Policy Group: Members

## Advisory Dress Code (Councillors)

**RESPONSIBLE COMMITTEE: P&F** 

This is a policy/procedure document of Saltash Town Council to be followed by both Council Members and Employees.

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## Saltash Town Council Advisory Dress Code for Councillors – Full Council and Civic Occasions

This is an advisory dress code for all Councillors and applies to meetings of the full Town Council and Civic Occasions.

- 1. All councillors are required to wear smart casual clothing with no slogans.
  - 2. No baseball caps are to be worn in any meeting of the Council unless for health reasons.
  - 3. No training clothes are to be worn in any meeting of the Council. The Chairman will have the discretion to excuse a councillor from complying with the advisory dress code upon receiving a satisfactory explanation from the councillor for not being appropriately dressed.
  - 4. Councillors unable to comply with the advisory dress code due to a disability or health reason will be granted a dispensation for all meetings or Civic occasions for as long as the condition applies.
  - 5. Male members are permitted to wear smart trousers and a smart jumper in place of a shirt but with no slogans.
  - 6. At Civic functions in the presence of the Mayor all members are required to wear smart clothing.

Date	Details
September 2018	Note:
	Words importing the masculine gender only shall include all other genders and vice versa.