

**Minutes of the Public Session Meeting**

**Date:** 30/06/2025

**Time:** 19:00

**Location:** Castletown Town Hall

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**PS/001 Attendance and Apologies**

- In attendance; MR. BROWN OBE - Chairman (JAB), MR. CRINGLE – Vice Chairman (JC), MR. GALLEY (BG), MR. LEONARD (AL), MR. PATEL (MP), MS. QUINE (CQ), MR. WATTERSON (LW)
  - Hannah Mackenzie (HM) (minutes)
  - Apologies; Hugo Mackenzie – Clerk (HFM) Lee Wylie – Deputy to the Clerk(LW)
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**PS/002 Opening of the Meeting**

- The meeting was opened by **Mr. Chairman.**
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**PS/003 Declaration by Members and Officers in attendance of any interests in any matter on the agenda.**

- None.
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**PS/004 Approval and signing of the Minutes of the Public Board meeting held on 02 June 2025 as a correct record. [Standing Order 5 (1) (b)]**

- It was pointed out that a few errors were present. HM to amend and recirculate, once amended the board would accept.

Proposed: John Cringle

Seconded: Carol Quine

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**PS/005 Any matters arising out of the approved minutes. [Standing Order 5 (1) (d)].**

- None
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**PS/006 Business required by statute. [Standing Order 5 (1) (c)].**

- None
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**PS/007 Receive and consider minutes, reports and any recommendations presented by the Chairman of each committee of the following committees of the Board: [Standing Order (1) (e)].**

**a) Board in Committee**

- The board discussed the proposed consultation report, it was agreed by JAB that the plan would be published in due course.

**b) Business, Development and Finance Committee**

- JJC gave a verbal summary to accompany the report
- No questions were raised.

**c) Infrastructure Committee**

- MP gave a verbal summary of the report
- All planning applications were considered by the board and all were supported.
- Question from CQ ; would the bowling Green play area not fall under leisure? JAB reports due to the work involved it would fall back to infrastructure, he does confirm the equipment is on Island and ready to be installed after groundworks are complete
- Question from LW; In regard to coaches, he asks if people abusing the spaces can be issued with tickets as the spaces are often used by residents. JAB replies that there are no regulations and to address the problem the DOI will be asked to rectify this so enforcements can be issued.
- Question from LW; He would like to ask if the police can enforce immoral parking. JAB replies that there is still no regulations in place and it is something to be looked in to.

**d) Leisure Committee**

- CQ gave summary to the report.
- Question from AL; the tables that are in the square are not in the sun, is there a chance they could be moved? JAB replies yes. (HM to action)
- JJC asks if there is an email address to get in touch with Ballalough Reserve. CQ replies that once the domain is set up there will be a link from the website and a facebook page will be created. JAB replies there has been an agreement to purchase the domain and progress.

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**PS/008 Chairmans Report [Standing Order 5 (1) (f)]**

- Mr Chairman gave his report.



- No questions were raised

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**PS/009**      **Written Questions [Standing Order 5 (1) (g)] put by member to be answered by the Chairman of the Board [Standing Order 8 (1)], or the Chairman of a committee [Standing Order 8 (2)]**

- None received.

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**PS/010**      **Monthly Financial Report for consideration and approval. [Standing Order 5 (1) h]**

- Invoices to be accepted
- CQ asks queries an invoice. HF to be asked for further detail. MP reminds board HF will update at the next meeting.

Proposed: JC  
Seconded: MP

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**PS/011**      **Correspondence received. [attached with the agenda, and any urgent correspondence]**

- None

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**PS/012**      **Notices of Motion. [Standing Orders 5 (i) and 6]**

- None received.

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**PS/013**      **Chairman to invite questions from any member of the public attending the meeting. [Standing Orders 5 (1) (j) and 9 applies].  
Note: Maximum time for questions from the public is 20 minutes. [Standing Order 9 (6)].**

- Caroline McLoughlin complains about the state of the School Hill area. JAB replies it will be sorted.
- Caroline McLoughlin asks if the museums will be open. JAB replies the board are pushing to have better opening in the Town of the heritage sites.
- Peter Hillheaton states that the art in the town os a great attraction, some of it could do wuth refreshing. JAB replies the board will start to look towards addressing.



- Peter Hillheaton comments that the Coar ny Hastan is such a great, unique feature Castletown should think about publicing it more. JAB replies he will look to address this.
- Ian Ronan would like to congratulate the board on reintroducing Civic Sunday.

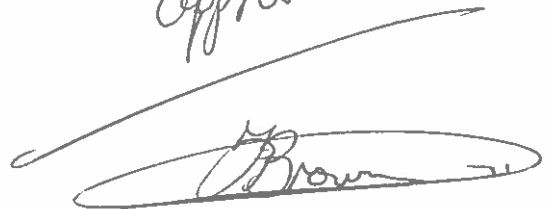
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**PS/014      Chairman to close the public session of the Commissioners meeting.**

- **JAB** adjourned the meeting at 7:51pm
  - Next meeting scheduled for Monday 04 August 2025 at 7:00pm
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Approved



7<sup>th</sup> August 2025