



BRIDLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL
Minutes of the Hybrid Town Council Mayor Making Meeting
held on 5th May 2021 in the Town Council Offices,
2A Marshall Avenue, Bridlington

The remote meeting was held with Councillors Dealtry, Dixon, Foster, Holmes, C Marsburg, S Marsburg, Norman & Walker (8) in the room and Councillors Finlay, Heslop-Mullens & T Milns (3) online. The Civic Officer, Miss Grosse was in attendance and Mrs King, Town Clerk collated all feedback, comments and minuted the meeting.

01.21 Mayor's Welcome & Election of the Mayor of Bridlington for the Council Year 2021-2022:
Councillor Dealtry thanked everyone for their attendance and welcomed everyone to the meeting. The Mayor read out the intention to record.

Councillor Dealtry then called for the election of Mayor of Bridlington to commence.
Councillor Dealtry was proposed by Councillor S Marsburg and seconded by Councillor Foster.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Dealtry is elected Mayor for the Council Year 2021-2022.*

02.21 Declaration of Acceptance by the Mayor of Bridlington:
Councillor Dealtry read out the declaration of office and duly signed it before the nominated Proper Officer of the Council. Councillor Dealtry thanked the Councillors for voting for him to be Mayor of Bridlington.

03.21 Apologies for absence:

RESOLVED: *Apologies were received and accepted from Councillor M Milns.*

04.21 Mayor's announcement of Mayoress and Charity for the Council Year 2021-2022:
Councillor Dealtry announced that Mrs Michelle Dealtry, his wife, would be his Mayoress for the Mayoral Year 2021-2022. The Mayor's chosen charities are the Bridlington Sea Cadets, the RNLI Bridlington Lifeboat, the Fisherman's Mission, the Royal Naval Association Bridlington & the Bridlington Submariners Association. All charity money raised will be shared equally with the five charities.

05.21 Election of Deputy Mayor for the Council Year 2021-2022:
Councillor Heslop-Mullens was proposed by Councillor Foster and seconded by Councillor S Marsburg.

RESOLVED: *Councillor Heslop-Mullens is elected Deputy Mayor for the Council Year 2021-2022.*

06.21 Deputy Mayor's announcement of Deputy Mayoress for the Council Year 2021-2022:
Councillor Heslop-Mullens announced that Mrs Elaine Heslop-Mullens, his wife, would be his Deputy Mayoress for the Council Year 2021-2022.

07.21 Bridlington Town Council's Mayor's Cadet 2021-2022:
The Mayor informed the meeting that Ordinary Cadet (OC) Jamie Pulfrey of the Bridlington Sea Cadets had been chosen to be the Mayor's Cadet and will wear a Red Sash and Cadet Badge when undertaking Civic Duties with the Bridlington Town Council during the Mayoral Year 2021-2022.

Due to Covid the presentation of the Mayor's Cadet was undertaken on 28.04.21 in the Town Council's Offices with the Mayor and a photo of the presentation was shared with the meeting.

08.21 Outgoing Mayor's verbal report, Civic Duties, Departing Speech and Presentations:
The presentation to the outgoing Mayor's Cadet, Sgt Isobel Waldie, was undertaken on 28.04.21 and the photo of the presentation was shared with the meeting. The Mayor's Cadet undertook 9 Civic Duties throughout the two years (8 for 2019-2020 & 1 for 2020-2021).

Councillor Dealtry, with the help of former Mayor Colin Croft who kindly donated the reclaimed money from Alderson House the Royal British Legion, presented £3,613.44 (three thousand, six hundred and thirteen pounds and forty-four pence) to Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association East Yorkshire (SSAFA). The presentation again due to covid was undertaken on 28.04.21 and the photo of the presentation was shared with the meeting.

Councillor Dealtry presented the Town Council with bespoke Town Council mugs and masks to commemorate the two civic years 2019-2021. Councillor Dealtry will have his Mayors Medal, Bridlington Town Council Plaque and Official Photograph amended to incorporate this unusual time in office.

The Mayor and Mayoress undertook 123 Civic Duties, Responsibilities and Training throughout the two years (84 for 2019-2020 & 39 for 2020-2021). The Deputy Mayoress and Consort undertook 74 Civic Duties, Responsibilities and Training throughout the two years (71 for 2019-2020 & 3 for 2020-2021). Other Councillors undertook 126 Civic Duties, Responsibilities and Training throughout the two years (93 for 2019-2020 & 33 for 2020-2021). Staff undertook 36 Civic Duties, Responsibilities and Training throughout the two years (21 for 2019-2020 & 15 for 2020-2021). There were a total of 368 cumulative Civic Duties Responsibilities and Training undertaken by the Bridlington Town Council during the two-year period 2019-2021 (277 for 2019-2020 & 91 for 2020-21).

Civic Appointments from 22nd April – 5th May 2021

Mayor & Mayoress:

26.04.21 Fundraising Cheque Presentation from Bridlington Veterans Coffee Morning
 28.04.21 Presentation to the Outgoing Mayors Cadet
 28.04.21 Charity Cheque Presentation
 02.05.21 Blessing of the Royal Naval Association Standard

Total of 4 Civic Duties attended by the Mayor & Mayoress

Other Councillors:

26.04.21 Local Links – Cllr T Milns
 26.04.21 NALCA Coastal Communities – Cllr T Milns
 28.04.21 Veterans Group Meeting – Cllr Finlay
 05.05.21 Youth Forum Meeting – Cllr T Milns

Total of 4 Civic Duties attended by the other Councillors

Staff:

30.04.21 Cloudy IT Web Accessibility Course – Miss Grosse

Total of 1 Civic Duties attended by Staff

Note: Cllr Liam Dealtry has provided community assistance by distributing the majority of items required by Councillors and Staff equipment.

The Mayor proceeded to undertake an outgoing speech:

“The last two years have been two very strange years which were at times very scary for many unsupported people, but I was honoured to be able to help deliver and assist the residents of this Town in any way that was required to make sure that no one was left without. To be there for the people and the Town was a privilege as I am always happy to support everything for the community and to serve the residents in this prestigious role”.

The Mayor went on to share that he considers that he is only as good as all the Members of the Town Council and that this Council is the best Council that he has ever worked with and he thanked the Councillors. The Mayor then conveyed thanks to all the Staff Members.

The Mayor wrapped up his outgoing speech by saying; “I am honoured to be Mayor for this forthcoming year for our Town and our people. Thank you for putting your faith in me and I won't let you down”.

Signed:



Mayor of Bridlington

Date: