

BILLERICAY TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the Health, Well-Being and Environment Committee meeting
held in the Council Chamber, The Chantry Centre, Chantry Way, CM11 2AP
on Tuesday 14th January 2025 at 7.00pm

Chairman: Cllr M Moore
Vice Chairman: Cllr K Mordecai
Councillors: P Bunyan, E Davies, M Dear, K Herlock, G Talbot, M Thomas, J Tutton

Also in attendance: the Town Clerk

63. Apologies for absence

Cllr A Adshead

64. Declarations of interest with regard to items on the Agenda

None.

65. Public Participation session with respect to items on the Agenda

None.

66. Minutes of the Health, Well-being and Environment Committee held on Tuesday 19th November 2024

Members received and considered the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 19th November 2024.

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting be approved as a true and accurate record and signed by the Chairman.

67. Health, Well-Being & Environment Committee Accounts

Members received and considered the following:

(a) a copy of the accounts in respect of the Health, Well-Being and Environment Committee from 1st April 2024 to 8th January 2025.

RESOLVED: (a) information noted.

68. Working Parties and Project Groups

Members received and considered the following minutes:

(a) Events Working Party held on 13th January 2025. Cllr Mordecai, Chair of the Working Party, advised those present that a VE-Day 80 event on 8th May is being organised along with a WWII themed exhibition in the Chantry Centre on 10th and 11th May. Due to concerns about health and safety issues plus costs it has been decided not to have fireworks after the beacon lighting. Further discussion on how the working party can promote and market the Chantry Centre has been deferred until after VE-Day 80.

RESOLVED: (a) information noted.

69. Community Open Day

Members were advised that this is taking place on Saturday 22nd March 2025 between 10am and 3pm and around 25 community groups will be in attendance. Town Councillors are needed to attend on the day and help put everything away. Cllrs Herlock, May, Talbot and Thomas volunteered to support the event.

RESOLVED: information noted.

70. Items for Information

Members received the following:

(a) Tree Wardens November minutes and interim newsletter. Cllr May advised members that the postponed High Street tree giveaway will be taking place on Saturday 18th January 2025.

(b) Essex Highways – Love Your Bus Grant fund launched on 20th December 2024.

RESOLVED: information noted.

71. Items for Consideration for Social Media/Press Release

- Community Open Day

72. Questions from the Press and Public

The Chairman closed the meeting at 7.07pm.

Cllr M Moore – Chairman of the Committee

Chairman:..... Date: