

TORPOINT TOWN COUNCIL

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Finance and Operations Committee will be held on Monday 31st March 2025 at 7.00pm in the Council Committee Room, York Road, Torpoint to which all members of this Committee are summoned to attend.

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies for absence.
- 2. Declarations of interest relating to items on the Agenda.
- 3. Minutes of the previous meeting.

Minutes of the previous Finance & Operations Committee meeting held on Monday 3rd March 2025.

4. Matters arising from the minutes

- a) Remembrance Sunday 2024 actions following wash up meeting held (minute 128-24F&O (b) refers) (notes to follow).
- b) Armed Forces Covenant set up a task and finish group with a view to renewing the Armed Forces Covenant (minute number 128-24F&O (c) refers).

5. To consider Policies referred to this Committee.

- a) Markets Policy and Application (to follow).
- b) Model Councillor-Officer Protocols (to follow).
- c) Safeguarding Policy (to follow).
- d) Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Policy to include Best Practice (to follow).
- e) Health and Safety Policy (currently being updated).
- f) To discuss the process to include the use of Dispensations on future meeting agendas (information to follow).

6. Civic Functions and other events.

a) RALEIGH exercising its right to the Freedom of Torpoint on Sunday 28th September 2025.

7. To consider the Council Risk Management

- a) Creditors/Debtors (presented at the meeting).
- b) Budget Variance Finance and Operations Committee responsibilities (January 2025 Budget Variance Information) (as previously circulated).
- c) Operations Report Report on any matters relating to council assets, facilities and operations, including the Library and community hub and Christmas Lights (as circulated).
- **8. Planning Applications.** None.
- **9. Items Referred to this Committee** a) None.

10. Health and Safety

- a) Reports and any new, proposed regulations/legislations and current issues.
- b) Fire Risk Assessment for all buildings to be reviewed.

11. Climate Emergency Action Plan

a) To consider the actions relating to this Committee.

12. Accounts for Payment.

PAYEE	Invoice Number	Total	TAX	NET	Description
WesternWeb Ltd	24873	420.00	70.00	350.00	Supply and Install Synology DS223J NAS Store Including 2 x 1TB Hard Drives and Copy Data from Previous Unit.
Cornwall Council	802311466	1,325.50	0.00	1,325.50	Business Rates Chambers April 2025
Cornwall Council	802980235	62.28	0.00	62.28	Business Rates Room 4 April 2025
Cornwall Council	802715760	552.32	0.00	552.32	Business Rates Library April 2025
Cornwall Council	8029230069	51.02	0.00	51.02	Business Rates Tennis Courts April 2025
Awenek Studio	Mar-25	160.00	0.00	160.00	Provision of Wellbeing Art at Torpoint Library - March 2025
TOTAL		2,571.12	70.00	2,501.12	

13. Correspondence

a) To consider: Torpoint Mayor's Charity Fund – The account is changing to a community account and will therefore start to accrue charges of £4.25 per month, plus additional charges (information as circulated).

14. Date of next meeting.

Monday 28th April 2025.

15. Any Business that has been disclosed to the Chairman and members prior to the meeting.

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Mrs C F Southworth Cert (HE), BA (Hons), FSLCC Town Clerk and RFO

Tuesday 25th March 2025