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Proper Officer: Mr Luke Trevaskis

Minutes of Environment Committee Meeting of Morecambe Town Council held at Morecambe Town Hall at 7.30pm on the first day of June 2022.

Present: Councillors C Matthews, P Hart, J Pilling, A Balcer, P Anderton.

In attendance: Mr Luke Trevaskis (Proper Officer) and no members of the public.

Minute EC2223-001

Election of Chairman

Cllr Cary Matthews was duly elected Chairman of the Committee.

Minute EC2223-002

Election of Vice Chairman

Cllr Paul Hart was duly elected Vice Chairman of the Committee.

Minute EC2223-003

Declarations of Interest

None.

Minute EC2223-004

Minutes

Deferred.

Minute EC2223-005

Public Participation

No members of the public were present to make representations.

Minute EC2223-006

Public Realm Protection

The Committee considered the quotes and approved the purchase of body cams for public realm officers to ensure safety - expenditure delegated to the Proper Officer to secure best price at time of purchase.

The Committee considered the quotes and approved the purchase of mobile phones with tracking devices for public realm officers to be integrated with council HR apps, work schedules, ensuring compatibility with body cam system, functionality to access social media platforms, record videos and take photographs - expenditure delegated to the Proper Officer to secure best price at time of purchase.

Minute EC2223-007

Public Realm Weed Management

The Committee considered the Weed Management Implementation report ('Cost of Pesticide Application') and approved all recommendations and purchases to cover full training each operative, purchase of equipment and PPE - expenditure delegated to the Proper Officer to secure best price at time of purchase.

The Committee also considered staffing resources for weed management and agreed to offer funding for a fixed four-month term officer contract to support and facilitate the weed management scheme.