# CYNGOR TREF CONWY TOWN COUNCIL GUILDHALL, CONWY.

8th May 2017

#### To: The Town Mayor & Councillors

Dear Madam Mayor & Councillors

You are hereby summoned to attend the Annual Meeting of the Conwy Town Council to be held in the **Council Chamber**, **Guildhall**, **Conwy on Monday 15**<sup>th</sup> **day of May 2017 at 6:30pm** for the purpose of transacting the following business.

Yours faithfully

Mrs. Helen Barritt

Town Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer

#### AGENDA

#### 1. Welcome

To receive a welcome to the meeting from the Town Mayor, Councillor Ms P Hart

#### 2. Prayers

Opening Prayers by the Mayor's Chaplain the Reverend Peter Walker

#### 3. Apologies

To receive apologies for absence

# 4. Declarations of Interest – Code of Local Government Conduct

Members are reminded that they must declare the **existence** and **nature** of their declared personal interests.

#### 5. Declarations of Acceptance of Office

- a) To sign Declarations of Acceptance of Office and receive gowns of office
- b) To give permission for absent Councillors to sign their Declarations of Acceptance of Office at a later agreed date

# 6. Register of Interests

To complete Register of Interests forms

# 7. Standing Orders & Financial Regulations

To receive the current Standing Orders & Financial Regulations and information from the Town Clerk

#### 8. Risk Assessment

To review and approve any necessary amendments (Schedule A)

# 9. Investment Strategy

To review and approve any necessary amendments (Schedule B)

# 10. Timetable of Meetings

To receive the dates & times of Town Council and Special Meetings of The Town Council (Schedule C)

#### 11. Committees

To appoint Members to serve on the following committees:

- a) Civic Committee (Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Past Mayors plus 1 Member)
- b) Staff Committee (Mayor, Deputy Mayor plus 4 Members)

#### 12. Outside Organisations

To appoint Members to serve on the following bodies:

- a) North Wales Association of Town & Larger Community Councils (2 Members plus 1 Reserve Member)
- b) Town & Community Councils Forum (3 Members)
- c) North Wales Link of the Walled Towns Friendship Circle (5 Members plus the Town Clerk)
- d) Conwy Harbour Advisory Committee (1 Member)
- e) Conwy Sea Cadet Corps (1 Member)
- f) Clwb Yr Efail (1 Member)
- g) Citizens Advice Bureau (1 Member)
- h) Llandudno Junction Regeneration Scheme (1 Member)
- i) Snowdonia National Park Authority (1 Member)
- j) Bodlondeb Woods Management Advisory Group (2 Members)
- k) Conservation Area Advisory Panel (1 Member)
- I) CVSC (1 Member)
- m) Conwy Drainage Board (1 Member)

#### 13. School Governors

To appoint a Town Council representative to be considered by the Board of Governors for the following schools:

- a) Ysgol Porth Y Felin
- b) Ysgol Awel Y Mynydd
- c) Ysgol Deganwy

#### 14. The John Ronald Cunningham Memorial Fund

To appoint Trustees to the Fund (one from each ward plus Mr.D.Rowley (co-opted) and the Town Clerk (Secretary))

#### 15. Mayor's Allowance 2017/18

To fix the amount of the Mayor's allowance in pursuance of s34(5) of the Local Government Act 1972

### 16. Vacancies - Marl

To consider co-opting to fill the 2 vacancies in Marl ward under s21(2) of the Representation of the People Act 1985

#### 17. Attendance

To receive the attendance sheet for 2016/17 (Schedule D)

#### 18. Cheque Signatories

To approve cheque signatories for the following bank accounts:

- a) Cyngor Tref Conwy Town Council Current Account
- b) Cyngor Tref Conwy Town Council Business Reserve Account
- c) Mayoral Donation Account

#### 19. Mayoral Inauguration

To finalise arrangements for the Mayoral Inauguration ceremony

#### 20. Town Clerk's Report

To receive a report from the Town Clerk (Schedule E attached)

# 21. Planning

#### a) Planning Applications

To consider and comment on the planning applications on the attached Schedule F

# b) Proposed New Lidl Supermarket, Llandudno Junction

To receive a request for a pre-application consultation response for the proposed development at the Former Daily Post & Arriva Buildings, Vale Road adjacent to Conwy Road, Llandudno Junction. LL31 9SH

#### c) Planning Decisions Issued

To receive a list of planning decisions issued by Conwy County Borough Council

# 22. Annual Return for the Year Ended 31st March 2017

- a) To receive and approve the Accounting Statements for 2016/17 (to be tabled)
- b) To answer the questions on the Annual Governance Statement (to be tabled)

# 23. Hanging Baskets

To receive information about the distribution of the hanging baskets on the morning of 23/5/17

# 24. Open Doors 2017

To establish an "Open Doors Working Party" and possible dates for opening

#### 25. Blinc – Gwledd Conwy Feast 2017

To receive a request for a letter of support

# 26. National Assembly for Wales' Expert Panel on Assembly

To receive information on the submissions received.

# 27. Approval of Payments

To approve invoices received for payment:

- a) Bebbington & Wilson Limited Removal of Festive Lighting £1,389.98 plus vat
- b) Viking Stationery & Cleaning Supplies £141.25 plus vat
- c) A.Slater Guildhall & Bus Shelter Windows, 4 Weeks to 5/5/17 £170.00
- d) J.W.Jones & Son Removal of Lampshades from Chamber in Guildhall £150.00 plus vat
- e) Business Systems (North Wales) Ltd. Copies 4/4/17 to 2/5/17, 2,146 Mono & 26 Colour £10.01 plus vat

# 28. Cash Payments

To note the list of cash payments no.106 (to be tabled)

# 29. List of Cheques

To approve list of cheques no.367 (to be tabled)

#### 30. Nomination for Mayor 2017/18

To receive nominations for the Municipal Year 2017/18

#### 31. Nomination for Deputy Mayor 2017/18

To receive nominations for the Municipal Year 2017/18

# 32. Mayoral Announcements

**33.** Twenty minutes to be allocated to allow residents of the Conwy community to question Town Councillors on matters of interest