

Morpeth Town Council Annual Assembly 2023

Minutes of the Meeting held in the Corn Exchange of the Town Hall Morpeth Wednesday 15th March 2023

Present:

Councillors: A Byard - Mayor
B Bawn
D Bawn
A Cochrane (arriving at 6:09pm)
M Greveson
R Hogg
E Miles
J Richardson
E Skinner
R Wearmouth

Clerks: Mrs J Wilson and Miss K Carter

Absent Councillors: J Wearmouth – Apologies Received (Holiday)
S Peacock – Apologies Received (Personal)
J Clayton – No apologies received
J Crawford – No apologies received
H Hall – No apologies received

There were no members of the public present.

155/22 Mayor's Welcome

The Mayor welcomed everyone to the Annual Assembly of the Town.

156/22 To Confirm the Minutes of the Annual Assembly held on 16th March 2022

The Mayor advised that the minutes would be published on the Town Council website from Thursday 16th March 2023.

The Minutes of the Annual Assembly held on 16th March 2022 were confirmed as a true record.

There were no matters arising.

Cllr Cochrane arrived at 6:09pm.

157/22 Annual Report 2022/2023

The Mayor, Councillor A Byard, presented the Annual Report which reviewed the activities of the Town Council's year, along with her personal highlights as Mayor.

Various achievements and projects were highlighted, as well as the ongoing maintenance and management of many services in Morpeth.

The Mayor thanked Councillors, partners, contractors and staff for their work and support throughout the year, which has helped her to raise over £1,000 each for

several local organisations including, Morpeth Scouts, Stobhill Link, Ellington Colliery Band, Wansbeck Valley Food Bank, Morpeth Floral Clock and Northumberland Mountain Rescue.

Cllr D Bawn thanked the Mayor for her fundraising efforts during the year.

158/22 Closure

The Mayor thanked everyone for attending the formal business of the meeting, which concluded at 6:13pm.

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