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Clerk: Jane Bentley Date: 9th May 2023



RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE MEETING MONDAY 15TH MAY 2023 – 7.30PM OR ON THE RISING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, GALTRES CENTRE

AGENDA

1. Apologies

To note any apologies and reasons given.

2. To resolve to adjourn the meeting for up to 15 minutes to take questions or comments through the Chairman from members of the public.

3. Clerk's Progress Report

- The swings have been installed in the Memorial Park and the damaged swings removed
- Following instructions from NYC planning a drawing was sent by the Clerk's office on 2nd May 2023 to Property Risk Inspection to determine the final position of the trees in Lime Tree Avenue
- The Miscellaneous Works Contractor has completed the skip work at the allotment
- An email was sent to the member of the public regarding a tree in Chase Garth on 23rd February confirming that no work would be carried out
- An email was sent to member of the public in Larch Rise on 23rd February to confirm that no work would be carried out on the trees, the insurers were informed.
- An email was sent to the member of the public regarding snowdrops, approving the request on 23rd February
- An email was sent to the member of the public refusing the request for blossom trees in Millfields on 23rd February
- The Clerk contacted Kompan regarding the fitness equipment
- The contractor attended to the moles in Chase Garth and the Memorial Park
- The dog warden attended Easingwold for a full week in March
- The new garden in the Memorial Park has been completed and 6 benches have been installed and will be cemented in w/c 2nd May.
- The blackthorn hedge was cut back as far as was possible with the equipment available and the timing

4. Action Plan

To receive the action plan and agree the way forward.

5. Trees

- 5.1 To consider the quotes for a tree survey for Uppleby and resolve the way forward 5.2 To receive quotes for the work for the Claypenny tree survey and agree the way forward
- 5.3 To receive quotes for the 2 sycamore trees in the Memorial Park and resolve the way forward

6. Millfields

- 6.1 To receive the management plan and review progress and required actions.
- 6.2 To receive a letter from a member of the public and resolve the way forward.
- 6.3 To receive a letter from a member of the public regarding the wetlands and resolve the way forward.
- 6.4 To receive a quote for repairing the fence in Millfields car park and agree the way forward.

7. Memorial Park

To receive an update from the Memorial Park Working Group and consider the way forward.

8. Playground Inspections

To receive the Playground Inspections and resolve the way forward.

9. Allotments

To consider an allotment inspection and agree the way forward.

10. Budget

To note the financial position as of 30th April and consider any virements.

11. Date of the Next Meeting

21st August 2023 at 7.30pm or on the rising of the Planning Committee.