# Minutes of the Resources Committee meeting held on 7th May 2024 at 19:47 hrs at the Ilminster Arts Centre, The Meeting House, Ilminster, TA19 0AN

Chair:

Cllr B Jenner-Hurford

Committee: Cllr B Hamilton, Cllr M James, Cllr P Sellers, Cllr S Shepherd

Officers:

M Tredwin (Town Clerk), J Earp (Deputy Town Clerk/RFO), V Freeman

(Administration Officer)

In attendance: Cllr I MacKillop

No members of the public

R24-001

**Public Forum** 

There were no members of the public present.

R24-002

**Apologies for Absence** 

Cllr V Keitch Cllr N Tinson

The Clerk has confirmed that reasons have been provided.

R24-003

**Declarations of Interest** 

There were no declarations of interest.

R24-004

**Dispensations** 

There were no dispensations requested or granted.

R24-005

Minutes

Members RESOLVED unanimously that the Minutes of the meeting held

on 7th November 2023 as an accurate record.

Proposer Cllr Hamilton Seconded Cllr Jenner-Hurford

R24-006

Financial Monitoring Report

Members **NOTED** the financial report.

R24-007

**Financial Regulations** 

Members were advised that a new Financial Regulations model has been received by NALC today, however, Members are asked to review the proposed changes to the existing policy. Officers will bring a revised and updated policy based on the updated NALC model to a future meeting for Members to consider.

Members resolved unanimously to RECOMMEND to Full Council to approve the proposed Financial Regulations for 2024/25.

Proposer Cllr Shepherd Seconded Cllr Hamilton



#### R24-008 New Website and SharePoint Update

The Town Clerk updated Members that SharePoint is working well. Please could Members confirm to the office whether they can access SharePoint and view the documents.

Members **NOTED** the report on SharePoint.

Members **RESOLVED** to delegate authority to officers to develop a website proposal for the Town Council to consider as per the report. **Proposer** Cllr Jenner-Hurford **Seconded** Cllr Hamilton

#### R24-009 Cemetery Lodge Update

This item was moved to Exempt Business.

## R24-010 Exempt Business

That in the view of the confidential nature of the business about to be transacted, it is advised in the public interest that the press and public be temporarily excluded while Members consider this item in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960.

Proposer Cllr Hamilton Seconded Cllr Shepherd

### R24-011 Cemetery Lodge Update

Members discussed various options regarding the Cemetery Lodge and the Cemetery water supply.

- A. Members **RESOLVED** unanimously to agree to the quote for the separation of the water supply.
  - Proposer Cllr Hamilton Seconded Cllr Sellers
- B. Members **RESOLVED** unanimously to delegate to officers to instruct a specialist professional with regards to the septic tank. **Proposer** Cllr Hamilton **Seconded** Cllr Jenner-Hurford

Meeting ended 20:36

