



## Ramsgate Town Council

### MINUTES ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

**DATE:** 30th March 2016

**TIME:** 7pm

**VENUE:** The Custom House, Harbour Parade, Ramsgate.

**PRESENT:**

Chairman: Cllr T.Shonk, Mayor of Ramsgate.

Councillors in attendance: Campbell, Connor, Falcon, L.Fairbrass, Fenner, Kennedy, Larkins, Leys, Martin, Rev Piper and Stummer- Schmetzing.

Town Clerk: Richard Styles.

Assistant Town Clerk: Eileen Richford.

**APOLOGIES**

Cllrs: J. Fairbrass, Young.

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**AM 27** *The Mayor opened the meeting and asked for the minutes of the 24<sup>th</sup> March 2015 to be approved.*

*Cllr Campbell proposed and Cllr Shonk seconded.*

**RESOLVED**

**AM 28** *The Clerk went through the report on the activities of the Council in the last year. The meeting received the report.*

**AM 29** *The public fielded various questions to the Council*

*Mr P.Ryder- submitted 6 questions on the Council budget, Data protection act and staff costs and training.*

*The Clerk said he would reply to Mr Ryder in detail as there was too much information to be discussed at the meeting. He has since done so.*

*Other questions submitted were:*

- *The cancellation of the Ramsgate Sprint.*
- *The status of the Ramsgate regeneration Alliance.*
- *Cllr Larkins social media postings.*
- *Western under cliff proposals.*
- *The future of the Town Council.*
- *Future powers for the Town Council and powers of scrutiny.*

- *The Council was given a vote of thanks for its efforts and for answering the questions directly.*
- *The mayor was accorded special praise for his activities.*

*The meeting closed at 8.45pm*