



# Garstang Town Council

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## **Full Council Extraordinary Meeting, 26<sup>th</sup> July 2021 Minutes**

Minutes of the Town Council extraordinary meeting, held at Garstang Free Methodist Church, on 26 July 2021, 7.30pm.

### **Present**

Chairman: Councillor Allan

Councillors present: Allan, Atkinson, Halford, Hynes, Leech, Salisbury and Webster.

Also present: Town Clerk Edwina Parry

### **61(2021-22) Apologies for absence**

Councillors Brooks and Mitchell.

### **62(2021-22) Declaration of Interests and Dispensations**

None.

### **63(2021-22) Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 - Exclusion of the Press and Public**

It was resolved that under section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 that the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following item as per the Town Council approved 'procedure for a casual vacancy for a town councillor', whereby the Council will exclude members of the press and public whilst candidates gave their presentation.

There were no members of the press or public present.

### **64(2021-22) Town Councillor vacancies; opportunity to meet the candidates**

Two applicants, Andrew Hogton and Ethan Lees, attended the meeting and gave their presentations to the Council.

### **65(2021-22) Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 - Re-admission of the Press and Public**

To resolve that the confidential business having been concluded, the press and public be re-admitted to the meeting.

### **66(2021-22) Voting on appointments**

**Resolved:** The Council resolved to co-opt Andrew Hogton and Ethan Lees to fill the 2 Councillor vacancies.

**The Meeting Finished at: 08.08pm**