

Record of Decisions

Notice of Motion - Emergency Services Day

Decision Taker

Cabinet on 24 August 2021.

Decision

That this Cabinet agrees to fly the official flag of the 'Emergency Services Day' above the Town Hall on 9 September each year to mark 999 Day, to reflect not just their sacrifice during the pandemic but their ongoing example of service to others.

Reason for the Decision

To endorse the motion and demonstrate support for the Emergency Services.

Implementation

This decision will come into force and may be implemented on 7 September 2021 unless the call-in procedure is triggered (as set out in Standing Orders in relation to Overview and Scrutiny).

Information

The Cabinet considered a motion in relation to the Emergency Services Day, notice of which was given in accordance with Standing Order A14.

Councillor Steve Darling proposed and Councillor Cowell seconded a motion, as set out below which was agreed unanimously by the Cabinet:

That this Cabinet records its support for the UK's annual national 'Emergency Services Day' which is held on 9th September and which is supported by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II; and that this Cabinet places on record its sincere appreciation for the two million people who work and volunteer in the NHS and emergency services today. For the last 18 months, at a time of national crisis, our frontline has shown a level of commitment, endurance and compassion which has inspired us all.

That this Cabinet agrees to fly the official flag of the 'Emergency Services Day' above the Town Hall on 9 September each year to mark 999 Day, to reflect not just their sacrifice during the pandemic but their ongoing example of service to others.

Alternative Options considered and rejected at the time of the decision

None.

Is this a Key Decision?

No

Does the call-in procedure apply?

Yes

Declarations of interest (including details of any relevant dispensations issued by the Standards Committee)

None.

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Signed: _____ Date: _____
Leader of Torbay Council on behalf of the Cabinet