

**9 JANUARY 2008
FAWLEY PARISH COUNCIL**

AMENITIES COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting of the Amenities Committee held on Wednesday 9 January 2008 at approximately 7.15 pm, following the Extraordinary Council Meeting in the Jubilee Hall, Fawley.

p Cllr M Fidler (Chairman)
p Cllr Mrs K Lord (Vice Chairman)

Present:

p	Cllr Mrs M Alderman		Cllr Mrs S Courtney
p	Cllr A T Glass	p	Cllr E Holtham
p	Cllr Mrs S Read		

In Attendance:

Cllr L Dunsdon
Cllr Mrs K Lord
Cllr Mrs B Maynard
Cllr Mrs S Read

Margaret Bernard, Clerk to the Council
Kevin Loble, Centre Manager
Sue King, Minute Clerk
1 Member of the Public

40. Apologies

Apology was received from Cllr Mrs S Courtney

41. Declaration of Interest:

The Council members attending the meeting declared a non-prejudicial interest in Planning Application Number 07/91390 and submitted no comment thereon, as a member of staff had applied for this planning application.

42. Minutes

It was **RESOLVED** that the minutes of the meeting held on 7 November 2008 be signed as a true record.

PUBLIC SESSION:

Mr Doug Eaglen informed the Council of an accident which had just occurred on the junction of Calshot Road, Fawley. He stated that the layout and the markings on the road, which is situated on a bend on the main road leading to Calshot, is causing too many dangerous dilemmas. The lack of lighting, overtaking and speeding, are causing further problems to this junction. Following discussion it was agreed that a letter from the Council supporting an investigation into the location be sent to Hampshire County Council. Cllr Dunsdon also stated that he would request that Hampshire County Council look into the problems to prevent any further accidents. Mr Eaglen also requested that 20mph be introduced in the Village.

43. Chairman's Remarks.

The Centre Manager had issued his report (Copy attached).

It was agreed that the proposed tenders relating to the building of the new QEII pavilion be referred to the next Policy, Resources and Personnel meeting.

The Council **RESOLVED** to go ahead with the disposal of the equipment situated in the Sauna and Steam room and to reinstate it to a changing room.

44. a) Parish List

It was RESOLVED that the comments made on the Planning Applications appearing in the following list be forwarded to District Council.

07/91177 Istem Technologies Site,
3 Industrial Units (amended plans)
Hardley Industrial Estate
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

07/91203 'Waybak' Exbury Road Blackfield
Single-storey extension; dormers and
Roof alterations
The Council **AGREE** to accept the opinion of the planning officers.

07/91363 Blue Anchor House, The Square
The Square, Fawley
Single-storey rear extension.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

07/91364 Blue Anchor House, The Square,
Single-storey rear extension
(application for listed building)
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

07/91405 93-95 Long Lane, Holbury
Internally illuminated vinyl fascia signs.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

- 07/91407 Primesight Ltd, 150 Hampton Lane
Retention of 1 double sided free
standing internally illuminated display unit.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.
- 07/91413 21 Walkers Lane South Blackfield
Single storey side extension.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.
- 07/91290 4 Foxglade Blackfield
Single storey side and rear extension;
first floor rear extension; new window in side elevation.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.
- 07/91380 19 Dane Close, Blackfield
Single storey front extension; garage
conversion, rear conservatory.
The Council **AGREE** to accept the opinion of the planning officers.
- 07/91390 93 – 95 Long Lane
Use as A2
The Council **AGREE** to accept the opinion of the planning officers.

(b) Hampshire County Council:

Pyros Environmental Ltd New Compressor House for a 'waste to energy' facility.
Fawley Site, Charleston Road Hardley.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

(c) New Forest National Park:

07/92341 Stanswood Farm, Stanswood Road Fawley
Re-development and extension of former
dairy building to form office accommodation.
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

07/92342 Stanswood Farm, Stanswood Road
re-development and extension of former Fawley
dairy buildings (application for listed building).
The Council **SUPPORT** this application.

To Note: Planning Refusal App. No 07/91391 Hampshire Turf, Northern
Access Road, Fawley.

This Planning Refusal was noted.

45. Monthly Sales Values for October and November 2007.
Following discussion, the monthly sales values for August and September 2007 were noted and agreed. It was requested that further details of item 36 'Grazing' be obtained.

46. Correspondence: (All documents are present at the meeting and available at the office.)

a) For Response:

i) Invitation from Hampshire Association of Local Councils to training events for Councillors: on Representing and Leading Communities, Partnership Working and Community Engagement, and Core Skills for Councillors: No places were booked.

It was noted that a Training Session for Councillors would be held at Jubilee Hall on Wednesday 20 February at 7.00pm, to include compliance with the Code of Conduct and the production of Community Plans.

ii) Draft for consultation relating to Creating Strong, Safe and Prosperous Communities Statutory Guidance.

The Clerk was given delegated authority to reply to this consultation.

iii) Invite to attend The New Forest Community Safety Partnership covering the present and possible future work to tackle anti-social, criminal and disorderly behaviour. The Conference will be held in the Conference Suite at Calshot Activities Centre on 6 March 2008 from 9.30 to 16.00 hours. There is no charge for this event.

A number of Councillors agreed to attend and accordingly it was decided that the Agenda together with the Booking Form be forwarded to the Councillors for completion and return.

b) For Information:

i) Action News Update / Community Action Hampshire
Noted

c) Documents:

i) Fieldwork Booklet from Campaign to Protect Rural England.
Noted

47. Date of Next Meeting 27 February 2008.

The meeting closed at 7.50 pm.

Chairman