

## HORWICH TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Council held on Thursday 20 January 2022 held in the Council Chamber, Horwich Public Hall, Lee Lane, Horwich commencing at 7.18 pm.

**PRESENT** Councillors: S. Chadwick (in the Chair), I. Aldcroft, M. Baines, M. Brady, S. Burke, A. Coward, D. Grant, S. Rock, C. Rotheram, G. Stone, S. Williamson, P. Wright.  
Town Clerk, C. Hutchinson.  
1 member of the public.

**CHAIRPERSON TO OUTLINE FIRE AND SAFETY EVACUATION PROCEDURE:**

TC 4049 The Deputy Town Mayor outlined the procedure.

**TO SUBMIT APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND ACCEPT THE REASONS:**

TC 4050 Resolved to accept apologies from Councillor Denton.

**TO REMIND MEMBERS TO MAKE A DECLARATION CONCERNING ANY MATTERS TO BE DISCUSSED DURING THE MEETING OF WHICH THEY HAVE AN INTEREST:**

TC 4051 None.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT MAY PUT QUESTIONS OR MAKE OBSERVATIONS REGARDING MATTERS IN RELATION TO WHICH THE COUNCIL HAS POWERS OR DUTIES OR WHICH AFFECT THE PARISH. MAXIMUM PERIOD 15 MINUTES:**

TC 4052 None.

**TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON 16 DECEMBER 2021:**

TC 4053 Resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting of the Town Council held on 16 December 2021.

**TO NOTE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE HELD ON 16 DECEMBER 2021:**

TC 4054 Resolved to note the minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 16 December 2021.

**TO APPROVE THE COUNCIL'S DRAFT BUDGET PROPOSALS FOR 2022 – 2023:**

TC 4055 Resolved to approve the Council's draft budget proposals for 2022 – 2023 as presented.

**TO APPROVE ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT AS PRESENTED:**

TC 4056 Resolved to approve the accounts for payment as and amounting to £4,746.34 as follows:

Blacksheep Business Communications*	£27.06
(Phone and internet provision 01/1/22)	

-31/01/22)

C. Hutchinson (Re-imbusement for purchase of dog waste bags)	£40.25
HR Solutions* (Monthly HR retainer)	£178.80
Horwich RMI Harriers (Grant award – Pike Fell Race 2021)	£1,094.00
Tameside MBC - GMPF (Pension contributions January)	£1,383.58
HM Revenue and Customs (PAYE tax month 9)	£2,022.65

Payments to Horwich RMI Harriers were made in accordance with LGA 1972 s137.

TO CONFIRM THE DATE FOR THE NEXT MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL AS 24 FEBRUARY 2022:

TC 4057 Resolved to confirm the date of the next meeting of the Town Council as 24 February 2022.

The meeting closed at 7.24 pm.

Chairperson..... Date.....

