

PREESALL TOWN COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Town Council held on Wednesday 30 March 2016
at 7.00pm at Preesall Youth and Community Centre, Lancaster Road, Preesall**

Present: Councillors P Orme (Mayor), R Black, B Campbell, R Drobny, P Greenhough, D Hudson, R Lawson, G McCann, J Mutch, T Reilly, V Taylor and L Woodhouse

(15-16)232 Apologies for Absence

None.

(15-16)233 Declarations of Interests and Dispensations

Cllr Campbell declared a significant non pecuniary interest in the matter to be discussed and Cllrs McCann, Reilly and Taylor declared a non pecuniary interest as members of the Employment Working Group.

Cllr Hudson asked that the meeting be suspended until all councillors had received the paperwork pertaining to agenda item 5. The Mayor advised councillors that the meeting could not be deferred, no paperwork could be sent out and he would not suspend the meeting for this reason. He did, however, suspend the meeting in order to discuss with Cllr Campbell the nature of his interest and the implications for his attendance at the meeting. The Mayor and Cllr Campbell returned and Cllr Campbell left the meeting. The Mayor explained the position of the Employment Working Group and reconvened the meeting

(15-16)234 Public Participation

No members of the public were present.

(15-16)235 Exclusion of the Press and Public

Pursuant to Section 1(2) and 1(3) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act, councillors **resolved** to exclude the press and public to discuss an employment matter

There being no other business the Mayor closed the meeting at 8.00pm.