

PARISH OF ST LAWRENCE



Minutes of the Parish Assembly

Held on Wednesday 13th December 2017 at 7.00 p.m.

Assembly Room, St Lawrence

Welcome and Apologies: 25 people present

The Connétable welcomed all present and led the Assembly in prayer.

Apologies:

Rector Phil Warren, Deputy Eddie Noel, Deputy John Le Fondre.

Deputies in Attendance:

None

Convening Notice:

The Parish Secretary Mrs A Barker read the convening notice as advertised in the Church Box and the Jersey Gazette on 8th and 11th December 2017.

An Assembly of the Principals and Electors of the Parish will be held at the Parish Hall on **Wednesday 13th December 2017 at 7.00 p.m.** for the following business:

1. To receive and if deemed advisable approve the Minutes of the Parish Assembly held on 31 August 2017 and the Electoral Assembly held on 8th November 2017.
2. In conformity with Article 32 of the Rates (Jersey) Law 2005, to elect two members of the Rate Assessment Committee.
3. To elect a Constables Officer for the Vingtaine Coin Hatain.

Reverend Phil Warren, Rector of St Lawrence, had certified that the above notice had been duly placed in the Parish Box in accordance with the provisions of the Law.

Deidre Mezbourian
Connétable de St Laurent

13th September 2017

I confirm that this notice has been posted in the Church Notice Box in accordance with the law.

Signed: Rector

1. To receive and if deemed advisable approve the Minutes of the Parish Assembly held on 31 August 2017. These are on display in the Parish Hall.

The adoption of the Minutes was proposed by Mr Duncan Baxter and seconded by Miss Pam Staley; they were duly signed by the Connétable .

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| | <p>1a. To receive and if deemed advisable approve the Minutes of the Electoral Assembly held on 8 November 2017. These are on display in the Parish Hall.</p> |
| | <p>The adoption of the Minutes was proposed by Mr Duncan Baxter and seconded by Miss Pam Staley; they were duly signed by the Connétable.</p> |
| | <p>2. In conformity with Article 32 of the Rates (Jersey) Law 2005, to elect two members of the Rate Assessment Committee.</p> |
| | <p>The Connétable invited nominations for the role of Rates Assessor, the term of office of Mr W. Sean Morvan and Mr Stephen Ross-Gower being due to expire.</p> <p>Mr W. Sean Morvan Proposer: Mr Richard Pirouet Secunder: Mr Michael Draper</p> <p>Mr Stephen Ross-Gower Proposer: Mr Brian Rondel Secunder: Mr Richard Pirouet</p> <p>Mr Jason Cronin nominated by: Proposer: Mr Stephen Coleman Secunder: Mr Stephen Cohu</p> <p>There being no further nominations the Connétable advised the Assembly that as three nominations had been received and only two positions were available, a vote would need to be taken. This would be done by a show of hands for each person and the two Procurers would act as voyeurs over the proceedings. The Connétable clarified that the Assembly could vote for up to three candidates and that the Procurers were eligible to vote.</p> <p>The show of hands gave the following results:-</p> <p>Mr W. Sean Morvan 20 votes Mr Stephen Ross-Gower 16 votes Mr Jason Cronin 5 votes</p> <p>The Connétable announced the results of the election and declared that Mr Stephen Ross-Gower and Mr W. Sean Morvan had been duly re-elected. The Connétable thanked Mr Cronin for putting himself forward for this position. The Connétable asked both Messrs. Morvan and Ross-Gower if they wished to address the Assembly to which they agreed, both thanking their supporters.</p> <p>The Connétable warned Messrs Ross-Gower and Morvan to appear before the Royal Court on Friday 15th December 2017 at 10am to take the Customary Oath of Office. She thanked the Rates Committee for their hard work during the year.</p> |
| | <p>3. To elect a Constables Officer for the Vingtaine Coin Hatain.</p> |
| | <p>The Connétable asked for nominations for the role of Constables Officer.</p> <p>Mr Trevor Le Cornu Proposer: Mr Winston Le Brun Secunder: Mrs Maureen Le Brun</p> <p>There being no other nominations the Connétable declared Mr Le Cornu duly elected as Constables Officer.</p> <p>The Connétable warned Mr Le Cornu to appear before the Royal Court on Friday 15th December</p> |

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| | <p>2017 at 10am to take the Customary Oath of Office. She welcomed Mr Le Cornu to the Municipality.</p> <p>The Constable thanked all the Parishioners and the Assembly for their contribution to Parish life throughout 2017.</p> |
| | <p>Meeting Closed:</p> |
| | <p>There being no further business the Connétable declared the meeting closed at 7.15pm</p> |

Signed:.....

Date.....

Deidre Mezbourian, Connétable
President of the Assembly