

MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 13TH MARCH 2025 AT THE PARISH CENTRE, ST. MARY'S ROAD, LITTLE HAYWOOD COMMENCING AT 7:30PM.

PRESENT (For all or part of the meeting): Cllr Upton-Loach (Chairman); Cllr Bloor (Vice Chairman); Cllr B Forster; Cllr M Forster and Cllr Meakin.

IN ATTENDANCE: Revd Mr Lennon (Chief Officer) and Mr Russell (Head Groundsman).

CO-OPTED MEMBERS PRESENT (For all or part of the meeting): Mr Johnson (Allotments Association); Mr Rothwell-Jackson and Mr Bull (In Bloom); Mr Sarjant (Haywood Flower & Vegetable Show) and Mr Hobbs (Help Nature Thrive).

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: No members of the public were present.

MINUTES

11/25E APOLOGIES were received from Cllr Meakin (arriving late) and Cllr Mosley (away).

RESOLVED to agree the reasons for absence.

PROPOSED Cllr Upton-Loach**SECONDED** Cllr Bloor.On being put to the vote, the Resolution carried unanimously.

12/25E There were no DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

Cllr Meakin arrived.

- **13/25E** There were no **WRITTEN REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS.**
- 14/25E THE WRITTEN REPORT FROM THE ALLOTMENTS ASSOCIATION was noted.
- 15/25E THE WRITTEN REPORT FROM COLWICH AND HAYWOOD IN BLOOM was noted.
- **16/25E THE WRITTEN REPORT FROM THE HAYWOOD FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SHOW** was noted.
- **17/25E THE WRITTEN REPORT FROM THE HELP NATURE THRIVE GROUP** was deferred in the absence of Mr Hobbs.
- **18/25E** The latest works on the **PLATINUM GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE** were discussed. No revised plans had been received from the architect.

The Vice Chairman gave thanks to the Lengthsman for their work in managing the field.

Mr Hobbs arrived.

- **17/25E THE WRITTEN REPORT FROM THE HELP NATURE THRIVE GROUP** was noted.
- **19/25E DATE OF NEXT MEETING** to be 11th September 2025.

Meeting closed at 8:29pm