

UCKFIELD TOWN COUNCIL



Minutes of the meeting of **UCKFIELD TOWN COUNCIL** held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre on Monday 4th September 2018 at 7.00 pm.

PRESENT: Cllr. J. Love (Deputy Mayor) Cllr. D. Manvell
Cllr. D. Bennett Cllr. P. Meakin
Cllr. M. Dean Cllr. I. Smith
Cllr. H. Firth Cllr. P. Sparks
Cllr. D. French Cllr. D. Ward

IN ATTENDANCE:

Holly Goring Town Clerk
David Nott Hospitality Manager

Minutes taken by Holly Goring.

1.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members and officers were reminded to make any declarations of personal and/or prejudicial interests that they may have in relation to items on the agenda. They were advised that notice should be given at this part of the meeting of any intended declaration and that the nature of the interest should then be declared later at the commencement of the item or when the interest became apparent.

However, no such declarations were forthcoming.

2.0 STATEMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA AT THE MAYOR'S DISCRETION

None.

3.0 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received from Councillors J. Beesley, L. Eastwood, K. Everett, C. Macve and S. Mayhew.

4.0 CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS

FC45i.09.18 It was **RESOLVED** that pursuant to Section 1 (2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted it was advisable in the public interest that the public be temporarily excluded and they were instructed to withdraw.

4.1 To consider the details of the proposed Luxfords Refurbishment
FC45ii.09.18 With nine members in favour, and one recorded as abstaining, it was

RESOLVED:

(i) That a refurbishment be undertaken of Luxfords Restaurant in the current financial year (2018/19) in accordance with the proposals outlined in appendix C of this report;

(ii) That a marketing plan be created for the period during the refurbishment and after to target a wider audience and increase footfall which results in increased sales;

(iii) That a detailed review of purchase costs be undertaken to consider if any new initiatives could assist with reducing the current fixed and variable costs held by the restaurant.

The meeting closed at 7.34pm.