Cyngor Dinas Llanelwy St Asaph City Council

Minutes of the Full Council Meeting of St Asaph City Council held on Wednesday 15th March 2023 at 7.00 pm with remote attendance via Zoom.

Present: J Ellison, M Gedd, L Griffiths, L Groves, C A Hardie (Mayor), P G Morton, L Nelson, J O Roberts, P Scott (Deputy Mayor) and R Williams

The mayor opened the meeting and explained that he would give the resident a further opportunity to address the Council, due to the sound issues at the previous meeting.

2023/061 Apologies for Absence

- Cllr Hogg
- Cllr Jones
- Cllr Gedd joined after the Public Participation item.

2023/062 Declarations of Interest

- Cllr Gedd declared a personal interest in item 5 as he is a member of the Conservative Club.

2023/063 Public Participation

- One member of the Public was present.

Cllr Hardie welcomed the member of the public to the meeting and gave him the opportunity to address the Council for five minutes re: land on the High Street between the Conservative Club and former HSBC.

Cllr Gedd arrived at the meeting.

2023/064 Exclusion of the Press and Public

Resolved to exclude the press and public from the meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 due to the confidential nature of the discussion – consideration of legal advice.

2023/065 Land on the High Street

Cllr Gedd had declared a personal interest in this item and did not participate in the discussion or vote.

The Mayor called Cllr Morton to order, which he refused.

Resolved to mute Cllr Morton, due to continuous interruptions.

i. **Resolved not to sell the land on the High Street, but to continue to retain and maintain it.**
ii. **Resolved the Clerk is to write to the resident to advise of the Council's decision and that any further questions re: legalities should be directed to the Council's solicitors.**
iii. **Resolved that the Clerk is to issue instructions to the Council's solicitor to issue a letter to the resident to advise him to desist from further trespass on the land.**
iv. **Resolved that, after writing as in ii above, the Clerk is not to enter into any further correspondence with the resident on these matters.**

2023/066 Minutes

The previous minutes of the meeting 8th March 2023 were discussed regarding accuracy (circulated prior to the meeting).

Resolved to approve the minutes of 8th March 2023 as an accurate record.

2023/067 Matters Arising

2023/046 – **County Councillors' Reports** – Cllr Scott confirmed he had raised the questions re: Green-gates Farm in the Local development Plan.

The meeting concluded at 7.20 pm

There was a brief discussion regarding arrangements for the Coronation weekend. Following release of further information for the Big Help Out after 20th March, the Council will select a project for the 8th May. Cllr Hardie has a meeting planned with a resident regarding the floral displays.

Date of Next Meeting

12th April 2023.

Signed ……
Chairman of the Full Council 12th April 2023