

**MINUTES OF THE ORDINARY MEETING OF
CLEATOR MOOR TOWN COUNCIL**

**HELD ON TUESDAY 11th November 2025 AT THE TOWN
COUNCIL OFFICE At 6.30pm.**

Present:

Cllr P Burns
Cllr M Eldon
Cllr N Ford
Cllr D Hully
Cllr J Hully
Cllr M Messenger (Chair)
Cllr M Minogue

Mr S Richardson. (Clerk/Finance Officer)

455/25. To receive and accept apologies for absence.

Apologies received from Cllr C Campbell Cllr L Jones-Bulman.

456/25 To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 4th October 2025.

Resolved that the minutes be approved and signed.

457/25 Declarations of interest of items on the agenda.

Cllr Ford declared an interest in CMCIC exhibition. Cllr Eldon declared an interest in Cumberland Council.

458/25 Applications to the Clerk for dispensations.

None received.

459/25 Public/Elected Officer participation..

Cllr Eldon updated members on Cumberland Council.

460/25.Update on SID proposal for A5086 Wath Brow and Cleator.

Resolved Clerk to seek quotes for the provision of a SID.

461/25 To review planning applications.

- 4/25/2335/OF1.
- 4/25/2361/OF1.

Councillors raised their concerns about this building in general and the lack of progress plus regularly renewed applications, these however are not directly relevant to this application.

462/25 Review of Risk Assessment Documents.

Resolved this has been reviewed and no updates required.

463/25 Review of Investment strategy.

Resolved this has been reviewed and no updates required.

464/25 Review of Council standing orders.

Resolved this has been reviewed and no updates required.

465/26 Review of Council Financial regulations.

Resolved this has been reviewed and no updates required.

466/25 Cumberland community governance review.

Resolved that no action be taken.

467/25 Appointment of Internal Auditor for year 2026/27.

Resolved GD Airey be appointed as Internal Auditor for the financial year 2026/27.

468/25 CALC internal audit service proposal.

Resolved Council will not express interest in this proposal.

469/25 Big Hill Millenium Trust.

Resolved a further trustee meeting be arranged and advertised.

470/25. Finance.

- **To approve a schedule of payments for November 2025.**
- Approved.
- **To note the bank reconciliation's up to end of October 2025.**
- Resolved these be noted.

471/25 Items for inclusion on the next agenda. Please note that decisions cannot be taken on these items until formally included on an agenda.

To forwarded to the Clerk 2 weeks before the date of the next meeting.

Landscape contracts be added

472/25. To approve the date of the next meeting to be held on the 9th of December 2025 at 630pm.

Approved

Meeting closed 8.35pm.

Signed

Dated

