

# Cinque Port Town of Rye

## Rye Town Council

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### NEW FACE AT THE COUNCIL

Rye Town Council has appointed a new Town Sergeant to succeed George Brown who, after 6 years' of service to the Mayoralty, was forced to stand down on health grounds.

A resident of Pett, Kevin Barry joins the Council after spending 31 years working in the regional press, the last eleven for the Kent Messenger Group. Prior to this he served in the Royal Navy for 10 years, after leaving his home city of Cardiff. Nowadays Kevin is 'semi-retired' but finds time to volunteer with the Rye Bay Sector Coastguard.

Rye Mayor John Breeds adds: *Kevin presented himself very well during the interviews and the decision to offer him the post was a unanimous one. I am delighted he has joined us but would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to his predecessor, George Brown who attended to Rye's Mayors for over 6 years. We wish him well.*

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