Minutes of a Special Meeting of the

Public Events Sub-Committee

held at the Town Hall, Milford Haven

on Monday, 13th May, 2019 at 6:00 pm

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PRESENT

The Mayor and Chair (Councillor R. D. Gray)

The Deputy Mayor and Mayor Elect (Councillor T. J. Davies)

The Deputy Mayor Elect (Councillor Miss K. Gray)

Councillors: W. D. Elliott BA QTS E. R. Harries

C. A. Sharp Mrs Y. G. Southwell

Mrs L. E. Turner

The Town Clerk and Secretary were also in attendance.

295. APOLOGIES:

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors L. J. Bridges, P. Coe, E. A. Davies, A. H. Miles and G. Woodham MBA (Open) LL.B (Hons).

296. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST:

The Deputy Mayor declared a personal interest as he has nominated two of the candidates for Citizens’ Awards.

The Deputy Mayor Elect declared a personal interest as she has nominated a candidate for an Award.

Councillor W. D. Elliott BA QTS declared a personal interest in the nominations for the Milford Haven Sea Cadets and Royal Marines Cadets as he is the Commanding Officer of the Unit.

Councillor C. A. Sharp declared a personal interest as he has nominated a group for an Award. He said that he would not, however, vote for the group he nominated.

Councillor E. R. Harries declared a personal interest as he works closely with a group nominated for one of the Awards.

297. TO CONSIDER NOMINATIONS FOR CITIZENS’ AWARDS 2019:

The Chair advised that there were ten nominations for the Adult Citizens’ Awards, one nomination for a Youth Citizens’ Award and a nomination for a Posthumous Citizens’ Award.

The nomination papers and voting slips were distributed to Members. Members then voted following careful consideration of the nomination papers.

It was RECOMMENDED THAT:

(i) three Adult Citizens’ Awards be presented this year;

(ii) one Youth Citizens’ Award be presented this year;

(iii) a Posthumous Citizens’ Award be presented this year;

(iv) the Citizens’ Awards will be presented by the

Mayor in the Council Chamber on Friday, 7th

June, 2019;

(v) as in previous years, invitations to the event are

to be extended to past recipients of Citizens’

Awards and those who have nominated the

recipients of this year’s Citizens’ Awards;

(vi) in accordance with previous practice, the names

of the recipients of this year’s Citizens’ Awards be

kept confidential until their release to the Press;

(vii) as in previous years, Members of this Council are

to be advised of the names of the recipients of

the Citizens’ Awards on the same day as the

information is released to the Press;

(viii) any unsuccessful nominations made for this year

will not be carried over for consideration for

Citizens’ Awards in 2020, nominations can,

however, be resubmitted.

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