Minutes of a Meeting of the Council held in the Hub, Mareham Road, Horncastle, Lincolnshire LN9 6PH on Wednesday, 28th June, 2023 at 6.30 pm.

PRESENT

Councillors Terry Aldridge, Tom Ashton, Richard Avison, Wendy Bowkett, Stef Bristow. Billy Brookes, Danny Brookes, Jimmy Brookes, Sandra Campbell-Wardman, Graham Cullen, Mark Dannatt, Colin Davie, Roger Dawson. Carleen Dickinson. Dick Edginton, Stephen Evans. Martin Foster, William Gray, Adam Grist, Will Grover, Alex Hall, David Hall, Darren Hobson, George Horton, Rosalind Jackson, Neil Jones. Thomas Kemp, Steve Kirk, Andrew Leonard, Craig Leyland, Steve McMillan, Daniel McNally, Carl Macey. Jill Makinson-Sanders. Kate Marnoch. Ellie Marsh, Graham Marsh, Paul Rickett, Daniel Simpson, Terry Taylor and Ruchira Yarsley.

23. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Claire Arnold, Richard Cunnington, Sid Dennis, Sarah Devereux, Stephen Eyre, Richard Fry, Travis Hesketh, Sam Kemp, James Knowles, Terry Knowles, Fiona Martin, Edward Mossop and Robert Watson.

24. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS (IF ANY):

The following declarations were noted:

Councillors Carl Macey, Danny Brookes and Mark Dannatt asked that it be noted that in respect of Minute No.26, Cultural Development Fund - Round 3, that they all had businesses in Skegness and advised that they would not take part in the discussion or voting thereon.

Following clarification from the Monitoring Officer, Councillors Carl Macey, Danny Brookes and Mark Dannatt advised that they would withdraw from the Meeting.

N.B. Councillors Carl Macey, Danny Brookes and Mark Dannatt left the Meeting at 6.42pm.

25. EXEMPT INFORMATION:

RESOLVED

That under Section 100(a)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the Meeting for the following item on the grounds that, if they were present, there could be disclosed to them exempt information as defined in paragraph(3) of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act (as amended).

26. CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT FUND - ROUND 3:

An exempt report was presented.

RESOLVED

That Recommendations Nos 1 to 6 as set out in the Exempt Minute be agreed.

27. DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

The programmed date for the next Meeting of the Council was noted as Wednesday 19 July 2023.

The meeting closed at 8.05 pm.