

## ASKERN TOWN COUNCIL

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MINUTES of the Extraordinary Meeting of ASKERN TOWN COUNCIL held at Alexander House, High Street, Askern, Doncaster DN6 0AB on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2022 at 6.30pm.

**In attendance:** Cllr Cheri Bennett, Cllr George Gracey, Cllr Lindsay Hudson, Cllr Jake Keeble and Cllr Helen Murphy and four members of the public.

Mayor Cllr C Bennett welcomed all those present to the meeting.

Apologies were received and approved from Cllr F Jackson and Cllr T Noon.

Cllr L Hudson took the minutes of the meeting.

- 1. There were no agenda items to which the public and press were excluded.
- **2.** The unauthorised disclosure of confidential information by a former councillor was discussed.
- 3. The resignation of Cllr Kevin Wood was noted. It was resolved that the confidential item be discussed and members of the pubic left the meeting for five minutes, and then returned.
- **4.** It was decided that a letter of apology would be sent to the individual affected by the matter discussed under item 1.

  GDPR training to be sourced for councillors.
- **5.** It was decided that councillors should re-read and sign GDPR policies to state they understand the contents.
- **6.** It was decided that all councillors will be prohibited from using private and external email addresses for council business and that support will be given to the those who need assistance in setting up council email facilities.
- **7.** It was decided that Slack will be used as another alternative to emails for councillor's conversations.

Members of the Council Cllr Cheri Bennett, Cllr George Gracey, Cllr Lindsay Hudson, Cllr Francis Jackson, Cllr Jake Keeble, Cllr Helen Murphy, and Cllr T Noon