

MARYPORT TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Finance & General Purposes Committee held on Monday 26 October 2020 in the Council Chambers, Town Hall, Maryport & virtually, as permitted by The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020 (“the 2020 Regulations”), at 7.00pm.

Present

Councillor S Ashworth	Councillor G Hampson
Councillor Mrs A Kendall	Councillor P Kendall
Councillor Mrs C McCarron Holmes	Councillor D Porthouse
Councillor Mrs L Radcliffe	Councillor Ms C Slater
Councillor Ms S Stamper	Councillor Ms C Tindall (Chairman)

In Attendance

Mrs L M Douglas (Clerk)
Mr P Bramley (Clerk)
Mrs V Patterson (Press)

45/20 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors P Mallyon, J Newton, Ms K Thompson, Mrs J Wood & M Wood.

46/20 Declarations of Interest

None received.

47/20 Requests for Dispensation

None received.

48/20 Budget 2021/2022

Members considered a report setting out the basis of development of the draft Budget 2021/2022, the detailed draft Budget figures & the estimated level of Reserves & Balances at 31 March 2021.

The draft budget took into account the Council's agreed priorities in its Council Strategy & provided for an expenditure budget in 2021/22 of £372,000. It was estimated that such a budget would result in an increase in the level of Council Tax for the majority of Maryport Council Tax payers of 82p per annum.

Resolved that the Budget 2021/22, as detailed in the report & providing for a budget of £372,000, be agreed in principle, & that it be recommended to form the basis of the Council precept for 2021/22, pending the receipt of the outstanding information required.

The Budget 2021/22 is attached.

Signed

Chairman

Date