

All Members are summoned to attend a meeting of **FULL COUNCIL** held on **TUESDAY, 26 MARCH 2024**, at **THE GEORGE STREET CENTRE, GEORGE STREET, RYDE** commencing at **7.00PM** for the purpose of transacting the business as set out within the agenda below.

PUBLIC QUESTIONS

Prior to the Council meeting commencing there will be a public forum of up to 15 minutes, if necessary, when there will be an opportunity for members of the public to ask questions of the Town Council regarding matters on the agenda.

AGENDA

1. APPLEY AND ELMFIELD ELECTION

- i. Acceptance of Office – Ryde Appley And Elmfield - For the newly elected member for Ryde Appley and Elmfield to receive and sign the Acceptance of Office.
- ii. Code of Conduct – For the new member for Ryde Appley and Elmfield to receive, note and sign Ryde Town Council's Code of Conduct.

2. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

To receive any declarations of pecuniary or non-pecuniary (personal) interests relating to items on the agenda.

4. REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS

To receive and consider granting any written requests from Members for dispensations in respect of disclosable pecuniary interests.

5. UPDATE FROM FORTH (FRIENDS OF RYDE TOWN HALL)

To receive a report from Forth regarding their recent report detailing the results of the Community Consultation.

6. MINUTES

To take as read and confirm as accurate the attached minutes of the Full Council meeting held on 5 February 2024 ([PAPER A](#)).

7. MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive an update from the Mayor ([PAPER B](#)).

8. WRITTEN REPORTS

- i. To receive a written update from the Clerk ([PAPER C](#)).
- ii. To receive a written report from the Community Development Officer ([PAPER D](#)).
- iii. To receive a written update from the Ryde Policing team (Paper to follow).

9. MEMBERS REPORTS

To receive any reports from Town Councillors who have attended any meetings on behalf of the Town Council.

10. FINANCE AND COMMUNITY RESOURCES COMMITTEE

- i. To note the approved minutes of the meeting held on the 23 January 2024. ([PAPER E](#)).
- ii. To consider the recommendation arising from the meeting held on 20 February 2024 regarding the approval of the updated Risk Assessment as prepared by the RFO ([PAPER F](#)).

11. PLACE, NEIGHBOURHOOD AND PLANNING COMMITTEE

- i. To note the minutes of the meetings held on 16 January and 6 February 2024 ([PAPER G](#)).
- ii. Vacancy for one member on the Place, Neighbourhood and Planning Committee.

12. RYDE TOWN BOARD

- i. To receive an update on the Ryde Town Board ([PAPER H](#)).
- ii. To agree to appoint the Mayor as RTC representative to the Town Board.

13. MEMBERS QUESTIONS

To receive any questions from Members concerning the business of the Town Council or about a matter affecting the town but which is not included on the agenda for the meeting or is not otherwise before the Council.

14. MOTION 03/24

To consider a motion proposed by Cllr Ian Dore regarding additional funding for Armed Forces Day to commemorate the 80th Anniversary of D Day. (**PAPER I** - to follow)

15. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

In view of the confidential nature of the business to be discussed it is advisable in the public interest that the public and press be excluded for the following items, and they are requested to withdraw – in accordance with Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 s1 (2).

16. FORMER NATWEST BANK PURCHASE

- i. To consider the recommendation arising from the meeting of the Finance and Community Resources Committee held on 20 February 2024 (**PAPER J** to follow).
- ii. To receive and consider the prepurchase reports (Papers to follow).
- iii. To formally agree to the purchase of the NatWest building.

17. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

To note that the next scheduled meeting is Annual Council on 13 May 2024 at 7pm.

Signed



Lisa Dyer – Town Clerk

20 March 2024

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