Lowestoft Town Council Assets, Inclusion and Development Committee

For the attention of all Committee Members

You are summoned to attend a meeting of the Assets, Inclusion and Development Committee of Lowestoft Town Council at 18:00 on 2 August 2021, at First Floor, Hamilton House, Battery Green Road, Lowestoft, Suffolk, NR32 1DE.

The meeting is open to the public and press to attend and those attending the meeting shall be informed that the meeting may be reported on (including recording, photographing and filming). This does not apply to confidential items. Comments can also be submitting regarding any item on the agenda in advance of the meeting. Members of the public can join the meeting remotely via the following link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81081790783. The meeting can also be observed via the following link: https://youtu.be/qPD3oZ8eZBI. In providing any comments members of the public accept that, where they are suitable, they may be considered at the meeting and published in our minutes. Any individual submitting the comments should ensure that their name, address and contact details are included in their communication and should note that anonymous submissions will not be accepted. Members of the public accept that their name may be noted and recorded at the meeting. However, their contact details will not be noted and reported publicly.

Councillors must register relevant interests and also declare them at a meeting if they have such an interest in a matter to be considered. Under the Localism Act 2011 a councillor with a **disclosable pecuniary interest** in a matter on the Agenda cannot take part or vote on that matter, unless they have been granted a dispensation. Under the Council's Code of Conduct a councillor must leave the meeting room if they have such an interest, unless they have been granted a dispensation. There may be other interests or matters in which councillors might be considered to be biased or predetermined in which cases they will need to consider whether they should be present.

The Council has a duty to pay due regard to preventing crime and disorder and to conserve biodiversity as part of relevant decisions.

To help prevent the spread of Covid-19, all attendees should bring their own refreshments, their own pen for signing in, and should dress appropriately given the need for increased ventilation on the site. Every person attending should make their own risk assessment of the advisability of attending and/or any measures they should take individually to ensure their safety.



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Meeting of the Assets, Inclusion and Development Committee

First Floor, Hamilton House, Battery Green Road, Lowestoft, Suffolk, NR32 1DE 18:00 on 2 August 2021 AGENDA

40. Welcome

To explain the fire evacuation procedure, welcome the meeting, and remind councillors and members of the public right to report.

- 41. To receive and consider acceptance of apologies for absence
- 42. Declarations of Interests and dispensations
 - 42.1. To receive Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary and Non-Pecuniary Interests from Councillors on items on the Agenda and to note that there are no written requests and grants of dispensations for Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
- 43. To consider the draft minutes of the meeting on 19 July 2021
- 44. Public forum

An opportunity for the public to make comments on any matters on this agenda, and to consider any advance comments from the public.

- 45. To monitor expenditure by this Committee and its Sub-Committees from their delegated budgets
- 46. To consider the following regarding parks and open spaces:
 - 46.1. Receiving any comments and noting the draft minutes of the Parks and Open Spaces Sub-Committee meeting on 20 July 2021
 - 46.2. Confirming budgets for bulb planting in 2021 2022 and how to progress planting
 - 46.3. Noting the cost of planning permission to install new windows at the Kensington Gardens bowls pavilion
 - 46.4. A request to install a gate at the Howley Gardens entrance to the Parkhill play area
- 47. To consider granting approval for the Climate Emergency and Ecological Committee to explore creating a community garden and orchard at Clarkes Lane
- 48. To consider how to make financial and other support for community volunteer activities more accessible and streamlined, without compromising on safety and safeguarding
- 49. To consider the East Suffolk Council consultation on the draft South Lowestoft and Kirkley Conservation Area Appraisal and Management Plan
- 50. To receive an update on the refurbishment of the Sparrows Nest and Fen Park public conveniences
- 51. To consider a request for sale/transfer of land at Uplands (confidential)
- 52. To consider a request for sale/transfer of land at Britten Road (confidential)
- 53. Date of the next meeting

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- 54. Items for the next agenda and close
- 55. To resolve that under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the public be excluded from the meeting on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, namely any legal issues relating to the matters on this agenda:
 - 55.1. To consider any legal issues, including those above as required