

Finance Committee

25 January 2023

3.30pm Town Council Offices, Kingsway, Bishop Auckland

Present: Cllr D Wilson (Chair), Cllr M Harker and Cllr S Zair

Also Present: Sarah Harris, Town Clerk

FC027/22 – Agree Notice of Motion to call the meeting to be held on 25rd January 2023
Motion was agreed.

FC028/22 Apologies for absence – Were received from Cllr K Lawson, Cllr J Blackburn and Cllr A as they all had prior work commitments.

FC028/22 Declarations of interest –

Resolved: No Declarations were made

FC029/22 Public Participation - To hear from any members of the public subject to Public Participation Policy¹. - No members of the public were present

FC030/22 -Appointment of Internal Auditor – the clerk presented a paper detailing information that the current internal auditor was no longer available. Alternative options were presented.

Resolved: that Gordon Fletcher be appointed as internal auditor and that the Clerk and Chair of this committee meet with him promptly to discuss the process.

¹ The policy is available on the website at <https://bishopauckland-tc.gov.uk/council/constitution-and-policies/>