

WEST MERSEA TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING

HELD ON THURSDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 2015

PRESENT: Councillors: Sylvia Wargent (Chairman)
David Bragg
Robert Jenkins
Alan Mogridge
Carl Powling
Sophie Weaver

IN ATTENDANCE: Town Clerk: David Tucker

Action

6159 APOLOGIES

Apologies received from Councillor May.

In the absence of Councillor Clements and Councillor May, Councillor Wargent took the chair.

6160 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

6161 TO DETERMINE THE COUNCILS RESPONSE TO THE PLAN TO BUILD A NEW POWER STATION AT BRADWELL AND TO DISCUSS ANY ASSOCIATED ISSUES

Following considerable discussion, and after representations made by members of the public, and after Councillor Powling read out the letter received from Bernard Jenkins in response to his correspondence with him (attached), it was resolved (Proposed: Councillor Mogridge, Seconded: Councillor Powling) that (i) West Mersea Town Council agree to reinstate our concerns and our objections to the building of a new nuclear reactor at Bradwell, as set out in February 2010 (attached), after appropriate review, and (ii) to lend our support to the campaign group on the island in their fight to secure proper consultation and stop Fuel Element Debris being discharged into the Blackwater Estuary.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 8.35pm.