Stone Town Council

Minutes of the Meeting held in St Michael's Suite at the Frank Jordan Centre, Lichfield Street, Stone, on Tuesday 5 July 2022

PRESENT: Councillor J. Powell in the Chair and

Councillors: K. Argyle, A. Best, J. Davies, Mrs K. Dawson, M. Green, J. Hickling,

Mrs J. Hood, R. Kenney, T. Kelt, C. Thornicroft and R. Townsend

Officers: R. Mincher & Mrs T. Williams

ABSENT: Councillors: Mrs A. Burgess, Mrs L. Davies, I. Fordham, M. Hatton, P. Leason and

S. Walley

Before the meeting began the Reverend Prebendary Ian Cardinal led prayers.

C23/029 Apologies

Apologies were received from Councillor Mrs L. Davies, I. Fordham, P. Leason and S. Walley

C23/030 Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensations

None received

C23/031 Representations from Members of the Public

None

C23/032 Minutes

RESOLVED:

a) That the minutes of the meeting of the Town Council held on 7 June 2022 (Minute Numbers C23/013 – C23/023, be approved as a correct record.

C23/033 Committee Minutes

RESOLVED:

a) The minutes of the General Purposes Committee meeting held on 7 June 2022 (Minute Numbers GP23/018 – GP23/030), were noted.

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b) The minutes of the Planning Consultative Committee meeting held on 7 June 2022 (Minute Numbers PC23/007 – PC23/012), were noted.

C23/034 <u>Civic Announcements</u>

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

C23/035 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 informed the Council that everyone who had attended the celebrations and festivities held over the Queen's Platinum Jubilee weekend seemed to have enjoyed themselves and he thanked all who had been involved in the organisation of the Proclamation and Tree Planting (on Thursday afternoon), the Beacon Lighting (on Thursday evening), the Jubilee Church Service (on Saturday afternoon) and Big Lunch and Party in the Park (on the Sunday).

The Town Mayor said that he had been pleased with the numbers of people that had supported the events.

The Town Mayor also made special mention of Festival Week and Carnival Day where he had again been pleased to see lots of people from Stone out at each of the events. He thanked the behind-the-scenes organisers who had made the occasions possible.

TOWN MAYOR

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