Minutes of the Meeting of
HAWARDEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL
held on
10th SEPTEMBER 2018

PRESENT: Chair: Councillor Dave Mackie

Councillors: Ve Amos, Janet Axworthy, Gillian Brockley, Helen Brown, Clive Carver, Cheryl Carver, Lowri Earith, George Hardcastle, Kevin Jones, Ryan O’Gorman, Dan Preece, Emma Preece, Ralph Small and Darren Sterry.

Officers: Mrs S G Jones, Clerk & Financial Officer
Fran Griffiths, Administrator

119/18 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Joyce Angell, Alan Diskin, Glenys Diskin and Helen Meredith

120/18 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

There were no Declarations of Interest from Members.

121/18 PRESENTATION:

The Chair welcomed Reverend Andrea Jones, from St. Deiniol’s Church, Hawarden to the meeting. Reverend Jones had attended the meeting to outline the Community Nativity that the Church had been organising for Saturday 15th December. The event would commence at 6.00 p.m. and she outlined the draft route plan and risk assessment that had been shared with members. The event would take approximately 90 minutes and would finish at the Tithe Barn where tea and mince pies would be available.

The only risk anticipated would be when members of the congregation and the public cross Glynne Way from the red door of Hawarden Castle to the rear of the Glynne Arms. There would not be a formal road closure and volunteer marshals had been recruited.

Members welcomed this event as it would bring the community together. Councillor Helen Brown suggested that St. John Ambulance be contacted to assist with the provision of First Aid and offered the loan of the Community Events walkie-talkies to assist the Marshalls which was welcomed.

The Chair thanked Reverend Jones for her presentation.

30 Chair’s signature: __________________
122/18 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

IT WAS RESOLVED:

(i) that the minutes of the previous meeting of the Council held on 9th July 2018 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair, save and except that in relation to minute item 75/18, the word ‘consent’ be replaced by ‘support’ and that the reference to Councillors leaving and returning to the meeting be excluded due to this not being a requirement of the Council’s Standing Orders; and

(ii) that the minutes of the Special meeting of the Council held on 23rd July be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

123/18 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES:

There were none.

124/18 MINUTES OF COMMITTEES:

IT WAS RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meetings of the following Committees held on 9th July 2018 be received:

- Staff and General Purposes Committee
- Community and Amenities Committee
- Planning Committee
- Finance Committee

125/18 CHAIR’S REMARKS:

The Chair said that he and Councillor Clive Carver had recently attended two flag raising ceremonies at County Hall, Mold in commemoration of the Merchant Navy and for the Emergency Services. He and Councillor George Hardcastle, had also recently attended The Church of The Holy Spirit 80th anniversary celebration in the presence of The Rt Revd. Gregory Cameron, Bishop of St. Asaph.

He also advised that he and the Clerk and Financial Officer would attend a meeting of the County Forum to be held on 23rd October 2018 and a presentation from the Boundary Commission for Wales would be received about the review of electoral arrangements for Flintshire.

Chair’s signature: ______________