

PARISH OF ST HELIER



Minutes of the Parish Assembly		
Wednesday 22 March 2023 at 7.30 p.m.		
Assembly Room, Town Hall		
12/23	Welcome and Apologies –	
	Apologies: Deputy Inna Gardiner and Malcolm L'Amy.	
	Deputies in Attendance:	
	Deputies Stephen Ahier	
	Procureurs in attendance:	
	Peter Pearce and John Baker	
13/23	Item 1: To approve the Minutes of the Parish Assembly held on 22 February 2023;	
14/23	Proposer: Deputy Stephen Ahier Seconder: Geraint Jennings The minutes were adopted Item 2: In conformity with Article 5 of the Loi (1914) sur la Voirie, to elect one member of the Roads	
	Committee to complete a term of office expiring on 31st December 2023;	
	The Constable asked if there were any nominations from the Assembly to complete a term of office expiring on 31st December 2023, by filling one vacancy on the Roads Committee. The following nominations were received:	
	Heather-Anne Hubbell – proposed by Amanda Le Normond seconded by Lessa Wood Helen Pulley – proposed by Senga McNeill seconded by Ian Thompson	
	Following a five-minute speech by each candidate as to their experience, what they would bring as a member of the Roads Committee and a question-and-answer session, the Constable announced that there being two candidates for one vacancy a secret ballot would be held. The result of the ballot was as follows:	
	Heather-Anne Hubbell 19 votes Helen Pulley 9 votes	
	There were no spoilt papers.	
1.5(0.0	Heather-Ann Hubbell was elected as a member of the Roads Committee. The Constable thanked the candidates for putting their names forward for election. Heather-Anne was formally warned to appear before the Royal Court to take her Oath of Office, at a date to be advised.	
15/23	Item 3: To elect a Constable's Officer for the Vingtaine du Rouge Bouillon;	
	RACHEL WILLIAMS	
	Proposed: Sarah McDermott	
	Seconded: John McDermott	
	There being no further nominations Rachel Williams, was re-elected as Constable's Officer for the Vingtaine du Rouge Bouillon. The Constable thanked Rachel for allowing her name to go forward, for the work she had already conducted for Honorary Police as a Constables Officer. The Constable formally warned her to appear before the Royal Court at 10am on Friday 31 March to take her Oath of Office.	
16/23	Item 4: To elect a Vingtenier for the Canton de Haut de la Vingtaine de la Ville;	
	Ben Michael WHEATON	
	Proposed: Paul Davies	
	Seconded: Elizabeth Deahl	
	There being no further nominations Ben WHEATON was re-elected as Vingtenier for the Canton de Haut de la Vingtaine de la Ville. The Constable thanked Mr Wheaton for allowing his name to go forward, for the work he had already conducted for Honorary Police, both as a Constables Officer and Vingtenier. The Constable formally warned him to appear before the Royal Court at 10am on Friday 31 March to take his Oath of Office.	

17/23	Item 5: To elect a Vingtenier for the Vingtaine du Mont à l'Abbé;
	Merces De Sousa PEREIRA
	Proposed: Geraldine Ferreira
	Seconded: Danny Scaife
	There being no further nominations Merces PEREIRA was re-elected as Vingtenier for the Vingtaine du Mont à l'Abbé. The Constable thanked Mrs Pereira for allowing her name to go forward, for the work she had already conducted for Honorary Police, both as a Constables Officer and Vingtenier. The Constable formally warned her to appear before the Royal Court at 10am on Friday 31 March to take her Oath of Office.
18/23	Item 6: To approve a recommendation of the Roads Committee and Procureurs du Bien Public to accept a gift of a section of land alongside Claremont House, Tower Road, for the purpose of widening the existing public footpath. The Assembly is to instruct the Connétable and at least one Procureur du Bien Public to pass a contract, with the owner paying all reasonable legal costs associated with the transfer. P.02/2023*;
	Proposer: Peter Pearce Seconder: Geraint Jennings
	Silvio Alves, Head of Infrastructure took the Assembly through the Projet.
	Alison Baker questioned why the land holder is expected to not only give the land to the Parish but also to pay the legal costs. Geraint Jennings explained that the Parish had been over a number of years endeavouring to create a pavement along the whole of Tower Road and the requirements on the applicant are part of the planning obligation agreement, put in place by the Government Planning Department.
	Johannah Hartigan asked if in future Tower Road would become one way. Silvio Alves confirmed there were currently no plans for that to happen.
	James Corbett sought clarification that the extension of the pavement would not narrow the existing road. Silvio Alves confirmed that by the accepting the Projet this would not impact on the width of the road.
	There were no further questions from the Assembly, on being put to a vote the proposition was approved unanimously.
	The date of the next scheduled Parish Assembly is Wednesday 26th April 2023