

## MARLBOROUGH TOWN COUNCIL

### ANNUAL MEETING

Minutes of the ANNUAL MEETING of the Marlborough Town Council held on MONDAY, 17<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 1999 in the Court Room, Town Hall, Marlborough at 6.30pm.

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#### PRESENT

Mr. L. H. Bulley	Mayor
Councillor Mrs. J. E. White	Deputy Town Mayor
Councillor S. R. Dobson	
Councillor Mrs. J. C. Evans	
Councillor M. P. Cooper	
Councillor I. J. Perryman	
Councillor D. I. Smithers	
Councillor Dr. D. Watson	
Councillor Mrs. M. Boulton	
Councillor Mrs. D. P. Trimnell	
Councillor P. F. Martin	
Councillor Mrs. H. Cripps	
Councillor Mrs. M. Rose	
Councillor W.B. Cavill	
Councillor B. Castle	
Councillor Mrs. A. Peck	
Mr. Graham S. Chivers	Town Clerk

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#### PRAYERS

The meeting commenced with Prayers, said by the Mayor's Chaplain - the Revd. H. Pearson.

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#### APOLOGIES

An apology for absence was received from Councillor G. Francis and the Revd. J. Dickie.

3/99

#### ELECTION OF TOWN MAYOR FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 1999/2000

The Retiring Mayor - Mr. L. H. Bulley proposed, seconded by the Deputy Town Mayor - Councillor Mrs. J. E. White - and RESOLVED unanimously that Councillor S. R. Dobson be elected Town Mayor for the ensuing year.

4/99

#### INVESTMENT OF THE NEWLY ELECTED TOWN MAYOR WITH THE ROBE OF OFFICE

The newly elected Town Mayor, Councillor S. R. Dobson, accompanied by the Retiring Town Mayor, the Town Clerk, Beadle and Mace-Bearers retired to the Mayor's Parlour where he was invested with the Robe of Office.

5/99

#### DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

On his return, the Town Mayor was invested with the Badge of Office and then made and signed the Declaration and Acceptance of Office.

The Town Mayor then thanked the Retiring Town Mayor for nominating him as his successor and the Deputy Town Mayor for seconding this nomination and fellow Councillors for their unanimous support. A copy of the Town Mayor's address is attached to the Council Office Minutes.

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## PRESENTATION TO THE RETIRING MAYORESS

The Retiring Mayor presented the Retiring Mayoress with a Past Mayoress's Brooch.

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## VOTE OF THANKS TO RETIRING TOWN MAYOR

A vote of thanks to the Retiring Town Mayor was proposed by Councillor M. P. Cooper, and a copy of the proposition is attached to the Council Office Minutes.  
Councillor I. J. Perryman seconded the vote of thanks.

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## REPLY BY THE RETIRING TOWN MAYOR

The Retiring Town Mayor responded and a copy of his address is attached to the Council Office Minute.

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## APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY TOWN MAYOR

The Town Mayor, Councillor S. R. Dobson signified in writing that he had appointed Councillor Mrs. J. E. White to act as Deputy Town Mayor in the event of his illness or unavoidable absence and he duly invested her with the Badge of Office.

10/99

MEETING HELD ON THE 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 1999

RESOLVED:

That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Marlborough Town Council held on the 19<sup>th</sup> April, 1999 having been circulated, be taken as a true record and signed by the Town Mayor.

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## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- (a) Proposed by Councillor Dr. D. Watson, seconded by Councillor M. P. Cooper and RESOLVED that the Report of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on the 19<sup>th</sup> April, 1999 be Received and Adopted.
- (b) Proposed by Councillor Dr. D. Watson, seconded by Councillor M. P. Cooper and RESOLVED that the Report of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on the 10<sup>th</sup> May, 1999 be Received and Adopted.
- (c) Proposed by the Deputy Town Mayor, seconded by Councillor Mrs. D. P. Trimnell and RESOLVED that the Report of the meeting of the Selection Committee held on the 10<sup>th</sup> May, 1999 be Received and Adopted.

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## SEALING OF DOCUMENTS

Proposed by Councillor Mrs. Evans, seconded by Councillor M. P. Cooper and RESOLVED that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to all documents necessary to give effect to the decisions of the meeting of the Council.

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## MEMBER'S QUESTION TIME

There were no matters under this heading.

The meeting ended at 7.24pm

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