

SEDGEFIELD TOWN COUNCIL

SPECIAL MEETING

Minutes of the proceedings of the **SPECIAL MEETING** of the **Council** held at **7 p.m.** in the **Council Offices**, Advice & Information Centre, Sedgefield, on **Wednesday January 6th, 2010**

Present **Cllr. S.Sutherland (Chairman)**

Cllrs. S. Hannan, D. Waters, A. Blakemore, I. Sutherland, J. Robinson, M. Robinson, R. Taylor, M. Brown, N. Dunn

Officer L. K. Swinbank (Town Clerk)

1. Apologies

Cllrs. T. Jeanes, D. Brown

2. Declaration of Interest

None

3. Co-option of 2 Town Councillors

The Clerk circulated details of the four applications which had been received from the following: -

Peter Bodo, Joanne Cholerton, Sue Green, Duncan Maw.

Following discussion on each including general community work, Councillor experience, location etc.

RESOLVED

To co-opt Peter Bodo and Sue Green

The Clerk to inform all applicants of the outcome and invite Sue Green and Peter Bodo to the Monthly meeting on Monday 11th January when the acceptance of office should be signed.

4. Precept / Estimates

The Clerk circulated the three quarter year estimates for discussion. These also contained estimates for 2010 / 2011 based on a 1.5% increase in the precept.

RESOLVED

To increase the precept by 1.5%

The estimates for individual committees to be discussed and agreed at the next P & R committee meeting on Monday 11th January

The Chairman, Cllr. Sheila Sutherland thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 8.10 p.m.