

# MARYPORT TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on Monday 7 September 2015 in the Council Chambers, Town Hall, Maryport at 7.00pm.

## Present

Councillor S Ashworth	Councillor S Barcock
Councillor B Carter	Councillor Mrs A Kendall
Councillor P Kendall	Councillor Mrs C McCarron-Holmes
Councillor W Pegram	Councillor Mrs L Radcliffe
Councillor Ms S Stamper	Councillor Ms C Tindall (Chairman)
Councillor I Tyson	Councillor Mrs J Wood
Councillor M Wood	

## In Attendance

Mr P Bramley (Clerk)  
Viv Patterson (Press)

### 31/15 Apologies for Absence

An apology for absence was received from Councillor L Williamson.

### 32/15 Declarations of Interest

None received.

### 33/15 Requests for Dispensations

None received.

### 34/15 Minutes of Meeting held on 27 July 2015

**Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on 27 July 2015 be confirmed as a correct record & signed by the Chairman.

### 35/15 Police Report

No report received.

### **36/15 Correspondence**

**Resolved** that the schedule of correspondence be received & noted, & the following matters determined, (Councillors Mrs A Kendall & W Pegram left the room for item (4):

- 1) That members with comments on the letter from Cumbria Trust concerning the Implementing Geological Disposal White Paper contact the Clerks' office.
- 2) That further to Allerdale Borough Council Town Centre Manager's request for funding support for Tour of Britain entertainment event, it be agreed to provide £700 towards the cost of providing stalls for Maryport traders, & that it be recorded that Councillors P Kendall & M Wood objected to the siting of the entertainment in Maryport Memorial Gardens, given its historic background.
- 3) That further to the letter from Allerdale Borough Council Town Centre Manager concerning a meeting with Love Maryport Group representatives, they be invited to the next meeting.
- 4) That Maryport Harbour & Marina Ltd's request for funding for seating be not supported, but that the Council agree to provide one new seat per year on the site & seek nominations from the public for suitable commemorations for those seats.

### **37/15 Accounts for Payment**

**Resolved** that accounts for payment, in accordance with the schedule, totalling £14,315.66, be agreed.

### **38/15 Finance Report**

**Resolved** that the Finance Report for the period 1 April to 31 July 2015 be agreed.

### **39/15 Maryport Attributes**

**Resolved** that it be agreed to develop a further two display boards covering Maryport's Industrial Past & Maryport Social History, to be funded, subject to agreement, by a contribution from Allerdale Borough Council's Community Grant 2015/16 & by a contribution from the Town Council's Promoting Maryport Reserve, as required, & that a further board in recognition of the Maryport Blues Festival be supported, which it be suggested that the Maryport Festivals Group apply to the Cumbria County Council Allerdale Area Committee for funding for.

### **40/15 Allerdale Borough Council Community Grant 2015/16**

**Resolved** that, further to proposals to include the painting of the promenade railings, with possible input from the community, as a part of the community projects designed improve Maryport's attraction to visitors, agreed at the previous meeting, (Minute 23/15 refers), it be agreed to contact Allerdale Borough Council & seek information on its expenditure on Maryport promenade.

**41/15 Play Area Warning Signs**

**Resolved** that the Council support the request from residents of Flimby for road warning signs concerning children in the vicinity of Flimby Playing Field, & that the Council contact Cumbria County Council requesting their installation & agree to fund the cost of the signs from its Environmental Improvements Reserve, as necessary.

**42/15 Items for Next Agenda**

None received.

Following the conclusion of the meeting, a meeting of the Allotment Committee took place.

Signed .....

Chairman

Date .....