

BTC/01/26

Minutes of the **Annual Statutory Meeting** of the **Full Council** of Buckingham Town Council, held on Monday 11th May 2026 at 7pm in the Council Chamber, Cornwalls Meadow, Buckingham.

Present: Cllr. R. Ahmed
 Cllr. F. Davies Mayor
 Cllr. L. Draper
 Cllr. J. Harvey
 Cllr. H. Haydock
 Cllr. A. Mahi
 Cllr. J. Mordue
 Cllr. L. O'Donoghue
 Cllr. R. Poppe
 Cllr. A. Schaefer
 Cllr. S. Singh

Also present: Ms. C. Molyneux Town Clerk
 Mr. S. Beech Compliance and Projects Manager
 Ms. P. Cahill Events Officer
 Mrs. A. Benoy Committee Administrator

Absent: Cllr. T. Allen
 Cllr. H. Mordue
 Cllr. R. Newall
 Cllr. R. Stuchbury
 Cllr. M. Try

No members of the public attended and so there was no public session.

01/26 Election of the Town Mayor

Members were asked to elect the Town Mayor who will act as Chair of the Council for the forthcoming year.

Cllr. Davies was Proposed by Cllr. Draper, Seconded by Cllr. O Donoghue. A vote was taken, and the result was:

For: 11
 Against: 0
 Abstentions: 1

There being no further nominations, it was **RESOLVED** that Cllr. Davies be elected Town Mayor of Buckingham, to hold office until the next Annual Statutory Meeting of the Council.

02/26 Apologies

Members received and accepted apologies from Cllr. Allen, Cllr. H. Mordue, Cllr. Newall, Cllr. Try and Cllr. Stuchbury.

03/26 Election of the Deputy Town Mayor

Members were asked to elect the Deputy Town Mayor for the forthcoming year. Cllr. Ahmed was Proposed by Cllr. Davies, Seconded by Cllr. Schaefer. A vote was taken, and the result was:

For: 11
Against: 0
Abstentions: 1

There being no further nominations, it was **RESOLVED** that Cllr. Ahmed be elected Deputy Town Mayor of Buckingham, to hold office until the next Annual Statutory Meeting of the Council.

04/26 Signing of the Declaration of Acceptance of Office

The Mayor signed the Mayoral Declarations of Acceptance of Office.

05/26 Town Mayor's announcements – for information only

The Mayor thanked Cllr. Mahi for his support as the Deputy Mayor.

Meeting closed at: 7:04 pm

Signed Date