

# PAULTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parks and Amenities Committee meeting held on  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2022 at 6.00pm in the meeting room, Village Hall

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PRESENT: Councillors G Garlick, G Johnson, A Lyons, A Meaton, P McSherry, C Mitchard and H Warren.

IN ATTENDANCE: Carol Hall – Clerk, Paul Davison - Groundsman

22-01. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN 2022/23

**Resolved** – that Councillor G Johnson is elected Chairman of the Parks and Amenities Committee 2022/23.

22-02. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN 2022/23

No Vice Chairman was elected

22-03. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies received from Councillor T Bridgeman.

22-04. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There was none.

22-05. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There was none.

22-06. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

**Resolved** – that the minutes of the meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022 were confirmed as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

22-07. JUBILEE BENCH

**Resolved** – that the Jubilee commemorative bench would be placed under the oak tree facing the flagpole in the Memorial Park.

22-08. MEMORIAL TREE AND BENCH

**Resolved** – that approval was given for a resident to purchase and donate a bench to be placed in the Miners Recreational Park along with a tree for the Wallenge Open Space, in memory of her late husband.

22-09. DOG FOULING

Consideration was given to the provision of dog waste bins in the Village. BANES have confirmed they will not provide additional bins. Permission has been sought from BANES

on 29<sup>th</sup> June to approve the installation of a new bin that will be paid for by the Parish Council. We are currently awaiting a response.

**Resolved** – that it was agreed in principle for the Parish Council to purchase one bin to be placed on Caxton Close if permission was granted by BANES. The Council would also approach the developer Bovis to request they cover the cost of a bin.

An action plan to tackle dog fouling was considered, it was suggested that the previous action plan is reviewed at the next meeting, in the meantime the Council would raise awareness of the Clean and Green campaign for BANES and encourage residents through social media, websites and the magazine, to report issues on fix my street.

22-10. TREE PLANTING PLAN

The update on the possible planting locations for trees was noted. Permissions for non-Parish Council land is still being sought.

**Resolved** – that 4 Crab Trees and the 2 Hazel trees will be re-potted into larger tubs until all required permissions received.

22-11. MINERS RECREATION CENTENARY TREE

**Resolved** – that the purchase of Welsh Slate memorial plaque from Valley Mill was approved.

The cost of the Plaque will be £129.95 - £169.95 dependant on the number of characters.

**Resolved** – that the following wording was approved:

To mark the 100-year anniversary of The Miners' Welfare Trust purchasing the Miners' Recreational Ground, Paulton Parish Council planted this tree on behalf of the people of Paulton.

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22-12. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next scheduled meeting of the committee is to be held on **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October** at 6.00pm.

Meeting finished at 6.56pm

Signed.....  
(Chairman)