



MINUTES

Of the Town Council's
Ordinary Council Meeting
held on
Monday 3rd February 2025

PRESENT: Councillors: Aston, Blasczyk, Carter, Chikandamina, Cooke, Hannington, Hunt, Mehta, Parnaby & Pooler

APOLOGIES: Councillors: Heighway, Morgan Parker & Preece

Staff: Simon Eccleston (Clerk), Sarah Houlston (Deputy Clerk)

A quorum was present when decisions were made. Name's present must be recorded.

OCM25/28	Chair opens the meeting at 6pm Chair reminds councillors of conduct & participation in meetings, any questions to be directed to the Chair.
OCM25/29	Apologies Apologies for Councillor Heighway, Morgan, Parker & Preece Proposed Councillor Aston Seconded Councillor Chikandamina Unanimously agreed by all councillors
OCM25/30	Public Session 1 member of the public present, Mr Ware who is now a governor at The Langley School and will be attending future meetings and working within the community.
OCM25/31	Minutes RESOLVED MINUTES FROM OCM 14 th October 2024 are approved. Proposed Councillor Chikandamina Seconded Councillor Carter Unanimously agreed by all councillors who were present at the meeting
OCM25/32	Borough Cllr Update Councillor Mehta recently returned met with Police Chief Super Intendent Ed Hancox regarding ASB on Dawley High Street
OCM25/33	Grants Cllr Cooke & Cllr Pooler declare interest and leave the room.



OCM25/34	Resolved Dawley Social Club are awarded under 10s be awarded £228 for replacement defibrillator pads. Proposed Councillor Chikandamina Seconded Councillor Carter Unanimously agreed by all councillors Resolved Councillors would like to request that all Christmas grant applicants are contacted and asked how they have funded the event if the event went ahead with it being after Christmas. Proposed Councillor Hannington Seconded Councillor Carter Unanimously agreed by all councillors
OCM25/35	Finance- Budget setting The Council agree to set the precept for 2025/26 at £935,000-00 Proposed Councillor Parnaby Seconded Councillor Parker Unanimously agreed by all councillors
OCM25/36	Finance Finance reports are authorised on block Proposed Councillor Parnaby Seconded Councillor Aston Unanimously agreed by all councillors
OCM25/37	Clerks Report Clerk delivers report-opportunity for councillors to ask questions

Meeting closed at 6:35