MINUTES OF THE BUDGET MEETING OF TOTNES TOWN COUNCIL MONDAY 26th JANUARY 2014 AT THE GUILDHALL TOTNES

Present: Councillors Hodgson (Chairman), Harper, Boswell, Marion Adams, Vint, Wellwood, Whitty, Horsburgh and Harvey

Apologies: Councillors Craddock, Cohen, Westacott MBE, Finn, Gorman, Rosie Adams, Not Present: Councillor Greenway

In Attendance: Helen Nathanson (Town Clerk), Peter Bethel (Town Sergeant), 1 member of the press

No	Subject	Comments
1	The Mayor will open the Meeting and receive apologies.	It was RESOLVED to accept the apologies.
2	The Mayor will request confirmation that all Members have made any amendments necessary to their Declaration of Interests, if appropriate. Please note that if any Councillor is a member of any Town organisation by enrolment and/or paid subscription this must be declared and these declarations of interest also made known at the time of discussing such items.	There were no amendments.
3	To approve the 2015-2016 Budget.	The Budget was discussed and councillors considered the budget for each Accounting Code. It was unanimously RESOLVED to accept the Budget for 2015/16 with a Precept of £230,088 and a Council Tax Grant of £30,359. The Band D Rate will be £87.89 which is an increase on last year of £2.55 or 2.99%.
4	<i>If required, the Council will adjourn and a meeting of the Trustees of the Paige Adams Trust will be convened.</i>	The meeting of the Charity of Paige Adams took place after the Full Council meeting.
5	To note the date of the next Council meeting on Monday 2 nd February 2015.	This was noted. The meeting closed at 7.30pm.

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MAYOR