



EAST COWES TOWN COUNCIL

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You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the **East Cowes Town Council** to be held at **6pm on Thursday 16th January 2025** at the **Town Hall, York Avenue, East Cowes** to discuss the following matters set out in the agenda.

Sue Chilton, Town Clerk

Dated: 10th January 2025

6.00pm PUBLIC FORUM

15 minutes are allocated for members of the public to comment and ask questions relating to Full Council business prior to the start of the meeting.

AGENDA

1. 6.15pm APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
To receive apologies for absence
2. 6.20pm DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS
 - 2.1 To receive declarations of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests
 - 2.2 To receive and consider granting any written requests for dispensations
3. 6.25pm MINUTES
 - 3.1 To approve and sign the minutes of the **Full Council** meeting held on **Thursday 19th December 2024**
 - 3.2 To resolve any actions
4. 6.30pm FLOATING BRIDGE
 - 4.1 To receive an update on the Floating Bridge
 - 4.2 To resolve any actions
5. 6.35pm WATERFRONT REGENERATION UPDATE
 - 5.1 To receive an update on the Waterfront Regeneration project
 - 5.2 To resolve any action
6. 6.40pm FINANCES
 - 6.1 To approve and agree payments as presented and ratify payments made by Direct Debit and BACS
 - 6.2 To note the bank reconciliation for November 2024
 - 6.3 To note the 3rd Qtr. Budget report
 - 6.4 To resolve any actions
7. 6.50pm BUDGET 2025/2026
 - 7.1 To consider and agree the budget for 2025/26
 - 7.2 To resolve to set the precept for 2025/26

8. 7.05pm COWES 200
 - 8.1 To consider a contribution of £15,000.00 to the start-up costs of Cowes 200 celebrations.
 - 8.2 To resolve any actions

- 9 7.15pm SPONSORSHIP POLICY
 - 9.1 To consider adoption of a Sponsorship Policy
 - 9.2 To resolve any actions

10. 7.25pm REPORTS
 - 10.1 Clerk's report and Facilities Report
 - 10.2 Mayors report
 - 10.3 IW Ward Councillors reports
 - 10.4 Town Councillors reports

11. 7.45pm EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC
To resolve that in view of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, that it is in the public interest that the press and public are excluded. (1960 Public Bodies Admission to Meetings Act s1 (2)).

Contractual Matters