



WANTAGE TOWN COUNCIL
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Minutes of The Leisure & Amenities Committee meeting held on
 13 January 2025 at 7.30pm in The Beacon, Portway, Wantage, OX12 9BX
The minutes are draft until approved at the next meeting

Committee Members Present:

Councillors J Hannaby (Chair), A Menzies, S Third & C Walters

Substitute Committee Members Present:

None

Other councillors present:

None

In Attendance:

Deputy Clerk: S Sanders

Members of the public: One Member of the public

		Action
39	Apologies for Absence Councillors A Duveen. P O'Leary and L Todd	
40	Minutes of the meeting held 28 October 2024 It was proposed by Cllr Hannaby, seconded by Cllr Menzies and resolved that the minutes were an accurate record of the meeting. The minutes were signed.	
41	Declarations of disclosable interests None	
42	Statements and questions from members of the public None	
43	Income & expenditure report Members noted the report	
44	Allotment Matters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Members noted the allotment availability report. b) Members noted the update re. the fruit tree planting at Grove Road and Stockham Park allotment sites. The trees were due to be ordered and a planted by Oxfordshire County Council (OCC). The final plan was being worked on by OCC. c) The deputy clerk was to ask St Modwen for an update re. the fence installation at the Grove Road site. 	Deputy Clerk

45	<p>Town Centre Matters</p> <p>a) It was proposed by Cllr Hannaby, seconded by Cllr Menzies and resolved to investigate the purchase and installation of a pre-used non-payment parking meter for the market square.</p> <p>A proposal for the amendment to the current parking order to be prepared for review by the committee.</p> <p>b) Members noted the support agreed at the council meeting on 2 December 2024 for the PSPO (Public Spaces, Protection Order) currently being prepared by Thames Valley Police for submission to the district council.</p> <p>c) The draft consumer/business surveys had not yet been reviewed.</p>	<p>Deputy Clerk</p> <p>Hannaby Clerk Deputy Clerk</p> <p>Clerk</p>
46	<p>Cemetery Matters</p> <p>a) There had been no progress to the expansion project. It was noted there were S106 funds available for this project, however a second quotation is required by the district council for the application to be considered.</p> <p>b) The maintenance work to clear areas for health & safety reasons had almost been completed.</p>	<p>Clerk</p>

The meeting closed at 8.20pm

Signed -----

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