

**HEDGE END TOWN COUNCIL - MINUTES OF A FULL COUNCIL  
MEETING HELD 20 JULY 2022**

**Cllrs. Present:** Cllr Maggie Allingham, Cllr Paul Carnell, Cllr Tonia Craig, Cllr Cynthia Garton, Cllr John Jupe, Cllr Lucy Jurd, Cllr Keith House, Cllr Jim Mitchell, Cllr Cliff Morris (Chair), Cllr Derek Pretty, Cllr John Shepherd, Cllr Jane Welsh

**In attendance:** Local resident

1. **Apologies:** Cllr Ian Corben, Cllr Helen Corben, Cllr Ron Nichols
2. **Public Questions not on the Agenda**  
None received.
3. **Declarations of Interest**  
None received.
4. **To Receive a Police Report**  
There were no Police reports and no officer attendance.
5. **To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2022.**

**RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June be confirmed and signed by the Chair as a correct record.**

6. **Call In of Recreation & Amenities decision R348**
  - a. The following decision has been called in and is referred to Full Council for consideration under Council Standing Order No. 34.
    - i. Decision by the Recreation and Amenities Committee on the proposed name of the new play trail at Hedge End Way/Hellyar Rise.  
Cllr Keith House commented that concerns over parking for the new play area had been brought to his attention by a number of Hellyar Rise residents. Hellyar Rise itself was a quite narrow block paved road ending in a hammer head by the play area and it was felt that naming this new play trail, Hellyar Rise would lead those seeking to use it to park at the end of this road, where very little parking existed, causing issues for residents.  
This play area was for the use of all residents living on the Hedge End Way development and nearby surrounding area. Users of the play area should be encouraged to walk, but those that did come by car should be encouraged not to park in Hellyar Rise. He felt that EBC should be asked to call the new play area Hedge End Way, thus discouraging the use of Hellyar Rise.

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Cllr Jane Welsh confirmed that the Recreations & Amenities committee had had a full discussion, looking at all the pros and cons. With a preference to Hellyar Rise, mainly as it followed the format of other play areas, also making a nod to the late Cllr Hellyar, However, they did also see the rationale for Hedge End Way. She felt that the name should remain as agreed by the Committee.

Cllr Keith House proposed that the preferred name for this new play trail was altered to Hedge End Way, members voted as follows:

7 in favour

5 against

**RESOLVED: That the proposed name was changed to Hedge End Way Play area and the amendment sent to EBC.**

### 7. Chair's Remarks

Cllr Cliff Morris reported that along with the Clerk had attended the meeting with the police as mentioned at the Full Council meeting in June. They had been informed that the Hedge End Sergeant had resigned and moved on. Speeding was an issue in Hedge End but was not classed as a high priority as Domestic abuse and Anti-Social behaviour.

Speed watch – They were to risk assess certain areas, 5/6 sites within the Hedge End area and were looking to get more personnel trained and out there. There would also be the recruiting of more officers for the area.

### 8. Resolved Items for NOTING Only:

- (a) Policy & Resources Committee – 5 July 2022

*(Minute P1124, P1125, P1126 and P1129)*

**That the Minutes of the meeting of the 5 July be received.**

- (b) Highways & Planning Committee – 1 June 2022 and 15 June 2022

*(Minute H539, H540 and H542)*

**That the Minutes of the meeting of the 1 June and 15 June be received.**

- (c) Recreation & Amenities Committee – 13 July 2022

*(Minute R345ii, R345iii, R345iv, R345v, R346, R347i, R347ii, R348, R349, R350, R351 and R352i)*

**That the Minutes of the meeting of the 13 July be received.**

### 9. Borough and County Reports

Cllr Cynthia Garton reported that there had been no HEWEB meeting held since the last meeting in June with the next scheduled for September.

EBC were offering training for Town & Parish Councillors and encouraged Councillors to take up this offer.

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For the last few months, she had been standing in for the Mayor, attending various events. One event attended was the Gosport and Hedge End Volunteer Police Cadets Attestation on the 15<sup>th</sup> July. She mentioned that the Hedge End Cadets met at Wildern School and was a resource that we as a council had not tapped into, this was a good news story and felt that the Youth Team Leader should contact them.

Cllr Derek Pretty endorsed the points Cllr Cynthia Garton had mentioned, especially the training offered by EBC stating that these were highly informative sessions and should be supported.

Cllr Keith House reported that EBC were purchasing Greenfield sites not for development but to be protected for the future. He also mentioned the Cost of Living Crisis, how this was a real concern for many residents and that where possible as a local authority EBC would do everything in their power to support the most vulnerable.

Cllr Tonia Craig confirmed that TRO's would be handed back to Hampshire County Council from next year, this would also include any enforcement and that residents should be informed of this.

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There being no further business the Chair closed the meeting at 20:26pm.