

N.B. All Minutes are deemed as draft until formally approved and signed.

Regardless of history, the Council was fully committed to protecting staff from abuse. Members believed that staff had been unfairly criticized, abused and disrespected whilst carrying out council policy. Members accepted that there were opposing views held by the Council and the Hirer but agreed that a way forward was needed. The Council would endeavour in future to be clear about what the Council expected and the consequences of any future breaches of rules. Members then considered in turn the many and varied issues, the reasons for them and future consequences to be put in place. **IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** that the Council should write to the President informing him of the Council's response in accordance with the discussions, with Cllr Hayes and Cllr Mrs. Allen and another member if available meeting with the Clerk to finalise the reply to the hirer.

ACTION

Clerk
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