

# KENNINGTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

## – COUNCIL MEETING

MINUTES OF THE ABOVE COMMITTEE HELD WEDNESDAY 12TH MAY 2020.

- 53/20 To note those present and record any apologies**  
All Councillors were present, Cllr Alan Dean, Cllr Alan Cooper, Cllr Brian Varney, Cllr Carole White, Cllr Charles Ellis, Cllr Chris Mendes, Cllr Chris Morley, Cllr Jane Martin, Cllr John Seaton, Cllr Justin Armitage, Cllr Mark Silvester, Cllr Nathan Iliffe, Cllr Paul Bartlett, Lionel Thatcher SLCC, the Clerk and 3 residents.
- 54/20 To declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPI), Other Significant Interests (OSI's) or a Voluntary interest relating to items on the agenda.** None were declared.
- 55/20** In order for the Meeting to be opened a temporary Chair was required to be elected to the position of Temporary Chair. Temporary Chair - Councillor Chris Morley raised his hand with no other nominations so was appointed to the position as temporary Chair and motions moved for Cllr Morley.

**Chairman - To elect a Council member to the vacant position of Chairman to the Council until the 2020 Annual Council Meeting or until May 2021 whichever is the earliest.**

**Chair – Nominations.**

Cllr Alan Cooper nominated by Cllr Brian Varney, seconded by Cllr Charles Ellis and Cllr Justin Armitage. Cllr Paul Bartlett was nominated by Cllr Jane Martin and seconded by Cllr Carole White (however Cllr Paul Bartlett rejected invitation due to current commitments as a Borough and a County Councillor. Cllr John Seaton nominated by Cllr Mark Silvester seconded by Cllr Chris Mendes.

A roll call vote then took place and is as follows:


| Councillor           | Vote   |
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| Cllr Carole White    | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr Chris Mendes    | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Brian Varney    | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr Justin Armitage | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr Charles Ellis   | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr Alan Dean       | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Nathan Iliffe   | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr Jane Martin     | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Mark Silvester  | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Paul Bartlett   | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Alan Cooper     | Cllr Alan Cooper   |
| Cllr John Seaton     | Cllr John Seaton   |
| Cllr Chris Morley    | Vote/ Casting vote, Alan Cooper. At this point Lionel Thatcher from the SLCC confirmed that Cllr Morley could exercise then his vote and/or casting vote or even both. Cllr Morley voted for Cllr Alan Cooper and therefore was duly elected as Chair of Kennington Community Council. |

- 56/20 Vice Chairman**  
**a) To approve the proposal to elect a Council member to the vacant position of Vice Chair.** It was agreed unanimously to elect a Vice Chair and therefore a roll call vote would take place.  
**b) Vice Chairman if so agreed under 56/20.a until the 2020 Annual Council Meeting or until May 2021 whichever is the earliest.**

Vice Chair – Nominations were as follows:

Cllr Carole White was nominated by Cllr Charles Ellis and seconded by Cllr Brian Varney  
Cllr Alan Dean nominated by Cllr Jane Martin and seconded By Cllr Chris Mendes and Cllr Mark Silvester.  
Pre the start of voting Cllr Carole White withdrew her acceptance of the nomination.  
Cllr Alan Dean therefore was selected unopposed and duly elected Vice Chair of the Kennington Community Council.

- 57/20 Close of Meeting.**

  
10.6.20