

PAULTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parks and Amenities Committee meeting held on
Tuesday 23rd April 2019 at 6.00pm held in the meeting room, Village Hall, Paulton.

PRESENT: Councillors H Howson, A Lyons and H Warren.

IN ATTENDANCE: Jo Swift – Clerk and Paul Davison (groundsman)

163. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received and noted from Councillor T Bridgeman

164. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Clerk read out an email from a member of the public who is also an allotment holder, concerns were expressed in the email that no consultation had taken place in respect of planting a hedge around the allotment area. The resident was present and verbally reiterated the concerns.

Another member of the public, also an allotment holder, spoke about the tree roots on his and other allotments close by and mentioned that a hedge would not be suitable in the area as it would be unable to grow due to the tree roots.

165. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There was none.

166. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Resolved - that the minutes of the Parks and Amenities committee meeting held on 12th February 2019 are approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

167. HEDGING AT ALLOTMENT

Resolved – that the matter is to be deferred for the new committee to consider following completion of the tree Management Report and that a site visit to the allotments is arranged and the allotment holders are to be invited.

168. DOG FOULING

This problem is on-going. It was felt that the spray cans were not working that well however usage of them will be continued. Smaller cans were requested. There is a programme called 'Street Clean' but it was felt that this would be difficult to implement in Paulton areas.

It was mentioned that dog owners may not actually be aware that normal bins can now be used for dog faeces. It was agreed to promote this more to inform dog users of this fact.

Meeting finished at 6.20pm

Signed.....
(Chairman)