CHARD TOWN COUNCIL
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Mayor: Cllr Bates Chief Executive & Town Clerk David Bell

Minutes: Finance & Audit

Finance & Audit Committee held on **Tuesday 14th April 2026** at 19.00pm in The Guildhall, Fore Street, Chard TA20 1PP

Councillors Present: Cllr Baker, Cllr Bates, Mayor (Ex-officio) Cllr Eggins, Cllr Hassan, Cllr A Kenton, Cllr J Kenton, Cllr O'Brien, Deputy Mayor (ex-officio), Cllr Tribble & Williams (Vice Chair),

Officers Present:
Chief Executive & Town Clerk, David Bell; Finance Officer, Teresa Turnbull.

Section1 Standing Items:

2025/13 Apologies for absence
Apologies were received from Cllr Bulmer and unanimously accepted.

2025/14 Declarations of interest
Cllr Baker declared an interest in respect to The Hive Youth Centre

2025/15 Committee Meeting Minutes

Proposed Cllr Baker Seconded Cllr Eggins
Unanimous

Resolved: To approve minutes for Finance & Audit Committee meeting of the 16th March 2026

Section 2: Items For Noting

2025/16 Bank Reconciliation Statement: March 2026
Committee noted the March statements provided.

2025/17 March 2026 Payments List
Committee noted the March 2026 payments list will be submitted to Full Council.

2025/18 End Of Year Report
Committee noted the End Of Year Report

2026/19 Date of Next Meeting
Committee noted the date of the next Finance & Audit will be confirmed after the Annual Full Council meeting on the 18th May 2026

There being no other business the Vice Chair thanked people for attending and closed the meeting at 7.48 p.m.

Vice Chair: **Date:** 3/7/26

Cllr Williams