



# WARMSWORTH PARISH COUNCIL COUNCIL MEETING

**Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting held on 7 June 2017 in the  
Community Centre, Low Road West, Warmsworth at 7.00pm**

**Members Present:** Cllrs. C Pattison, J.Auty, A. Bennett, and S White.

**In Attendance:** Mr A. Bosmans (Clerk)

**Apologies:** Cllr. M. Collinson

**Members Absent:** None

## **17/089 To Appoint a new Chair**

It was explained to Councillors present that the current Chair Georgina Mullis and her husband Ray had resigned and were stepping down from Council with immediate effect. The Clerk had taken steps to advise Doncaster Council of two Casual Vacancies but the meeting this evening was necessary to appoint a New Chair, Vice Chair and to discuss how the Council should deal with the proposed resignation of the Clerk.

The issue of the Clerk would be dealt with under Press and Public Exclusion, but it was necessary to hold a public meeting to appoint a new Chair (and Vice Chair should that person be elevated to Chair)

Cllr. Jo Auty was proposed, seconded and with everyone in favour signed the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

**RESOLVED:** That Cllr Jo-An Auty be elected as Chair for the remainder of the Council Year 2017 - 2018

## **17/090 To Appoint a new Vice-Chair**

This was necessary because the Vice Chair had been appointed to Chair and now presided over proceedings.

Cllr. Chris Pattison was proposed and seconded, with everyone in favour, and was asked to sign the Declaration of Acceptance of Office.

## **17/091 To Receive a Report from the Chair Regarding advice procured from Yorkshire Local Councils Association**

The Chair explained that it would now be necessary to go into private session – Press and public Excluded – To discuss the matter of the proposed resignation of the Clerk.

## **17/092 To resolve exclusion of members of the public and Press for the rest of the meeting the remaining items being prejudicial under Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings Act 1960)**

This was moved and the Council Meeting recommenced in Confidential Session.

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