



All-Party Parliamentary Group for Rowing

Annual General Meeting

1030, 22 February 2021, Online

Meeting commenced 1036

Minutes

Attendees

Karl McCartney MP (in the Chair); Lord Thomas of Gresford; Baroness Walmsley; Gagan Mohindra MP; Bob Blackman MP; Alicia Kearns MP; Jason McCartney MP; Alexander Stafford MP; Mark Ramsdale (MR Sport/Three Lines Sport, Secretariat)

Apologies

Baroness Grey-Thompson

Minutes of Inaugural Meeting

Were circulated and agreed after the meeting and are present on the Group's website.

Election of Officers

The following were elected Officers of the Group:

- Karl McCartney MP
- Lord Thomas of Gresford
- Tonia Antoniazzi MP
- Angus MacNeill MP
- Sir Peter Bottomley
- Rebecca Pow MP
- Sir Edward Leigh MP
- Baroness Grey-Thompson MP
- Alicia Kearns MP
- Jason McCartney MP

Finance Report

Due the covid-19 pandemic, the Group has been largely dormant. As such, the anticipated and therefore declared cost associated with Group operations were not required. As the Group did not receive more than £12,500 in cash or in kind during the Group's reporting year, a financial statement is not required.

The Chairman placed on record the Group's thanks to the Secretariat which covered any out-of-pocket expenses and staff time.

Secretariat

MR Sport/Three Lines Sport was re-appointed Secretariat.

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The quality of the meetings that took place when in Parliament was able to sit in person was considered very good, with excellent speakers and connections made. More Members of the House of Commons would be welcome. It is hoped there will be some more regular events in the near future and the Parliamentary Boat Race will return soon.

The meeting closed at 1042