

Website – it was confirmed that the provider stated that they could not provide analytical data. Close action and review website provider when contract due for renewal.

Cycle Routes – the routes were unquestioned, and publicity noted as clearly available on the website. Close action and consider future actions on this topic as and when needed.

It was noted that the **hedges** along Hoe Road towards Swanmore were overgrown and encroaching on the pavement.

ACTION: Inform HCC of encroaching vegetation

ACTION: Admin Assistant

Citizens Advice Grant Application – note for next month within next round of applications. If no application made, then close action.

Telephone Kiosk – planning permission queried but confirmed as a power of the Parish Council to install such facilities by the WCC Planning Officer. Parts due to be ordered during the week, to be passed onto the Men's Shed for fitting. Two contractors available to undertake a site visit and quote for installing the base for the unit in Red Lion Street. Letter planned to inform neighbouring businesses due to be sent. Further updates to be presented at next month's meeting as an agenda item.

Police Race Action Plan – survey completed by the Chairman, in consultation with Cllr Iro.

BWACO Thank You Event – the date was confirmed as Friday 28th November. Invites would be sent out in due course.

CE072/22

Financial position year to date

Noted.

CE073/22

Forward Plan 2019-2023 - for information

CD9.4 Letter to be sent to Xelabus from the Council Chairman regarding loss of services.

CD11 South Pond registration as Community Asset – check and confirm now that new owner

imminent **ACTION: Check status of South Pond as Community Asset**

ACTION: EO/AO

CE074/22

Grant Opportunities – for consideration

Noted.

CE075/22

Report from the Community Support Officer – for information

The Chairman noted the variety of tasks and dedication to the post shown. Thanks were given to the CSO as his resignation had been confirmed and his plan to change role announced. A replacement would be discussed at the next Finance, Policy and Resources Committee meeting which the CEC agreed was necessary to maintain the residents' desire to have a dedicated support officer.

It was suggested that a request was made to the local PSCO to increase patrols in town, during the gap in time between the current CSO leaving and the new one starting, to ensure continuity of community support. **ACTION: Request extra patrols to PSCO Sept/Oct 2022** **ACTION: EO/AO**

The CSO Facebook was discussed in terms of managing it during Autumn 2022.

ACTION: Monitor CSO Facebook page

ACTION: Snr Admin Asst

Anti-Social gatherings noted in council parklands and in the palace grounds. A reminder to the town's youth regarding care of facilities was considered as a worthwhile approach.

ACTION: Send letter, later in Autumn, to Swanmore College (PSHE department) to remind, and

encourage students, about community responsibilities

ACTION: AO

CE076/22

Village of the Year Awards - for consideration

It was noted that the next working group meeting would take place on 6th September to clarify the plans for this event and the focus of the town tour. The latter to be focused on community involvement, not landscape features. Numbers of attendees were still not available from the organiser. Admin Officer to review slideshow from the Annual Meeting of the Parish for suitability for this event or discuss with Town Team for alternative.

ACTION: Review slide show for suitability

ACTION: AO

Resolved: To note the plans for the Village of the Year Awards Ceremony and continue organisation

Proposed: Cllr Marsh

Seconded: Cllr Jelf

All in favour

CE077/22 Co-option of New Members Newsletter Working Group – for consideration

Resolved: To appoint Councillor Williams to the Newsletter Working Group

Proposed: Cllr Wilson

Seconded: Cllr Wood

All in favour

CE078/22 Update from Environmental Initiatives Working Group – for consideration

Next meeting due on Tuesday 30th August.

Cllr Wood noted a contact that would be useful for the group.

Environmental Policy – reminded to be relevant to council and residents. Due as agenda item at future meeting.

Eco Event – Saturday 8th October – Litter Partnership to be invited as well as others on list tabled. It was hoped by committee that WCC will increase scope of recycling facilities available.

CE079/22 e-Newsletter Proposal – for consideration

Committee favoured this idea but firmly felt a hard copy edition was still required for non-IT engaged residents. It was agreed that the two formats would run alongside each other until decided otherwise.

Resolved: To instruct the service provider identified, at the cost of £125.00, to set up the e-newsletter and train the BWPC staff on how to administer and operate if going forward.

Proposed: Cllr Jelf

Seconded: Cllr Marsh

All in favour

ACTION: AO

CE080/22 Remembrance Events – for consideration

Noted. It was also considered prudent to purchase a temporary bus stop sign rather than hire one as it would be useful for future events. This would be brought as a future agenda item or considered as an operational cost.

Resolved: To note the plans for the Remembrance Events outlined and continue organisation

Proposed: Cllr Jelf

Seconded: Cllr Wood

All in favour

CE081/22 Councillors' Reports

i) Museum Trust Meeting Report – for information

Noted.

Cllr Wood highlighted the concern of continuation of trustees and value of new members, as well as the accreditation award due in 2024. **WORDING??**

Facilities not available at the museum were noted as gratefully available at the local hostelry.

CE082/22 Chairman's Report – for information

Noted.

CE083/22 Requests for Future Agenda Items – for information only

Grant applications

BWACO event – Friday 28th November 2022

Eco Event and Clean Up Event plan – Saturday 8th October 2022

Environmental Policy

Awards for council available – Village of the Year 2023, Quality Status, other opportunities

CE084/22 Date of next meeting – 26th September 2022

Noted.

Cllr Marsh gave apologies in advance for non-attendance due to a family commitment.

The meeting closed at 20.18 pm.