

POST MEETING NOTE TO COUNCIL MINUTES OF 24 FEBRUARY 2022

Extract from Minutes of the Council Meeting of 28 April 2022

Minute 77 - Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The Minutes of the meeting of 24 February 2022 were confirmed and signed as a correct record.

Councillor Crampton requested a post meeting note and the findings of the grievance report (Item 12 at this meeting) to also be added to February's Minutes.

The wording suggested was:

“Following a grievance against Councillor Kinnell filed by Councillor Forster and Councillor Butcher in regard to the Portfolio holder announcement made by Councillor Kinnell, a meeting of the Appeals Panel on 5 April 2022 found that Councillor Kinnell treated Councillor Forster and Councillor Butcher unfairly and that Councillor Kinnell should offer both a written apology and make a public apology at the first available meeting of the Full Council following the hearing decision. The Panel's view was that Councillor Forster and Councillor Butcher were not given a proper and reasonable right of reply or right of correction to defend themselves against what they perceived to be unreasonable public criticism at the Full Council meeting on 24 February 2022.”

This was agreed. Council also agreed to include the resultant grievance appeal decision itself as a post February meeting note to the February minutes.