

MINUTES OF PENZANCE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING held in The Guildhall,
St. John's Hall, Penzance on Monday 11th July 2005 at 7.00 pm.

PRESENT

Councillor D.J. Axford (Town Mayor)
Councillor F. Granger (Deputy Town Mayor)

Councillors R. Clark
A.R. Climo-Thompson
M.R. Cotton
C.A. Dennis
J.H. Dixon
M. Freeman
S. Freeman
R.A. Mann
K.L.W. Perry
P.C.H. Rendle
J. Ruhrmund

Prior to the commencement of the business of the meeting, members stood in silent tribute in memory of Vaughan Tregenza, Honorary Freeman, and Mr. Roger Trembath.

Inspector Barry Tripp was in attendance and provided details of progress against a variety of policing targets, the formation of a Community Panel which was followed by a 'question and answer' session.

27. **PRAYERS**

The Council's Chaplain, Reverend Julyan Drew, offered prayers.

28. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Councillors W.J.L. Aitken, R.M. Lawrence, S.J. Reed, A.J. Richings, C.A.C. White and T.E. Williams.

29. **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 6th June 2005, having been circulated, it was

RESOLVED: that they be signed as a true and correct record.

30. **TO DEAL WITH BUSINESS EXPRESSLY REQUIRED BY STATUTE
TO BE DONE**

(a) Alcohol Licence - Transfers

Councillor J.H. Dixon declared a code of conduct interest in this matter and retired from the meeting.

- (i) The Old Smithy

RESOLVED: to offer no objection.

31. **TOWN MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(a) The Town Mayor was pleased to advise that Zoe Watts, who originated from Heamoor, would be joining Councillors for a drink with members of the crew of HMS Smiter of which Zoe was the Commanding Officer.

(b) Reflecting on events since the last Town Council Meeting, the Town Mayor congratulated all those who were involved with the Golowan Festival and also with the V.E. Commemoration events, both of which had been outstanding successes.

(c) The Town Mayor reminded members that the Commemoration for V.J. Day would take place on Sunday 11th September 2005 with a parade and service in the Garden of Remembrance at Penlee Park.

(d) The Town Mayor advised that, through Councillor Steve Freeman, Mr. Peter Mundy of the Bendigo/Penzance Sister City Association had sent a message of support and concern following the bomb atrocities in London.

32. **QUESTIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDING ORDER NUMBER 24**

The Town Clerk advised that no such questions had been received.

33. **REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES**

- (a) **General Purposes Committee - 27th June 2005**

RESOLVED: to adopt the report.

- (b) **Penlee House and Park Committee - 28th June 2005**

RESOLVED: to adopt the report.

- (c) **Planning Committee - 16th June 2005**

RESOLVED: to adopt the report.

- (d) **Planning Committee - 29th June 2005**

RESOLVED: to adopt the report.

- (e) **Finance/Property Committee - 30th June 2005**

RESOLVED: to adopt the report.

34. **RESOLUTION TO EXCLUDE THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

Due to the confidential nature of the next matter to be discussed, it was

RESOLVED: to exclude the press and public from the remainder of the meeting.

35. **STAFFING - TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE**

See Confidential Appendix "A".

8.10 pm

Town Mayor
26th September 2005