

Minutes of the meeting of the Resources Committee held in the Council Chamber, Civic Hall Square, Shildon, Co Durham on Monday, 18th May 2026.

Present: Councillor D L Mather in the Chair
Councillors S Townsend, S Hall, S Ring, T Hillary, N Cleasby, D Gisby, D Bell, R A Bell, D Thompson and P Quinn.

R 1/26 Appointment of Chairman

Councillor R A Bell proposed and Councillor P Quinn seconded a nomination for Councillor L Mather to be Chairman of the Resources Committee for 2026/27. There being no further nominations, Councillor D L Mather was duly elected Chairman of the Committee.

R 2/26 Appointment of Vice-Chairman

Councillor D Bell proposed and Councillor N Cleasby seconded a nomination for Councillor R A Bell to be Vice-Chairman of the Resources Committee for 2026/27. There being no further nominations, Councillor R A Bell was duly elected Vice-Chairman of the Committee.

R 3/26 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillors S Quinn, S Luckhurst, N Hanratty and A Farlow.

R 4/26 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

R 5/26 Members' Dispensations

No written requests for dispensations had been received.

R 6/26 Budgetary Control Statement for April 2026

The Town Clerk presented the budgetary control statement for the month of April 2026.

Recommended that the report be received.

R 7/26 Grant Aid

No grant aid applications had been received.

Recommended that the remainder of the grant aid allocation be transferred into the Mayor's funds.

R 8/26 Accounts

Recommended that the accounts awaiting payment and accounts paid in advance for the month of April 2026 in the sum of £104,736.27 be approved.

R 9/26 Bank Reconciliations

Signed
Chairman.....

Recommended that the bank reconciliations as of 30th April 2026 be noted and confirmed.

Following the meeting a one-minute silence was observed in memory of former councillor, Frank Timmiss.

Signed
Chairman.....