

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Full Council of Swanley Town Council
held in the Council Chamber, The Civic Centre, St Mary's Road, Swanley,
on Wednesday 6th July at 7.30pm**

Minutes

Present

Conservative: Cllr S Gaire (Mayor), Cllr J Barnes, Cllr R Morris, Cllr T Searles, Cllr V Southern, Cllr L Ball, Cllr H Willingale, , Cllr L Gaire, Cllr C Barnes, Cllr L Dyball, Cllr J Halford and J Hulton-Scott

Labour: Cllr M Hogg, Cllr E Komolafe

Also in Attendance: J Pilbeam (Chief Executive)

6 members of the public

The meeting opened at 7.48pm

Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Cllr N Scott and Cllr R Brookbank, for which reasons were given and accepted.

Declarations of Pecuniary and Non-Pecuniary Interest

None

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10063 It was **RESOLVED** To receive and approve the minutes of the meeting of 8th June 2016

The following minutes were noted

Development Control 22nd June 2016

Finance and Audit 22nd June 2016

Mayors Communications

The Mayor reported an update on his activities since the last meeting.

The meeting was adjourned to allow the public to ask questions of the Council

Questions were asked about the procedures for fire evacuation in the council chamber, the publication of agendas and minutes on the website, the presentation by U+I at the recent Development Control Committee, a member of the public that is barred from the Council premises, the sale of the Woodlands and the Council's reserves position.

Cllr Halford left the meeting at 8.09pm

10064 It was RESOLVED to note the report of the CEO and **approve** the Council to contract a security firm to patrol the Woodlands to protect the building from unauthorised access and vandalism at best value. Costs to be taken from the repairs and maintenance budget for 2016/17.

The Town Freeman Award was presented to Mr and Mrs Mike Weston in recognition of their contribution to the Town of Swanley.

Meeting closed at 8.43pm

Signed CHAIRMAN

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