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To: All Launceston Town Councillors

cc *Cornwall Councillor (Adam Paynter), Chris Sims (Community Link Officer), Ben Maguire MP, Honoured Burgess (Arthur Wills), Emma Jaynes, (Chairman, Chamber of Commerce), members of the press*

You are summoned to attend a meeting of Launceston Town Council to be held on Tuesday 21 January 2025 in The Guildhall, commencing at 7.00pm

This meeting has been advertised as a public meeting and as such could be filmed or recorded by broadcasters, the media or members of the public. Please be aware that whilst every effort is taken to ensure that members of the public are not filmed, we cannot guarantee this, especially if speaking or taking an active role in the meeting.

The agenda for the meeting is set out below.

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Christopher Drake
Town Clerk

Date of issue: 15 January 2025

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Interest

Councillors are reminded that if a councillor has a registered disclosable pecuniary interest, or a non-registerable interest, in any agenda item s/he must leave the meeting while that item is discussed, unless a written request for a dispensation has been received. The Council will consider those requests at this point.

3. Public Representation Session

To receive any written representations or previously submitted questions from Members of the public in attendance. (A maximum time of 15 minutes will be allowed for this session and there is a time constraint of 5 minutes per speaker)

4. To confirm and sign the minutes of the last meeting previously circulated:

- (i) Minutes of the Meeting of Full Council held on Tuesday 17 December 2024 at 7.00pm

5. To receive the minutes of committees and sub-committees previously circulated:

- (i) Planning and Economic Development held on Thursday 19 December 2024 at 7.00pm
- (ii) Library, Arts, Business and Information held on Tuesday 7 January 2025 at 7.00pm

6. Reports from Cornwall Councillors

To receive reports from Cornwall Councillors on matters of policy or major decisions affecting Cornwall in general and Launceston in particular

7. Reports and Questions from Town Councillors

To receive reports from councillors representing the Town Council on outside bodies, or having attended meetings on behalf of the Council

8. Report from the Town Mayor

To receive the Mayor's Monthly Report

9. Report from the Town Clerk

To receive the latest RAG update

10. English Devolution White Paper – Power and Partnership: Foundations for Growth,

To receive a report regarding the new devolution proposals and the possible challenges and changes to the operation of Town Councils

11. Funding update for Council building projects

To receive a report regarding proposals for funding and works at Southgate Arch, Lawrence House and the Library Hub

12. Correspondence and matters to note

Additional information can be provided at the meeting if required.

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13. Urgent Items

To receive any items which the Mayor considers to be urgent (information only)

Date of next Meeting

The next Full Council meeting will be an Extraordinary Meeting to be held on Thursday 30 January at immediately following the conclusion of the meeting of the Planning and Economic Development Committee