

# Minutes of the Annual Financial General Meeting (AFGM) held at 1900 on Monday 28th November 2022 at Trojans FC

#### Present:

**HRFU President** Ed Neville\* Finance Chairman Richard Showan\* **Board Chair** Gary Self\* Game Development Chair Rob Matthews\* Club Development Chair Steve Benson\* Clubs Representative – Club Development Wayne Hausen\* Clubs Representative – Game Development Nick Whittle\* **RFU** Representative Terry Burwell\*

#### **Clubs Represented**

Alton Locksheath Pumas\*

Basingstoke Petersfield
Ellingham & Ringwood Portsmouth
Fordingbridge Romsey

Gosport & Fareham\* Southsea Nomads

Havant Tottonians Isle of Wight Trojans\*

Kingsclere US Portsmouth

# Clubs and attendees represented by Proxy vote

Alresford\*
Andover\*
Farnborough\*
Fawley\*
Guernsey\*
Kingsclere\*
Millbrook\*
Ventnor\*
Winchester\*

\* 21 Voting Members (Quorum = 15)

# **Club Representatives**

David Metcalfe Jed Stone Steve Jenkins
Stuart Barden Joe Cloke Suzi LeVoi
Ian Brown Keith Joseph Thomas McIntyre

Ian Kerr Ken Walker Wyn Jones

Ian Messenger Marc RamsdaleJames Jagged Nigel Morgan

### Others

RFU Club Developer – Alex Roe Competition Chair – Chris Budden HSRFU – Ian Kerr

#### Apologies:

Hon Secretary / Exec Director – Julie Greenslade\* Deputy President - Richard Hornblow\* Sadie Merrien - Guernsey RFC\* Chris Ings - Millbrook RFC\* Joanna Reed-Morton - Kingsclere RFC\* Leroy Angel – Past President Ian Lillington- Vice President Alan Morgan – Vice President Paul Burton - HRURS Chair Richard Isaacs Miles Northover - Tottonians\* Dave Ball - Ventnor Alexander Grav de Walden - Alresford\* Ben Beavan - Winchester\* Julie Bisgrove - Fawley\* James Morton - Ventor\* Andy Waite - Andover

#### Meeting opened 19:00

EN welcomed everyone and asked RDS to present the accounts.

#### Summary

RDS shared the financial booklet to all attendees, in summary last year was strange with Covid restrictions affecting half the year.

RDS expressed his thanks to JG and GL for all their hard work in reducing running costs of the County office.

RFU funds have been reduced from £68,000 to £21,500, these monies are to deliver RFU remit, and support County clubs and admin.

It was agreed by the Board that County rugby would be supported, which caused a overspend of £6000. The Hampshire County Women reached the final at Twickenham.

As Steven Benson is the new Club Developer, there is £25,000 - £30,000 available to clubs for projects within their clubs for facilities & pitches. All bids should go through the Club Development Committee -

The County reserves are currently stand at £96,000

RDS explained that the current cash at the bank of £140,192 is due to monies being carried forward from 2021-22.

RDS handed back to ED.

EN expressed his thanks to RDS for all his hard work. Explaining that any funding from the RFU is given in separate pots which RDS has to manage and over the year has at times been very challenging.

EN asked if there were any questions from the floor.

There were no questions so using a show of hands all clubs present were asked to vote for the item 1 below.

#### Item 1

1.1

EN invited those present to receive the Financial Statements which were accepted

Proposed by Jed Stone Seconded by Nigel Morgan 20 - yes votes 0 - No votes

0 - Abstention

EN declared the accounts for year ending 30th June 2022 accepted.

# Item 2

To hear any other financial matter for the consideration of the Management Committee during the ensuing year but on which no voting shall be allowed.

There were no other matters raised.

EN thanked Richard and the Office for their hard work over the past season and also gave everyone in the Union thanks.

Meeting closed 19:20