

AT A MEETING OF FAVERSHAM TOWN HERITAGE, BUILDINGS AND CREEK COMMITTEE held in the Guildhall, on Wednesday 7th May 2025

Present: Cllr P Cook, Cllr T Martin (Chair), Cllr R Newman, Cllr J Rowlands, County Cllr A Hook, Ms P Dickenson, Mr H Goodwin and Mr A Thorne

In attendance: Adrienne Begent (Deputy Town Clerk)

81. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received from Cllr R Crayford

82. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Ms P Dickenson and Mr A Thorne DPI (Minute 86). Did not vote.

83. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The Minutes of the meeting held on 2nd April were noted having been approved at Town Council on 14th April.

84. ACTIONS AND MATTERS ARISING

Members received Actions and Matters Arising – HBCC

85. REGALIA

The Committee received Paper 1, quotes for repairing the Town Council's Regalia.

It was proposed by Cllr J Rowlands, seconded by Cllr T Martin and on being put to the meeting it was ***RESOLVED to select Company B.***

86. DREDGING THE CREEK

The Committee received Paper 2, quotes for dredging the creek.

It was proposed by Cllr J Rowlands, seconded by Cllr T Martin and on being put to the meeting it was ***RESOLVED to select Company C.***

It was anticipated that the dredging would commence at the end of May when tides were favourable.

The selection of Company C demonstrated community collaboration, and it was considered that this could be a feature in a forthcoming newsletter or an event in Open Faversham 2026.

87. THE OLD TOWN WAREHOUSE

Members considered funding opportunities for the Old Town Warehouse. It was proposed by Cllr T Martin, seconded by Cllr J Rowlands and on being put to the meeting it was ***RESOLVED Delegation should be given to the Town Clerk and Deputy Town Clerk to lead on Grant and Service Applications. Draft applications should be sent to the Committee for comment when feasible.***

88. ITEMS FOR REPORT

Flood Maps
Heritage Street Furniture
SBC Responsibilities in Faversham
The Old Town Warehouse
Creek Bridge

The Meeting ended at 20:15