

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

AGENDA

STREETSCENE SCRUTINY PANEL

Date: Thursday, 24 March 2022

Time: 6.00 pm

Venue: Collingwood Room - Civic Offices

Members:

Councillor Miss T G Harper (Chairman)

Councillor Mrs L E Clubley (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors Mrs T L Ellis
Mrs P Hayre
L Keeble
Mrs K Mandry
R H Price, JP

Deputies: G Fazackarley
N R Gregory
Mrs J Kelly



1. Apologies for Absence

2. Minutes (Pages 5 - 8)

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel held on 27 January 2022.

3. Chairman's Announcements

4. Declarations of Interest and Disclosures of Advice or Directions

To receive any declarations of interest from members in accordance with Standing Orders and the Council's Code of Conduct and disclosures of advice or directions received from Group Leaders or Political Groups, in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

5. Deputations

To receive any deputations of which notice has been received.

6. Executive Business

To consider any item of business dealt with by the Executive since the last meeting of the Panel, that falls under the remit of the Streetscene Portfolio. This will include any decisions taken by individual members during the same time period.

7. Update on Environment Act & Project Integra Partnership (Pages 9 - 10)

To receive a presentation which will update the Panel on the Environment Act and the Project Integra Partnership.

8. Update on Garden Waste Collection Service (Pages 11 - 12)

To receive a presentation which updates members on the new Garden Waste Collection Service.

9. Streetscene Scrutiny Panel Priorities

To provide an opportunity for Members to consider the scrutiny priorities for the Streetscene Panel.



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Minutes of the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel (to be confirmed at the next meeting)

Date: Thursday, 27 January 2022

Venue: Council Chamber - Civic Offices

PRESENT:

Councillor Miss T G Harper (Chairman)

Councillor Mrs L E Clubley (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors: Mrs T L Ellis, Mrs P Hayre, L Keeble, Mrs K Mandry and
R H Price, JP

Also Present: Councillors M J Ford, JP, Mrs C L A Hockley, Ms S Pankhurst,
Mrs K K Trott and I Bastable



1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence given at this meeting.

2. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel meeting held on 18 November 2021 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chairman announced that she attended the meeting of the Health and Public Protection Scrutiny Panel held on 18 January 2022 where an item on the agenda provided a presentation which outlined the provision of burial plots in the Council's cemeteries. A copy of the slides for the presentation have been forwarded to all members of the panel for information.

The Chairman also welcomed members of the Leisure and Community Scrutiny Panel who were in attendance for item 7 on the agenda.

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. EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

(1) Hydrotreated Vegetable Oil (HVO) Fuel Pilot

There were no questions or comments in respect of this item.

7. IMPACT OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON THE HIRE OF SPORTS PITCHES

At the invitation of the Chairman, Councillors Mrs Hockley, Mrs Trott and Ms Pankhurst addressed the Panel on this item.

The Panel received a presentation by the Public Spaces Operations Manager which provided members with an overview of the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on the hire of Council owned sports pitches across the Borough and the effect on bookings since the return to normal of pitch hire availability. The presentation also provided members with information on the recently adopted Playing Pitch Strategy. A copy of the presentation is attached to these minutes as Appendix A.

Members discussed the possibility of providing facilities for additional types of sport, such as athletics, cycling and petanque. The Public Spaces Operations Manager advised that additional facilities can be considered but would be

subject to community demand, the availability of suitable land and the appropriate level of funding being available.

Members also discussed the Section 106 contributions that developers often make in lieu of providing sporting facilities as part of a new planning application. Concerns were raised that even if funding is provided to meet the increased demand for facilities, the Council does not have large areas of land that it can make available to provide them.

The construction of 3G sports pitches in the Borough was discussed by the Panel and concerns were raised in respect of the impact the plastic material used in their construction may have on the environment. The potential environmental impact of any new facilities on Fareham Borough Council land will be considered as part of any proposals brought forward to the Executive for decision.

RESOLVED that the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel notes the content of the presentation.

8. STREETSCENE SCRUTINY PANEL PRIORITIES

Members considered and discussed the scrutiny priorities for the Streetscene Panel and noted that at the next meeting there would be a presentation to provide an update on the roll out of the new Garden Waste Strategy. There will also be information and discussion on the implications of the new Environment Bill.

RESOLVED that the Priorities for the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel be noted.

(The meeting started at 6.00 pm
and ended at 7.05 pm).

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Presentation to The Streetscene Scrutiny Panel

Date: 24 March 2022

Subject: Update on Environment Act & Project Integra Partnership

SUMMARY

The Panel will receive a presentation which will provide an update for members on progress with the Environment Act and the review of the Project Integra Partnership arrangements.

RECOMMENDATION

The Streetscene Scrutiny Panel is invited to note the contents of the presentation.

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Presentation to The Streetscene Scrutiny Panel

Date: 24 March 2022

Subject: Update on Garden Waste Collection Service

SUMMARY

The Panel will receive a presentation which will update members on the new garden waste collection service, which started in February.

RECOMMENDATION

The Streetscene Scrutiny Panel is invited to note the contents of the presentation.

