

PREESALL TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the extraordinary meeting of the Town Council held on Saturday 22 July 2023 at 9.30am at Preesall and Knott End Youth and Community Centre

Present: Cllrs J Lewin (Mayor), S Dobie, R Drobny, T Johnson, P Orme, K Shepherd, K Woods.

- **51.1** Apologies for absence Claire Rimmer
- 52.2 Declaration of interests and dispensations None

53.3 Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960-Exclusion of the Press and Public.

Pursuant to Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act, the council **Resolved** to exclude the press and public to discuss council co-options. No Public or Press were present.

54.4 Co-option interviews to fill the current vacancies on the council.

The council received six applications.

Resolved: The council proceeded to interview five candidates for the post of Town Councillor

As one councillor could not attend.

55.5 Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 – Re-admission of the press and public

To **Resolve:** no press and public present.

56.6 Voting

A secret ballot took place after the fifth candidate left, resulting in the following **Resolution**:

Candidates 1,4 & 6 were successful.

Candidates 2 & 3 were not successful on this occasion.

57.7 Date of the next meeting

The next meeting will be held on 22 July 2023 at 12 Noon.