

CHAPEL-EN-LE-FRITH PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of the Amenities Committee held on 30th April 2021

Present: Councillor J Adshead in the chair.
Councillors C Sizeland, S Walters, and S Young.

In Attendance: Mrs E Howe – Assistant to the Clerk
Mr P Brown – Park Manager

Apologies: Cllr N. Wetters-Gourlay.

21/399 Public Speaking

There were no members of the public present.

21/400 Variation of Business

It was agreed to discuss item 7 during the Assistant Clerks report, item 4 on the agenda.

21/401 Report and update from the Assistant Clerk

Cllr Sizeland has suggested new welcome to Chapel-en-le-Frith Parish signs be installed at the boundary of the Parish.

Resolved: The Assistant Clerk is to contact HPBC to start conversations for a possible regeneration project.

The new permission forms from DCC to request permission to install an object on a highway are being completed by the Assistant Clerk.

Three picnic tables have been ordered and will be installed once delivered.

Resolved: Committee members will visit the park to agree on the locations for the picnic benches.

HPBC Regeneration Officer has suggested the purchase of bicycle racks could be made as a regeneration projection. The issue of land ownership still persists.

Resolved: The Committee will make a final decision at the next Amenities Committee meeting.

It was reported there are 2 people on the waiting list for an allotment at the Dove Holes site.

The Park Manager reported an electrician has been to survey the electricity supply in the Memorial Park however, we are still awaiting his report.

It was reported the four grit bins have been requested from DCC as agreed in the previous meeting.

21/402 Park Manager Report

The Park Manager provided the Committee with an update and reported on projects undertaken within the parish and the current incidents of ASB within the Memorial park.

The Committee thanked the Park Manager for all his efforts in improving the park.

Resolved: It was agreed the Assistant Clerk & Park Manager obtain quotes for 4 x metal benches for the play area. It was agreed to draft a press release regarding the current ASB issues.

A member of the Council has requested to plant enough cherry trees as is necessary to complete the current row of memorial trees.

Resolved: All committee members agreed the trees can be purchased by the Council member and planted by the Park Manager.

21/403 Dog Signage update – Cllr N. Wetters-Gourlay

No update made due to Cllr Wetters-Gourlay giving his apologies.

21/404 Noticeboard update – Cllr Walters

Cllr Walters reported she is still waiting for some of the quotes.

21/405 Correspondence

A request has been received from the local PCSO Officer to request possible alterations to the banking in Needhams Recreation ground to assist with ASB issues.

Resolved: The Park Manager is to prune the bushes once the nesting season has finished. A courtesy notice to local residents is to be published on the Parish Councils website and social media accounts.

A request to install a lamp post on Park Road, Chapel-en-le-Frith has been received.

It was agreed to defer this matter to the next Amenities Committee meeting due to time restraints.

21/406 Any other business

None.

21/407 Date to be set for the next full Amenities Committee meeting.

Next meeting will be held on Friday 4th June 2021 at 1.15pm

There being no further business the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 3.45pm

CHAIRMAN