



Kington Town Council

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Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held on Monday 12th February 2025 at the Old Police Station, Market Hall Street, Kington

MEMBERS PRESENT

Cllr. P. Sell - Chair
Cllr. E. Banks
Cllr. R. Banks
Cllr. N. Cornish
Cllr. J. Gardner
Cllr. E. Rolls
Cllr. R. Widdowson
Cllr. M. Woolford

IN ATTENDANCE

Liz Kelso – Town Clerk

1 member of the press
1 member of the public

Agenda

Item Minute

- 1 016-25 To note apologies for absence, declarations of interest and requests for dispensation**
There were no apologies. Cllr. R. Banks declared a personal interest in agenda item 2, having advised the applicant on the presentation of a request for funding. There were no requests for dispensation.
- 2 017-25 Request for community grant for the Lion Hub CIC**
Members consider the request for funding towards the deposit for the purchase of an interest in a property by the CIC to enable the Hub to continue operations at that location. The applicant, in attendance at the meeting, answered questions by councillors about the proposal and how this would benefit the residents of Kington. After due consideration, members expressed concern that the proposal did not meet the terms of the community grant scheme. It was unanimously **resolved**, with one member abstaining, that this council could not support the request for funding to purchase a property. It was further resolved that a request for funding to support

activities at the Hub would be within the terms of the grant policy and the applicant was encouraged to submit a funding application for activities at the Hub in the current community grant round which is due for consideration in March.

3 018-25 Next meeting

The next scheduled meeting will take place on Monday 17th February 2025 at 6.00pm in the Old Police Station, Market Hall Street.

There being no further business, the meeting was declared closed.