

Strategy and Finance Committee Agenda 14th June 2022

Jackie Burgess, Town Clerk

To Councillors: James Alexander, Paul Bidwell, Gill Birch, Jennie Green, Diana Henfrey, Isabel Mattick, Sanjeev Prasad, **Chris Turrell**.

Substitutes Councillors: Cllrs Marc Brunel-Walker, Kathryn Neil, Dai Roberts, Mary Temperton.

Dear Councillors,

You are required to attend this meeting of the Environmental Services Committee on 24th May 2022 at 7.30pm in the Council Chamber at Brooke House. In order for decisions to be made at this meeting, Officers require the attendance of a minimum of 5 Councillors to be present in person to meet the quorum. Councillors may attend virtually, but please note that votes and attendance from virtual attendees will not count.

The meeting is open to the press and the public, either in person or virtually via MS Teams.

Yours sincerely,

Jackie Burgess

Town Clerk

Agenda

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1	To Receive Apologies
2	Declarations of Interest
	2.1 To receive declarations of interest from Councillors on items on the agenda
	2.2 To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if any)
	2.3 To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate
3	Minutes
	To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held 29 th March 2022 and 10 th May
	2022 - papers attached
4	Matters Arising from the Minutes
	SF1076 Birch Hill Toilets – To receive an update from the Town Clerk
	SF1172 Open Spaces Leases -The leases have been received and the Town Clerk will give an
	update at the meeting
	SF1325 Play Area Working Group – The first meeting of the working Group is scheduled for 19 th
	July in the meantime all Councillors are encourage to visit Bracknell Town Council play areas
5	Internal Auditors Report 2021/22
	To review the Internal Auditors reports for the Year to 31st March 2022 (papers attached)
6	Annual Governance Accountability Return (AGAR)
	The Committee is requested to review the Annual Return for 2021/22. If Committee is in
	agreement with the report to recommend the report to Full Council for signing on 28 th June by
	the Town Mayor before being submitted to the External Auditors. Please contact the Town
	Clerk before the meeting if you have any queries. (papers attached)
7	Financial Statement 2021/22



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Councillors are requested to review the Financial Statement 2021/22. If approved to
recommend the report to Full Council to be ratified on 28 th June and signed by the Town
Mayor. Please contact the Town Clerk before the meeting if you have any queries. (papers
attached)
Financial Regulations
To review the Financial Regulations – (papers attached) no changes have been made
Standing Orders
To review the Standing Orders – (papers attached) changes have been highlighted in the
document
Draft IT Policy
To note the IT policy is being updated and will be brought to a future meeting
Budget Monitoring Working Group
To receive an update from the Chair of the Budget Monitoring Working Group
Community Events Working Group
To receive an update from the Chair of the Community Events Working Group
CIL
To Review and recommend the Annual CIL Report for 2021/22 to Full Council and to approve
any new ideas for CIL funding (papers attached 2022/23 CIL report)
Terms of Reference
To review the Terms of Reference (papers attached)
Credit Card
The Town Clerk would like to request a named credit card with a low limit for the Office
Manager to enable small but integral purchases when the Town Clerk is out of the office
Confidential
To move that in view of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, that pursuant
to Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, as applied by Section
100 of the Local Government Act 1972, Members of the Press and Public be excluded from the
meeting.
South Hill Park Report
The CEO of South Hill Park will report on the financial year of 2021/22
Insurance Claim
To receive an update from the Town Clerk

Date of the next Meeting: 27th September 2022 at 7.30pm

Notes on Declaration of Interest

Members are requested to declare any personal interests. Any Member with a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in a matter should withdraw from the meeting when the matter is under consideration and should notify the Town Clerk that they are withdrawing as they have such an interest. If the Disclosable Pecuniary Interest is not entered on the register of Members interests the Monitoring Officer must be notified of the interest within 28 days. It is not practical to offer detailed advice during the meeting on whether or not a personal interest should be declared, or whether a personal interest should be regarded as a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest. Members are advised to seek the advice of the Clerk well before the meeting as it may be necessary to refer the matter to the Monitoring Officer for a decision.