



Grange-over-Sands Annual Town Meeting
DRAFT Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held in the Victoria Hall, on
Monday 11 April 2022 commencing at 7.00 pm

Present:

Cllr. Thomas, Chairman.
Cllr. A. Walmsley, Vice-Chairman.
Cllrs. Handley, E. Walmsley, Mason, Bailey
County Cllr. B. Wearing
District Cllr. F. Hanlon
Mrs C. Benbow, Town Clerk
6 members of the public attended.

The Chair, Cllr. Thomas, opened the meeting at 7pm and welcomed everyone.

22/01 Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Town Cllrs. Logan and Greenway and from District Cllrs. Ashcroft and Endors.

22/02 Minutes of Previous Annual Town Meeting

It was noted that the Annual Town Meeting did not take place in 2020 or 2021 due to the Covid-19 Pandemic.

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the previous Annual Town Meeting held on Monday 8 April 2019 were accepted as a true record and that the Chairman was authorised to sign the Minutes.

22/03 Address from the Chairman

Cllr. Thomas addressed the meeting, drawing attention to the written reports from County Councillor Wearing and District Councillors Ashcroft, Endsor and Hanlon, copies of which were available for members of the public.

Cllr. Thomas thanked everyone who took part in supporting the Community through the Covid-19 pandemic and in particular thanked all the gardening groups who kept, and keep, Grange looking so attractive and well cared-for throughout.

22/04 Representation from Community Members who wished to take the opportunity to address the town.

A resident spoke about traffic problems and road surfaces in Grange, saying that he put considerable work, over a number of years, into trying to improve these. He hoped that the road works happening that night would go some way towards this.

22/05 Close

The meeting received a vote of thanks from Deputy Chairman Cllr. Ann Walmsley, who thanked all the Councillors, the Council Staff, the Lengthsman, the Victoria Hall Support Group, all the voluntary groups in Grange and all those members of the public who attended Town Council and Annual Town Meetings.

The meeting closed at 7.06pm

Signed:.....

Dated:.....