TENTERDEN TOWN COUNCIL



MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE EXTERNAL COMMITTEE HELD AT TENTERDEN TOWN HALL ON 11TH DECEMBER 2017

- **Councillors Present**: M. Carter (Chair), Mrs. J. Curteis, Mrs. S. Ferguson, Miss. N. Gooch, K. Mulholland (Vice-chair) and Mrs. P. Smith. Substitute: Cllr. R. Isworth.
- **Officers Present**: Town Clerk Mr. P. Burgess, Deputy Town Clerk Mrs. C. Gilbert and Administrative Assistant Ms. S. Ratcliffe.
- **Others Present**: Cllrs. H. Edwards and A. Sugden (not members of this committee) and one member of the public.
- 0098 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**. Cllr. C. Knowles. Non-members: Cllrs. H. Hickmott, R. Knight, Dr. L. Lovelidge, R. Lusty and J. Nelson.
- 0099 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**. None.
- 0100 **QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND COUNCILLORS**. None.
- 0101 **COMMITTEE 2018/2019 PRECEPT**. It was **AGREED** to include the following provision in the precept:
 - (a) £10,000 for a Youth Consultant;
 - (b) £2,500 for a 2018 Summer Event;
 - (c) £5,000 towards machinery for volunteer maintenance workers.

Cllr. Mulholland abstained from voting with regard to the maintenance machinery.

It was **AGREED** that the total Committee precept request (expenditure less income and earmarked reserves) would be £112,224.

The meeting opened at 9.35pm and closed at 9.47pm.

The foregoing Minutes and Reports were confirmed and signed at the External Meeting held on the 8th day of January 2018.

Chairman _____ (08.01.2018)