## **TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL**

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## 31 July 2018

## **Report of the Director of Central Services**

Part 1- Public

### **Matters For Decision**

# 1 APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES

To consider the appointment of Town Wardens of the Tonbridge Town Lands and Richard Mylls Charity for the period October 2018 to 2022.

### 1.1 Introduction

- 1.1.1 The period of office of Miss J Browne and Mr E Prescott as Town Wardens expires in October 2018. The Clerk to the Town Wardens advises that Mr Prescott is willing to serve in this capacity for a further term but regrettably Miss Browne no longer feels able to continue as a Town Warden.
- 1.1.2 The terms of the Town Wardens and Richard Mylls Charity require the income of the Charity to be applied for the benefit of the inhabitants of the former Urban District of Tonbridge and it is necessary for persons appointed as Town Wardens to be residents or have extensive knowledge of this area. They may be, but need not be, a member of the Council. The Town Wardens have put forward for the Council's consideration the suggestion that Mrs Diane Huntingford, currently the Chair of the Tonbridge Civic Society, be appointed as a replacement for Miss Browne.

# 1.2 Legal Implications

- 1.2.1 None.
- 1.3 Financial and Value for Money Considerations
- 1.3.1 Not applicable.
- 1.4 Risk Assessment
- 1.4.1 Not applicable.

# 1.5 Equality Impact Assessment

1.6 The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the substance of the Equality Act. There is no perceived impact on end users.

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# 1.7 Recommendations

1.7.1 RECOMMENDED that consideration be given to the reappointment of Mr E Prescott and the appointment of Mrs D Huntingford as Town Wardens for the period October 2018 to October 2022.

Background papers: contact: Claire Fox

Letter dated 8 May 2018 from Clerk to the Town Wardens

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