Stone Town Council

Minutes of the Meeting held in St Michael's Suite at the Frank Jordan Centre, Lichfield Street, Stone, on Tuesday 7 September 2021

PRESENT: Councillor J. Powell in the Chair and

Councillors: K. Argyle, A. Best, Mrs A. Burgess, J. Davies, Mrs L. Davies, J. Hickling,

Mrs J. Hood, T. Kelt, R. Kenney, P. Leason, C. Thornicroft and S. Walley.

ABSENT: Councillors: Mrs K. Dawson, I. Fordham, M. Green, M. Hatton and R. Townsend.

Before the meeting began Reverend Prebendary Ian Cardinal led prayers.

C22/035 Apologies

Apologies were received from Councillors: Mrs K. Dawson, I. Fordham, M. Green and R. Townsend.

C22/036 <u>Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensations</u>

None received

C22/037 Representations from Members of the Public

None

C22/038 Minutes

RESOLVED:

a) That the minutes of the meeting of the Town Council held on 3 August 2021 (Minute Numbers C22/025 – C22/034), be approved as a correct record.

C22/039 Draft Committee Minutes

RESOLVED:

- a) The minutes of the General Purposes Committee Meeting held on 3 August 2021 (Minute Numbers GP22/038 GP22/055), were noted.
- b) The minutes of the Planning Consultative Committee meeting held on 3 August 2021 (Minute Numbers PC22/007 PC22/012), were noted.

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C22/040 <u>Civic Announcements</u>

The Civic Announcements, which had been previously circulated, were noted.

C22/041 Town Mayor's and Deputy Town Mayor's Reports of Engagements

The Town Mayor's and Deputy Town Mayor's reports of engagements, which had been previously circulated, were noted.

The Town Mayor reported on his attendance at the Burma Star Association commemoration on 15 August 2021, remembering the fallen in the Far East. This was a good day where he met veterans and learned about the history of the Burma Star and the reasons it is important to the people of Stone.

The Town Mayor reported on the Civic Sunday event held on 5 September 2021 and thanked the Mayor's Secretary for assisting with the arrangements.

C22/042 To resolve, pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the Public and Press be excluded from the meeting whilst the next item of business is discussed on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the debate

RESOLVED: To exclude the Press and Public from the next item of business.

C22/043 Confidential Committee Minutes

RESOLVED:

a) The draft Confidential Minutes of the General Purposes Committee meeting held on 3 August 202 (Minute Numbers GP22/038 and GP22/055), were noted.

TOWN MAYOR

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