

# **Long Stratton Town Council**

# MINUTES OF FULL COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 31<sup>st</sup> JULY 2023 @ 7pm IN THE COMMUNITY PAVILION ROOM

In attendance: Councillors Kelly Lunness, Mathew Pochin, Judith Baker, Susan Smith, Diane Woodham, Andrew Lansdell and David Willis

#### **County Councillor Alison Thomas**

## **Clerk Becky Buck**

## 1. To receive apologies for absence

There were no apologies of absence received.

# 2. To receive disclosures of interest and dispensations

There were no disclosure of interest or dispensations received.

# 3. To receive a progress update on funding for a youth worker.

The Clerk shared the application form which was supported by the Council. The Clerk advised that the outcome would be received by the end of August.

## 4. To discuss and decide on supporting a youth worker if successful.

The Council agreed to support a youth worker.

#### 5. To receive a progress update on South Norfolk House.

A verbal update on the bids for South Norfolk House was provided. The Clerk is continuing to work closely with the Community Bidder.

6. To close the meeting to press and public under the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960 due to the disclosure of confidential information (land, contracts, staffing matters)

The meeting was closed to the press and public.

## 7. Staffing matters

The Clerk advised that that Emma Blizard was leaving the Council. Following a lengthy discussion; it was agreed to recruit an apprentice with day release at city college doing an NVQ Level 3 in Business Administration.

With there being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 19:52