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ANNUAL KEYNSHAM TOWN MEETING

Meeting for Keynsham Residents

THURSDAY 20TH APRIL 2023 AT 7.30 PM

IN THE SPACE (ABOVE KEYNSHAM LIBRARY – ENTRANCE
OPPOSITE ICELAND), MARKET WALK, KEYNSHAM

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD DURING PRE-ELECTION PERIOD AND THEREFORE SOME POLITICALLY SENSITIVE ISSUES MAY NOT BE ABLE TO BE DISCUSSED

THIS MEETING MAY BE FILMED OR RECORDED (PLEASE REFER TO THE TOWN COUNCIL'S PROTOCOL ON THE FILMING AND RECORDING OF LOCAL COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS (adopted August 2014)).

AGENDA

1. MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL KEYNSHAM TOWN MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 21ST APRIL 2022 (attached)

To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on 21st April 2022 as a true record and to agree that they be signed by the Chairman.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

RECOMMENDATION:

To receive apologies for absence.

3. GUEST SPEAKERS

This year's Speakers are Siobhan Lamb – WaterSpace Connected Project Manager from Bath and North East Somerset Council and Kären Renshaw - Ecologist at Bath and North East Somerset Council giving information on the new B&NES Ecological Emergency Action Plan and also the WaterSpace Connected project, which is focusing on delivery of improvements for nature and people by Keynsham Hams, including a bridge over the River Avon.

4. PRESENTATION OF KEYNSHAM GOOD CITIZENS AWARDS

To present the Keynsham Good Citizens Awards for 2022/23. The 6 recipients will each receive a framed certificate and an award Of £100 payable to a local organisation/charity of their choice.

5. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN COUNCIL 2022/2023 (attached)

Keynsham Electors are invited to ask questions on the contents of the Annual Report 2022/2023, which contains reports on the Council's Committees and activities and progress during the past municipal year.

6. PUBLIC FORUM

Keynsham Electors are invited to raise any other items concerning the Town of Keynsham. **(Members of the public wishing to ask a question please advise the meeting of their name and organisation, if applicable, before speaking).**

7. DATE OF 2024 KEYNSHAM TOWN MEETING

The Town Council has suggested Thursday 18th April for the 2024 Keynsham Town Meeting, commencing at 7.30pm. Electors for Keynsham are asked to consider the suitability of this date. (By law, Annual Parish and Town Meetings must take place between 1st March and 1st June each year).

SIGNED:  DATE: 12th April 2023

Councillor Andy Wait, Chairman, Keynsham Town Council

If you have any enquiries concerning the Agenda for the Annual Town Meeting, please contact Dawn Drury, Town Clerk. (Contact details at the top of this agenda).