Cllr Stephen Tom. Clerk/Proper Officer: Robert Campbell

The meeting commenced at 6.35 pm

### 1. Appointment of a Chairperson/Mayor of the Council

Cllr Stephen Tom was elected to be Mayor for the ensuing year 2015/16. Resolved.

# 2. Appointment of a Vice Chairperson/Vice Mayor

Cllr Brian Hancock was elected to be Vice Mayor for the ensuing year 2015/16. Resolved.

#### 3. Apologies

An apology was received from Cllr Joy Parsons

#### 4 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interests

#### 5 Minutes

The minutes of the AGM held on 6 May 2014 that were signed on 10 June 2014 were duly noted. Resolved.

### 6 Standing Orders 2015/16

The Council's Standing Orders for the ensuing year be adopted with the following items:

6.1 County Members in attendance will be allowed 20 minutes at Full Council meetings to address the Town Councillors for the ensuing year 2015/16. Resolved.

6.2 Members of the public in attendance will be allowed 15 minutes at the earliest opportunity at Full Council meetings to address the Town Councillors for the ensuing year 2015/16. Resolved.

#### 7 Policy Document 2015/2016

The Policy Document for 2015/16 was adopted. Resolved.

#### 8 Appointment of Representatives to Outside Bodies

The following Members were agreed for the ensuing year of 2015/2016:

- Community & Town Councils Liaison Committee Cllr M Parker, Cllr B Hancock and Bob Campbell
- CCBC's Community & Town Council Joint Liaison Committee
  Cllr M Parker, Cllr B Hancock and Bob Campbell
- One Voice Wales Cllr H Dupre, Cllr M Parker and Cllr B Hancock
- SLCC

**Bob Campbell** 

- Minor Authority Representation on the Board of Governors at: 1/ Risca Primary School - Mrs Ffion Green/Cllr H Dupre 2/ Ty Isaf Infants School - Cllr M Parker 3/ Ysgol Cwm Gwyddon – Cllr B Hancock
- Town Centre Management Group Cllr H Dupre, Cllr S Tom and Cllr B Hancock
- Risca Town and Risca East Community Council Joint Project Committee

All Councillors and Clerk are members of this Committee. Resolved.

# 9 Cycle of Meetings for 2015/16

The suggested and discussed cycle of meetings were agreed. Resolved.

The meeting closed at 7.15 pm

Signed : ..... Dated : .....