

AMENITIES COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting held in the Large Hall of the Town Hall, Calne on Monday 8 January 2007

PRESENT: Councillor C J Viner – Town Mayor (Ex-officio)
Councillor Mrs M J Baggs (**Chair**)
Councillor L E Hammond (**Vice-Chair**)
Councillor D A Bland
Councillor Mrs E M Bland
Councillor Ms C J Bowyer

IN ATTENDANCE: Councillor P Dolman

OFFICERS: Mrs L Roberts – Deputy Town Clerk
Mrs A Cawkwell – Committee Clerk

38/06 APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Councillor Ms H E Canfer, Councillor Mrs C O’Gorman and Councillor R J Stigwood.

39/06 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest received.

40/06 MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting of the Amenities Committee held on Monday 30 October 2006, having previously been circulated, were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

41/06 EARMARKED RESERVES

The Earmarked Reserves and Capital Receipt allocations for this Committee were noted

42/06 STOKES CROFT FENCING

Members discussed this issue and the following points were raised:

- There had been many complaints from residents in this area as older able-bodied children were causing problems, something did need to be done about this.
- A fence should prevent the kicking of balls on to properties next to this area and therefore it is recommended that the Town Council should contribute a third of the cost for this fence.

It was proposed by Councillor Mrs E Bland, seconded by Councillor Ms C Bowyer and

UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED to contribute £1,300 + Vat from the Capital Fund, to erect bow top fencing along the open side of the Stokes Croft Play Area that fronts onto properties.

43/06 PLAY AREAS

43.1 Anchor Road Play Area – The information was noted.

43.2 North End Play Area – The information was noted.

44/06 CASTLEFIELDS CANAL AND RIVER PARK ASSOCIATION

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 16 November 2006 were noted.

45/06 CONFIDENTIAL SESSION

It was

RESOLVED that in view of the Confidential Nature of the business about to be transacted, concerning financial and legal matters, that the public and press be excluded and they were instructed to withdraw.