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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMUNITY, LEISURE, ENVIRONMENT AND WELLBEING **COMMITTEE HELD AT ANGMERING LIBRARY ON WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER 2016**

Present:

Councillors Mike Hill-Smith; Bill Evans; Mike Jones; Norma Harris and Roger

Phelon (Chairman)

In attendance:

Claire Fullman, Committee Clerk.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE 16/045

Apologies had been received from Councillors Nikki Hamilton-Street and Susan Francis. Councillor Paul Bicknell was absent.

DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS IN ITEMS ON 16/046 THE AGENDA

There were no declarations made.

16/047 **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Cllr Hill-Smith said there were points missing from the minutes of the previous meeting with regards to him visiting the play areas due to the quotation received for the work required being costly. The Committee Clerk said that this was an assessment of all the play areas of suggested refurbishment work, that Angmering Parish Council conduct regular weekly checks and monthly inspections and that an independent company conduct an annual inspection. The Committee Clerk informed all members that the cargo nets at Russet Trailblazer play area and the swings at Braeburn play area was work that required immediate attention due to health and safety.

The meeting was paused to allow for a discussion in connection with the Councillor Reporting forms and reconvened ten minutes later.

An alteration was made to a minute number and the minutes of the last meeting of this Committee, held on 26th October 2016, were then AGREED as a correct record of the proceedings, and then signed by the Chairman.

THE COMMITTEE CLERK'S REPORT ON ANY MATTERS NOT INCLUDED ON THIS 16/048 **AGENDA**

4.1 The action list was received, with the following comments: Minute No 16/005 - Station Road and new cycle path rubbish. An update was given to all members and as West Sussex County Council and the contractors have said they have not left the rubbish at the site. It was agreed for the Parish Council to clear the site, Cllrs Jones and Evans said they would be happy to assist. All agreed that the site should then be on the maintenance schedule for strimming on a regular basis. Minute No 16/019 Tree Planting on the A259 Cycle Path, Cllr Evans and Phelon expressed their concerns for tree planting if the cycle path is going to be treated for marestail. The office to liaise with West Sussex County Council and the Tree CF Warden.

4.2 Quotations for the replacement of the finger post at the East Preston rail crossing were circulated to all members. Cllr Hill-Smith said that it can be taken down and sandblasted. Cllr Jones added that an approved contractor would be needed. The Clerk stated that certain

work would need approved contractors and risk assessment from the contractor would be required. It was PROPOSED by Cllr Evans, SECONDED by Cllr Hill-Smith and AGREED by all to make recommendation to full council to go ahead with the quote of £1670.50 to CF replace the fingerpost.

16/049 **PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

No matters were brought up by the public.

OUESTIONS ARISING FROM THE ALREADY CIRCULATED MINUTES OF THE SUB-16/050 COMMITTEE

- 1. Community Facilities Sub-committee The draft minutes were taken as read.
- 2. Resilience Sub-committee The draft minutes were taken as read.

16/051 **BUS SHELTERS**

The circulated reports were taken as read. The Committee Clerk informed all members that funding would not be possible from West Sussex County Council. Cllr Hill-Smith said that there were two bus shelters on the A259 that belong to the Parish and as buses no longer stop on the A259, these shelters could be relocated elsewhere to the most appropriate site. Cllr Jones asked where Cala homes are building in Roundstone Lane where they have landscaped round the side would they provide a bus shelter there. Cllr Phelon said that bus shelters should be included in future Section 106 money. Members discussed the matter and it was agreed by all that there was not sufficient funding available at the moment to provide bus shelters around the village. Action for the office to investigate relocating the two unused bus shelters currently on the A259.

MATTERS REQUIRING CONSIDERATION AT FUTURE MEETINGS OF: 16/052

- 1) This Committee None
- 2) Full Council Recommendation to full council to go ahead with the quote of £1670.50 to replace the fingerpost.
- 3) Resilience Sub-committee None
- 4) Community Facilities Sub-committee Angmering in Bloom request for permission to place an information map in the centre of the village.

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16/053 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting on Wednesday 22nd February 2016 was noted by all members

The meeting concluded at 20:40

Chairman

Date 22/2/17