**MOLD TOWN COUNCIL**

**Minutes of the Mold Town Council Meeting held at The Bailey Hill Centre, Mold at 6pm on Monday 9th September 2024 (also, by Video conferencing).**

**PRESENT:**

**Councillors:** Cllrs. Brian Lloyd (Mayor and Chairman), Paul Beacher (Deputy Mayor), Haydn Jones, Tina Claydon, Sarah Taylor, Pete Dando and Chris Bithell.

**Via Zoom:** Cllrs. Megan Lloyd-Hughes, Teresa Carberry and Catherine Frances Claydon.

**Officers:** Jo Lane, Town Clerk & Finance Officer

**Absent:** Councillors Tim Maunders, Haydn Bateman, Bryan Grew, Joanne Edwards and Geoff Collett

**PUBLIC PARTCIPATION:** No members of the public were present.

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Cllr Robin Guest.

1. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None

1. **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

It was **resolved** to exclude the press and public for the next agenda item.

1. **TOWN COUNCIL OFFICES**

The current Town Council offices were discussed with concerns raised with regards to responsibility to staff safety, cost, appropriate work environment, accessibility and visibility to the public.

Other buildings available in Mold were also discussed.

Proposal:to move out of the Town Hall for the short term and sign a 5-year lease at another premises. Nine Councillors voted in favour of the proposal, Councillor Bithell opposed.

It was **resolved** to move out of the Town Hall for the short term and sign a 5-year lease at another premises.

Meeting closed: 18.57pm

Mayor’s signature: ………………………………………… Date: ……………………

**SUMMARY OF DECLARATIONS MADE BY MEMBERS**

**IN ACCORDANCE WITH MOLD TOWN COUNCIL’S**

**CODE OF CONDUCT**

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| **MOLD TOWN COUNCIL** | **DATE:** 09.09.24 |
| **MEMBER** | **ITEM** | **MINUTE NO. REFERS** |

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