



Beaminster Town Council

TOWN AMENITIES COMMITTEE

The next meeting of the Town Amenities Committee will be held in the Public Hall on Tuesday 18th July 2023 at 7.00pm

SJBnqW
Town Clerk
11th July 2023

A G E N D A

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

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4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST & DISPENSATIONS.

5. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

To **APPROVE** the minutes of the Town Amenities Committee meeting held on 21st March 2023 (*attached*)

6. MEMORIAL PLAYING FIELD

(a) Proposed toilet/store

To **NOTE** planning permission approved. Initial enquiries have been made with Wessex Water and Western Power with regard to services at the site, early indications suggest there is no current water supply options will be pursued and costed. An application to be submitted to Western Power for a quotation to connect to power supply and a discussion to be had with architect with regard to building regulations.

(b) Beaminster Cricket/Football Clubs

To **CONSIDER** an amended application received from the Cricket Club with regard to the proposal to replace the net facilities. The amendment proposes to move the net 18 degrees closer to north to ensure the proposed facility is not directly into the setting sun. (*amended drawing attached*).

7. CEMETERY

As instructed the Town Clerk approached via DAPTC all town and parish Council's within Dorset with regard to cemetery charges, to date two responses have been received

A comparison document is **attached** for consideration with regard to potential increases in the charges from 1st September 2023.

8. PUBLIC HALL

A comparison document would be produced for the next meeting of this committee for consideration with regard to potential increases in the charges from 1st October 2023.

9. FURLAND ALLOTMENTS

(a) Allotment Association representative

To **RECEIVE** any issue raised by the Allotment Association representative.

10. PUBLIC TOILETS

No issues to raise

11. THE SQUARE

(a) To **CONSIDER** appropriate inscription on the commemorative plaques for the new planters.

12. GENERAL

(a) Dorset Council – Dog-related Public Spaces Protection Order

To **CONSIDER** consultation document on a new PSPO which identifies where, when and how dogs can use green spaces and beaches.

<https://consultation.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/consultation-and-engagement/proposed-dog-related-public-spaces-protection-order/>

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

To **NOTE** the date of the next meeting as Tuesday 20th September 2023.

14. PUBLIC BODIES (Admission to Meeting) Act 1960

To **RESOLVE** that public and press be excluded from the meeting whilst discussion takes place on the following item on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of business to be transacted in respect of consideration of quotations received.

(a) Protection of assets

To **CONSIDER** revised quotation received for installation of galvanised posts

(b) Public Hall

To **CONSIDER** quotations received in respect of:

- External decoration – Skyrm Room and Fleet Club windows
- Replacement fascia, soffits and guttering
- Installation of CCTV camera at the rear

(c) Tree works

To **CONSIDER** tree report received with regard to a Beech tree on the boundary with Myrtle Close and any costs associated.

(d) Cemetery

To **CONSIDER** content of correspondence received **attached**.