Property Maintenance Sub Committee held 5th July 2023

RECOMMENDATION:

21/23/24 <u>TO RECEIVE AN UPDATE ON THE GUILDHALL TENDER AND</u> CONSIDER ANY ACTIONS AND ASSOCIATED EXPENDITURE.

The Town Clerk informed Members the tender closing date is Friday 7th July. No bids received as yet, however, many visits to the Guildhall have taken place and Barron Surveying mentioned to three of their known contractors who might be interested in pricing.

The Property Maintenance Sub Committee agreed for Cllrs Dent and Stoyel to open the received bids in the presence of the Town Clerk on 10th July. The Town Clerk will send the bids to Barron Surveying to analysis and provide a tender report and recommendation to the Property Maintenance Sub Committee.

The Chairman reminded Members that the Guildhall building is Grade II Listed therefore should Members wish to change the exterior colour Planning and Listed Building consent would be required. Planning at a cost and Listed exempt from any fee.

It was **RESOLVED** to note the above updates.

It was proposed by Councillor Brady, seconded by Councillor Dent and resolved to **RECOMMEND** to the next Policy and Finance Committee to appoint Barron Surveying at a cost of £100 + VAT per hour up to a maximum of five hours allocated to budget code 6224 Professional Fees.

It was proposed by Councillor Dent seconded by Councillor Brady and **RESOLVED** to approve the above recommendation.