

**Minutes of the Valley Park Parish Council Meeting
held on Monday 8 July 2019 at 7.00pm
Location: Valley Park Community Centre**

Present:

Cllr Mr A Dowden (Chairman)
Cllr Mr R Bryan
Cllr Mr C Thom
Cllr Mrs D Green

Apologies for absence:

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Mrs C Dowden, Cllr Mr S Cross, Cllr Dr K Woods-Townsend, Cllr Mrs S Bates, Cllr Mr Anderson

Action

19 Declarations of interests

None

20 Minutes of the meetings held on 10th June 2019

Resolved:

That the minutes of the Valley Park Parish Council Meeting held on 10th June 2019, copies of which had been previously circulated to Members, were confirmed as true records and signed by the Chairman.

21 Matters Arising

Councillors noted the Outdoor Gym is in place and is being well used. Valley Park in Bloom event took place with the children from Knightwood and St Francis primary schools.

22 To receive and consider correspondence

The Parish Clerk informed that an anonymous email was received. The Clerk read the correspondence and informed the councillors that a response was provided to the resident. One of the concerns was regarding a refusal of an application form. The Parish had already formally objected to the retrospective change of use of land and agreed that it is now a matter for the Test Valley Borough Council Enforcement Team.

The Clerk informed the Parish that Valley Park residents suggested more signage to remind people about driving within the speed limit in Valley Park.

Councillors agreed to involve the two primary schools in the community in designing a sign that reminds residents about speed limit and driving carefully.

Resolved:

That the Parish Clerk contacts the two schools and invite them to participate in a design competition of a speed limit sign in Valley Park. The winning design from each school will be awarded £100 by the Parish

Council. The best design will be selected by the Parish to be placed around Valley Park area.

23 Public questions

None received.

24 Accounts

The Parish Clerk informed members of accounts received since the last meeting.

Resolved:

That the accounts be approved for payment.

25 Borough and County member reports

The Chairman, on behalf of Borough Councillor Celia Dowden informed the Parish about the motion that the membership of the Northern Area Planning Committee and Southern Area Planning Committee be amended to reflect the representation of local ward members. The motion placed by Cllr C Dowden was to address the situation and for each committee to reflect the representation of local ward members. The motion was supported unanimously and the change will take place from July 2019.

Councillors were informed that TVBC have selected a Master Planner for the project to regenerate Andover Town Centre, including the Council's aspirations around the Chantry Centre, Town Mills Riverside and the Cultural Quarter.

26 Planning Applications

19/01582/CLPS

Certificate of proposed lawful development for the erection of single storey rear extension

2 Bere Close, SO53 4QU

Resolved:

That no comment be made.

The meeting closed at 7.55pm.

Signed:

Dated:
