



Town Hall
East Street
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14 October 2020

To: All Members of the Amenities Committee

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the **AMENITIES COMMITTEE** will be held on **21 October 2020** via Zoom at **7.00pm** for the purpose of transacting the business set out in the Agenda below.

Public Participation

Due to the current government coronavirus response, the Town Council will be meeting online. Members of the public are encouraged to submit their questions or comments under 'Public Participation' in advance of the meeting to the Clerk and these will be made available to all Councillors. Members of the public may also link in to observe the meeting using the details below:

The Zoom meeting ID is: 898 4606 7295

Or click here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89846067295>

Vanessa Ricketts
Town Clerk

Please contact the Town Council office on 01929 553006 if you need any further information on this Agenda.

Members of the Amenities Committee

Councillor D Budd (Chairman)
Councillor B Ezzard
Councillor S Kemp
Councillor C Turner

Councillor V Green (Vice Chairman)
Councillor H Gooding
Councillor L Kirk



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- 1. Apologies for absence**
- 2. Declarations of interest**
- 3. Public participation time**

Members of the public have been encouraged to submit their questions or comments under 'Public Participation' in advance of the meeting to the Clerk and these have been made available to all Councillors. The response to these questions or comments will be addressed at this point.

- 4. Confirmation of minutes of previous meeting**

To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting held on 9 September 2020.

- 5. Consider matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting**

To consider any matters arising from the minutes of the meeting held on 9 September 2020.

- 6. Budget Comparison**

To receive the budget comparison report (a supplementary paper showing the revised budget figures as agreed at PR&F on 13 October 2020 will follow)

- 7. 2 Mill Lane – An update**

To provide an update, further to a meeting of the working party.

- 8. Locations of benches**

To further discuss and resolve the relocation of two benches in the town.

- 9. Gateway Stones**

Further to the confirmation of S106 money from Bloor Homes in relation to the Westgate project, the commissioning of two large pieces of Purbeck stone was approved by the Town Council through the Planning and Transport Committee. A design was agreed whereby the stone would be engraved by a local stonemason at the Burngate Stone Carving Centre.

The stones are now ready to be transported back to Wareham and the following needs to be considered:

- a) Transportation – to note the offer of transportation of the stones to Wareham
- b) Location – to agree the exact location of the stones
- c) Installation – to agree the contractor for installation of the stones
- d) Budget allocation – to agree the cost code for the cost of the works.

10. Town Hall Refurbishment

To consider the refurbishment of the Town Hall and the possibility of a public works loan to cover the costs and further consider appointing a working party to take this matter further.

11. Town Council play areas

To consider the replacement of play areas at Drax Avenue, Mistover Road, Hauses Field and the Recreation Ground and the possibility of a public works loan to cover the costs and further consider appointing a working party to take this matter forward.

12. Waste Collection by Council staff

To consider the health and safety implications associated with the way that waste is currently carried in the Council owned van and explore alternative options.

13. Any other items the Chairman deems urgent

For report, information or for the agenda at the next meeting of the Amenities Committee.

14. Date of next meeting

To note the date of the next meeting, which is scheduled for **2 December 2020** at **7pm**.