

## **HAWARDEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Minutes of the **MEETING** of **HAWARDEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL**  
Held on **8 JUNE 2015**

**PRESENT:** Chair: Councillor Cheryl Carver  
Vice-Chair: Councillor Glenys Diskin

**Councillors:** Ve Amos, Joyce Angell, Clive Carver, Alan Diskin, Alison Halford,  
George Hardcastle, David Hough, Judith Hough, David Mackie, Ralph  
Small and Brian Williams

**Officers:** Mr R N Barnes, Clerk & Financial Officer

### **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Helen Brown, Kevin Jones,  
Emma Preece and John Walker.

### **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:**

There were no declarations of interest made by Members.

### **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:**

IT WAS RESOLVED: that the Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Council held on  
11 May 2015 be approved as a true record and that they be signed by the Chair.

### **MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES:**

There were none

### **MINUTES OF COMMITTEES:**

IT WAS RESOLVED: that the Minutes of the Meetings of the following Committees  
held on 13 April 2015 be received:

Staff & General Purposes  
Lighting Committee  
Playing Fields Committee  
Planning Committee  
Community & Environment Committee  
Finance Committee

## **CHAIR'S REMARKS:**

The Chair of Council, Councillor Cheryl Carver reported that she had attended the following on behalf of the Community Council.

- The Annual General Meeting of the Flint and District Scouts Group at Connah's Quay on 20 May.
- The Bus Subsidy Meeting at County Hall on 5 June.
- The Buckley Town Council Civic Service on 7 June
- Flintshire County Council's Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 8 June 2015 to listen to the debate on the call in of the Cabinet decision with regard to the proposed closure of Hawarden, Mancot and Queensferry Libraries.

The Chair congratulated Councillor Brian Williams and Councillor George Hardcastle on their respective silver and golden wedding anniversaries.

Councillor George Hardcastle asked to be permitted to congratulate the new Chair on being elected to the position for the Municipal Year 2015/2016 and also his congratulations to the out going Chair of Council on a successful year of office. He further referred to the success of the Council's new Vice-Chair, Councillor Glenys Diskin in raising the sum of £21,000 during her year of office as Chair of Flintshire County Council.

Councillor Alison Halford, the previous past Chair updated Members on the success of her Cornerstone Charity Appeal which had raised almost £800 and which would be increased further by the use of her Charity Aid Foundation account. Members congratulated Councillor Halford on the success of her appeal.