

**MINUTES of a MEETING
of the
BUCKLEY TOWN COUNCIL
held in the
Council Chamber, BUCKLEY
on
Tuesday 12th December 2017**

PRESENT

Councillor H D Hutchinson (Town Mayor) - in the Chair

Cllr V E Blondek	Cllr R B Jones	Cllr N Phillips
Cllr C A Ellis	Cllr W A Lewis	Cllr C M Preece
Cllr D Ellis	Cllr M J Peers	Cllr J F Thornton
Cllr I D Howe	Cllr S Peers	Cllr A G Williams
Cllr E J Hutchinson	Cllr I Peters	Cllr A Woolley

IN ATTENDANCE

Mr M B Wright – Town Clerk & Financial Officer
Mrs L George – Office Administrator
Mrs T J Reece – Office Administrator

16897- APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence and reasons were received and approved from Councillors N A Cropper (family commitments), J S Jones (illness), E L Preece (held up in traffic) and M P Teire (work commitments).

16898- DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No Declarations of Interest were made in relation to this Agenda. It was –

Resolved – that no Declarations of Interest were noted.

16899- PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

The Clerk reported that no questions had been received. It was –

Resolved – that the Clerk's report be received and noted.

16900- MINUTES

Resolved - that the minutes of a Special Meeting of Buckley Town Council held on 21st November 2017 and the minutes of the Meeting of Buckley Town Council held on 28th November 2017, as now submitted be approved, adopted and signed as a correct record.

16901- MAYORAL AND COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. On 2nd December the Mayor and Mayoress opened the Cross Methodist Christmas Fayre.
2. On 9th December the Mayor and Mayoress attended the indoor Christmas Market held at the Tivoli, Buckley.
3. The Mayor advised that the Council Offices would be closed from close of business on Friday 22nd December to Tuesday 2nd January 2018 at 8.30am.
4. The Mayor advised that at the end of the meeting, during the buffet, tickets would be sold for the charity raffle. The Mayor requested that everyone gave generously to support his chosen charities.
5. The Mayor and Jeanne, the Mayoress, wished all Members, Staff and Guests a Happy Christmas and Prosperous New Year.

16902- MINUTES OF THE HIGHWAYS AND LEISURE COMMITTEE

Moved by Cllr C A Ellis
Seconded by Cllr A Woolley and it was -

Resolved – that the Minutes of the Meeting of the Highways and Leisure Committee held on 28th November 2017, as now submitted, be approved and adopted.

16903- MINUTES OF THE FINANCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Moved by Cllr J F Thornton
Seconded by Cllr N Phillips and it was –

Resolved – that the Minutes of the Meeting of the Finance & Economic Development Committee held on 28th November 2017, as now submitted, be approved and adopted.

16904- MINUTES OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE

Moved by Cllr M J Peers
Seconded by Cllr A Woolley and it was –

Resolved – that the Minutes of the Meeting of the Planning Committee held on 28th November 2017, as now submitted, be approved and adopted.

16905- MINUTES OF THE GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

Moved by Cllr A Woolley
Seconded by Cllr D Ellis and it was –

Resolved – that the Minutes of the Meeting of the General Purposes Committee held on 28th November 2017, as now submitted, be approved and adopted.

CHAIR