

WEST MERSEA TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING

HELD ON TUESDAY 29 JULY 2022

PRESENT: Councillors: Carl Powling (Mayor)
Julie Baker
Sam Jarvis
Robert Jenkins
Sophie Weaver
Chris Wood

IN ATTENDANCE: Town Clerk
1 member of the public

22/121 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.** To receive apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Councillors John Akker, David Bragg and Sylvia Wargent. No vote was taken.

22/122 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.** To receive declarations of interest from members.

None received.

22/123 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION.** A period of up to 15 minutes (maximum of 3 minutes per person) for members of the public to ask questions or submit comments

A member of the public spoke public about safety and disabled access; detailing the disintegration of the WWII defences on the beach, their complaint under the Equality Act regarding access to the disabled platform on Victoria Esplanade and to acknowledge that the council is addressing the boardwalk.

The public left the meeting.

22/124 **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC.** To RESOLVE that due to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted the public and press be excluded pursuant to Section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960

22/125 **BOARDWALK REPAIRS**

- To consider and approve boardwalk repair
- To select a contractor from the quotations received and to approve the expenditure

It was RESOLVED to accept DeckSafe Solutions quotation.

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 11.50am.