

WELLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting of Wellington held in Wellington United Reformed Church Hall, Fore Street, Wellington, on Monday, 8 May 2018 at 6:00pm

PRESENT: Councillor G James (Mayor),
Councillors M Barr, R Bowrah, P Critchard, A Govier, J Hunt, M Lithgow, J Lloyd,
J Reed, L Russell-Cairns, B Shepherd, V Stock-Williams and J Thorne,

Greg Dyke (Town Clerk) and Gill Croucher (Assistant Clerk)

There were 3 members of the public present.

1. APOLOGIES

Councillors W Brown and R Henley

Greg Dyke (Town Clerk) and Gill Croucher (Assistant Clerk)

1. MINUTES

The minutes of the previous annual parish meeting held on 8 May 2017, as circulated to councillors and members of the public present, were received, confirmed and signed as correct subject to the inclusion of Councillor Russell-Cairns being added to the list of those present.

2. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN MAYOR AND THE TOWN CLERK

The Mayor and the Town Clerk submitted a joint annual report which highlighted the work of the Council over the past year and the challenges it faced in the future.

RESOLVED that the report be noted.

3. MATTERS RAISED BY THE PUBLIC

(a) Mrs Hilary Shove drew attention to the dangers to pedestrians and cyclists due to the lack of a footpath/cycleway on the A38 access to Chelston Park Care Home. This problem would only be exacerbated when the proposed residential development at Jurston Farm took place.

Councillor Thorne, as the County Councillor for the area undertook to take this matter up with the Highway Authority.

(b) Diana Land thanked the Town Council for its support for both the restoration of the Monument and its opposition to the proposed residential development of land at Bagley Road.

She drew attention to a previous fund raising effort some years ago in relation to work at the Monument and asked what had happened to the money raised.

The meeting ended at 6.25 pm

Signed.....
Town Mayor

