

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Streetscene Policy Development and Review Panel

(to be confirmed at the next meeting)

Date: Thursday, 13 July 2017

Venue: Collingwood Room - Civic Offices

PRESENT:

Councillor S D Martin (Chairman)

Councillor L Keeble (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors: Mrs L E Clubley, J M Englefield, R H Price, JP and K A Barton
(deputising for J E Butts)

**Also
Present:**



1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies of absence were received from Councillors J E Butts and G Fazackarley.

2. MINUTES

It was AGREED that the minutes of the Streetscene Policy Development and Review Panel held on 14 June 2017, be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no Chairman's announcements.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISCLOSURES OF ADVICE OR DIRECTIONS

There were no declarations of interest made at this meeting.

5. DEPUTATIONS

There were no deputations made at this meeting.

6. PRESENTATION BY HEAD OF PROJECT INTEGRA

The Panel received a presentation from Chris Noble, the Head of Project Integra.

The presentation gave details of the work undertaken by Project Integra, the key areas of focus, recycling performance statistics, changes to HWRCs, the 2015-18 Action Plan, and future challenges.

It was AGREED that Chris Noble be thanked for his informative presentation.

7. REVIEW OF WORK PROGRAMME 2017/18

The Panel considered a report by the Director of Operations which reviewed the Panel's work programme for 2017/18.

The Director of Operations addressed the Panel and suggested that due to the interest in the Vanguard work being undertaken in Streetscene at present that a report be added to the work programme to provide an update on the progress of this intervention. It was agreed that it would be included as an unallocated item until such time as officers feel that there is sufficient information to report to the Panel. It is anticipated that this report is likely to go to the January 2018 or March 2018 meeting.

The Panel AGREED that:

- (a) an item titled 'Vanguard Update' be added as an unallocated item to the 2017/18 work programme; and
- (b) subject to the inclusion of (a) above, the work programme for 2017/18 be confirmed.

8. ANNUAL REPORT ON STREET CLEANSING SERVICE

The Panel considered a report by the Director of Operations which provided an annual review of the Street Cleansing Service.

Councillor Price requested that for future reports he would like a colour map provided showing the areas covered by each of the Street Cleansing teams.

It was AGREED that content of the report be noted.

9. MEMBERS OPEN FORUM

The Chairman informed the Panel that there had been no questions submitted for the Members Open Forum, and gave members an opportunity to ask any questions to officers.

One question was asked regarding the possibility of providing a Street Cleansing service to commercial sites in order to generate some additional income. The panel were informed that this would not be cost effective to the Council as the costs they could charge for the service would not cover the additional costs that would be accrued by the Council for providing this. It would also have a negative effect on the residents of the Borough as it would add additional pressure to the service, however this will be kept under review.

Members and Officers were thanked for taking part in the Open Forum.

(The meeting started at 6.00 pm
and ended at 7.42 pm).