



GLASTONBURY TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of Extraordinary Full Council held on 14 December, 2022 at 7pm	
Councillors Present	R. Cook, J. Cousins, I. Donfrancesco, Lokabandhu, I. Mutch, M. Oakden, L. Osborn, Z. Price, S. Roney-Dougal, M. Smyth, M. White
Apologies	Cllrs Cottle, Henderson, L. MacDougall, Manning and Napper
In Attendance	Town Clerk, 2 Macebearers, Avon and Somerset Police and Crime Commissioner, Avon and Somerset Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner, The Vicar, County Councillor Hart, and 6 members of the public
Public Participation	5 members of the public spoke during public participation. The subjects raised included: 1. Beat Officer's Training 2. Policing in Glastonbury 3. Van Dwelling and Homelessness in Glastonbury 4. Travellers and Sites in Glastonbury

184. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Cllrs Cottle, Henderson, MacDougall and Manning and Napper gave apologies owing to conflicting meetings or engagements.

185. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No members raised any declarations of interest.

186. TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE FROM THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR AVON AND SOMERSET ON THE FORCE'S RESPONSE TO / PLANS FOR ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR IN GLASTONBURY AND HOLD A DISCUSSION ON THE TOPIC

Standing Order 26 (the requirement to stand when speaking) was suspended.

The Police and Crime Commissioner and the Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner gave a comprehensive and useful role of the 'Commissioner' in Policing.

Members held discussions on the level and types of crime being committed in Glastonbury, with input from the Police and Crime Commissioner and Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner. Topics such as training and crime reduction were also covered.

The importance of reporting crime was stressed in order that the right level of Police resource is devoted to the Town.

The Police and Crime Commissioner gave an overview of the fund to which the Town Council can apply in order to help reduce crime and details of the Parish Crime Forum to which the Town Council will be invited.

Members of the public were also able to ask questions of the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner.

Members thanked the Commissioners for their attendance.

187. TO NOTE THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING – TUESDAY 10 JANUARY 2023

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