

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING HELD MONDAY 25 APRIL 2016 AT THE
GUILDHALL, BARNSTAPLE AT 7.00PM**

Present: Cllr Mrs V Elkins (Town Mayor) in the Chair
52 members of the public and Will Austin, Barnstaple Town Clerk

TM01 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 27 APRIL 2015

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held on 27 April 2015 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

TM02 ANNUAL REPORT OF BARNSTAPLE TOWN COUNCIL AND MATTERS ARISING

The Mayor presented the Annual Report, which included reports of the Environment, Finance & General Purposes, Heritage Culture & Community, Planning & Transportation, and Staff Committees. There followed a short video summarising the Mayoral year 2014-2015.

No matters were raised by members of the public.

TM03 REPORTS FROM TOWN COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES TO OUTSIDE BODIES

No reports were received.

TM04 REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL GROUPS AND ORGANISATIONS

No reports were received.

TM05 RAF COMMUNITY PLATE

The RAF Community Plate was presented by the Mayor to Sue Wallis of North Devon Against Domestic Abuse.

TM06 PRESENTATION OF GRANT AWARDS

The Mayor presented cheques to local groups and organisations who had been given grant awards from Barnstaple Town Council. Recipient organisations offered a brief summary of their work and the benefits that would accrue from the grant award.

TM07 QUESTIONS RAISED BY LOCAL ELECTORS

No questions were received.

Meeting closed at 8.10pm

Chairman.

Signed: Dated: