MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF PENRYN TOWN COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 17 MAY 2012 AT 7.00 P.M. IN THE TOWN HALL, PENRYN

Councillors Present:

Mrs G A Grant - Town Mayor

Mrs M V Bennett, K S Green, Mrs B Hulme, Mrs C Hutchings, Mrs M K May, M J Mullins, Mrs S Peters and M Snowdon

Council entered the Town Hall led by the Town Mayor. The Mayor invited David Ward to lead the meeting in prayers.

1. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors J Langan, G K Mockett, D A Prynn, Mrs S Townsend and E L Wilkes.

2. TOWN MAYOR'S RESUME OF CIVIC YEAR

The Town Mayor gave a resume of her year in office and thanked Councillors and staff for their support.

RESOLVED that the thanks of the Council be tendered to Councillor Mrs G A Grant for the able and efficient way that she had discharged her duties as Town Mayor during the past year.

Proposed by Councillor Mrs B Hulme and seconded by Councillor Mrs M V Bennett

3. ELECTION OF MAYOR FOR 2012/2013 CIVIC YEAR

Councillor Mrs M K May invited nominations for Town Mayor for the civic year 2012/2013.

RESOLVED that Councillor Mrs G A Grant be re-elected Town Mayor for the civic year 2012/2013.

Proposed by Councillor Mrs C Hutchings and seconded by Councillor Mrs M V Bennett

Councillor Mrs G A Grant received into her safe-keeping the Lady Jane Killigrew Loving Cup. She thanked her Mace Bearers for the previous year, Norman Hunter and Danny Rundle and Mayor's Warden, Mrs Lorna Smuda.

4. ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR FOR 2012/2013 CIVIC YEAR

The Town Mayor invited nominations for Deputy Mayor for the civic year 2012/2013.

RESOLVED that Councillor Mrs B Hulme be elected Deputy Mayor for the civic year 2012/2013.

Proposed by Councillor Mrs S Peters and seconded by Councillor Mrs C Hutchings

Councillor Mrs B Hulme thanked Councillors for her election and stated that she was honoured to be elected and looked forward to fulfilling the role to the best of her abilities.

5. APPOINTMENT OF MAYOR'S CHAPLAIN, MAYOR'S WARDEN, TOWN CRIER AND MACE BEARERS

The Town Mayor appointed Mrs Lorna Smuda as Mayor's Warden and Norman Hunter and Martin Northern as Mace Bearers. She advised that she would not be appointing a Mayor's Chaplain until a replacement had been found for Father John Harris at St Gluvias Church. She also advised that the current Town Crier, Reg Gardner was currently suffering from ill health and she wished him well.

6. CLOSURE OF MEETING

The next meeting of the Town Council would be held on Monday 11 June 2012. The meeting was closed at 7.30 p.m. and was followed by a civic reception.

TOWN MAYOR