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Date: 7th August 2017

RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE

Monday 14th August 2017 at 7.30pm in the Council Chamber, The Galtres Centre or on the rising of the Planning Committee.

AGENDA

- 1. To elect a Chairman of the Recreation and Open Spaces Committee**
- 2. Apologies**
To receive and approve the reasons for apologies.
- 3.** To resolve to adjourn the meeting for up to 15 minutes to take questions or comments through the Chairman from members of the public.
- 4. Clerks Progress Report / Matters Arising.**
 - The strip of ground for the wildflower meadow at Millfields has been rotavated and sown with the wildflower seed.
 - The pasture opposite the skate park at Millfields is due to be “rough cut” w/c 7th August, weather permitting.
 - Arborwise Tree Surgery has been instructed to carry out routine tree works on Uppleby and submit the necessary planning applications.
 - Pruning, soil care and fertilization of the Veteran Oak Tree at Chase Garth Park has been carried out by Bartlett Tree Experts after planning permission was obtained from HDC.
 - The spruce tree at Larch Rise has been pruned back to clear the property boundary.
 - Bins have been ordered for Millfield Lane, Millfields Open Space and Memorial Park.
- 4. Millfields Open Space**
 - 4.1** To receive an email from a member of the public concerning a potential safety issue at the Skate Park and consider the way forward.
 - 4.2.** To receive an update from the Millfields Working Group and consider the way forward.
- 5. Play Area Inspection Reports**
To receive the Play Area Inspection Reports and resolve the way forward.
- 6. Trees**
 - 6.1** To receive an email from a member of the public concerning overgrown trees on Barns Wray and consider the way forward.

6.2 To receive an email from a member of the public concerning overgrown trees on Thornlands and consider the way forward.

7. Dog and Litter Bins/Picnic Benches

7.1. To receive a recommendation from Councillor Johnston Banks on the best sites to locate additional dog bins and consider the way forward.

7.2. To receive recommendations from the Easingwold Town Band on the best place to locate additional picnic tables and benches in the Memorial Park and consider the way forward.

8. Dawney Allotments

To receive an update on a plot which has been repossessed and consider the way forward.

9. Bulb planting

To receive an email from the Easingwold Green Spaces Community Group and resolve the way forward.

10. Co-option of non-council committee members

To receive a proposal from Councillor Nottage and consider the way forward.

11. Budget Monitoring

To note the financial position as at 7th August 2017 and consider any virements.

12. Date of the Next Meeting

20 November 2017 at 7.30pm or on the rising of the Planning Committee.