

## **HAWARDEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Minutes of the **MEETING** of **HAWARDEN COMMUNITY COUNCIL**  
Held on **11 JANUARY 2016**

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

**Councillors:** Ve Amos, Joyce Angell, Helen Brown, Clive Carver, Alan Diskin, Alison Halford, George Hardcastle, David Hough, Judith Hough, Kevin Jones, David Mackie, Emma Preece and Brian Williams.

**Community Youth Representative:** Ricki Hewitt

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

### **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Ralph Small and Community Youth Representative Sophie Sims

### **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:**

There were no declarations of interest made by Members.

### **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**

IT WAS RESOLVED: that the Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on 14 December 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 14 December 2015 be received.

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

**CHAIR'S REMARKS:**

The Chair extended her sympathies to Councillor Dave Mackie following the passing away of his mother in law on Christmas Day.

The Chair expressed her sadness in connection with the proposed retirement of the Clerk and Financial Officer on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2016.

Councillors George Hardcastle and Alison Halford joined the Chair in recognising the service given to the Council by the Clerk.

The Chair reported that she had attended the following events on behalf of the Council:-

Carols by Candlelight at the Church of the Holy Spirit on 16 December.

St Deiniol's Carol Service on 20 December.

Hawarden High School Governor's Presentation Evening on 7 January 2016, where Community Youth Representative Sophie Sims received two awards in recognition of her academic achievements.