



**MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON
25th MARCH 2019 AT 7.00PM**

MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE PRESENT: Cllrs Mrs M Barry (Chairman), Mrs J Layton, M Brown, R Jones

OTHER MEMBERS PRESENT None

ALSO PRESENT: Mrs L Murphy (Clerk & RFO)

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: Cllrs A Limb, E Cubley, J Handley, Mrs M Handley, Mrs B Willimott, R Willimott

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DETAILS</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
31	<u>Declarations of interest</u> Cllr Brown declared an interest in agenda item 4 being a member of the Planning Committee at Broxtowe Borough Council.	
32	<u>To approve the minutes of the meeting 25th February 2019</u> The minutes of the meeting held on 25 th February 2019 had been previously circulated and were approved and signed by the Chairman.	
33	<u>To discuss planning applications</u> The Chairman advised that an application reference 19/00160/ROC had been submitted by Giltbrook Retail Park to vary the delivery times for unit 5. A discussion took place and the Chairman stated that she felt that any amendment to the already agreed delivery times would impact on the residents of Giltbrook estate whose properties back on to the retail park. She went on to propose that the Parish Council put in an objection to any amendments to the already agreed delivery times. The proposal was not seconded and it was agreed that no objection would be made.	
34	<u>To update/discuss refurbishment works to Beauvale Jubilee Park</u> The Clerk advised that the tree stump had been removed from the Dovecote Road entrance to the park and all remaining equipment had been cleaned and repainted. A site meeting would be taking place with Kompan on 26 th March 2019 and they would be starting works on site for the installation of 2 new pieces of equipment, all new safety surfacing and 3 new picnic benches on 1 st April 2019. She went on to state that current practice has been not to lock the park overnight but once works are completed she would like to now see it locked by the Sports & Community Centre staff. Monday to Friday would not present any problems as the Centre is open until either 9.00pm or 10.00pm but Saturday and Sunday could be more difficult as the Centre currently closes at 7.00pm on both days throughout the Winter but 5.00pm on Saturdays during the Summer. Bank holidays could also present a problem when the Centre closes for the whole day. She explained that a member of the Centre staff could be asked to return to close the park over the Summer on Saturdays and to open and close on Bank Holidays and suggested that a payment of £25.00 per time would be appropriate. Following a discussion it was agreed that the park would be open Monday to Friday from 8.00am to 8.00pm and Saturday and Sunday 8.00am to 7.00pm throughout the Summer for a trial period and that Winter would be subject to change. It was also agreed that a payment of £25.00 would be made. The Clerk then went on to state that she was currently looking at planning an official opening event and was looking at 16 th April 2019 at 11.00am. Invitations would be sent to all Parish Councillors, representatives of Kompan, the mayor of Broxtowe and Tim Crawford (Broxtowe Borough Council) along with the Borough and County Councillors for Greasley and the Broxtowe MP. This was agreed and members suggested having an egg hunt on the park and children's activities in the Parish Hall.	Clerk

The meeting closed at 7.25pm

Chairman