

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

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

Date: Thursday, 28 January 2021

Venue: Virtual Meeting - Microsoft Teams

PRESENT:

Councillor Miss T G Harper (Chairman)

Councillor G Fazackarley (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors: J E Butts, Mrs L E Clubley, J M Englefield, Mrs K Mandry and R H Price, JP

Also Present: Councillor M J Ford, JP, Executive Member for Streetscene (for item 7)



1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence.

2. MINUTES

A correction to the minutes of the meeting held on 15 October 2020 was agreed by the Panel to clarify that Councillor J M Englefield gave apologies for non-attendance at the meeting due to work commitments for the NHS.

RESOLVED that, subject to the amendment referred to above, the minutes of the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel meeting held on 15 October 2020 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chairman announced that she would like to extend her thanks to Councillor S D Martin for all his hard work during his term of office as the Executive Member for Streetscene.

As Councillor Martin has now taken on the Planning and Development Executive portfolio, the Chairman went on to welcome Councillor M J Ford, JP as the replacement Executive Member for Streetscene.

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) Review of Garden Waste Collection Service

There were no questions or comments for clarification.

RESOLVED that the Streetscene Scrutiny Panel considered this item of Business discharged by the Executive.

7. KERBSIDE GLASS COLLECTION STUDY

The Panel considered a report and received a supporting presentation by the Head of Streetscene which outlined the results of a study in respect of a kerbside glass collection service in Fareham.

At the invitation of the Chairman, Councillor M J Ford, Executive Member for Streetscene addressed the Panel on this item.

The Head of Streetscene was thanked for proving a very informative report.

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

8. REFUSE AND RECYCLING COLLECTION MODELLING

The Panel considered a report and received a supporting presentation by the Head of Streetscene which sets out several models for the collection of recycled materials that are in line with the requirements set out in the Government's Resources and Waste Strategy.

The Head of Streetscene was thanked for providing a very informative report.

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

9. STREETSCENE SCRUTINY PANEL PRIORITIES

Councillor G Fazackarley left the meeting during this item due to connection difficulties.

Members considered the Scrutiny Priorities for the Panel and discussed the Council's inspection arrangements of infrastructure on public open spaces, including signage, across the Borough.

RESOLVED that having considered the Scrutiny Priorities, the Panel agrees that a report on the inspection arrangements of infrastructure on public open spaces, including signage, across the Borough be brought to a future meeting of the Panel.

(The meeting started at 6.00 pm
and ended at 7.39 pm).