

**Non Exempt Minutes of the Community Centre Sub-Committee held in The
Fleming Room, The Manor House, Church Street, Littlehampton BN17 5EW on
14 November 2023 at 4 pm**

Present:

Councillor Tandy - Chair
Councillor Blanchard-Cooper
Councillor May
Councillor Long
Councillor Wiltshire

In attendance:

Town Council Officers:
Laura Chrysostomou, Town Clerk
Juliet Harris, Assistant Town Clerk
Felix Gillett, Community Resources Officer
Representatives from the Agent BAQUS:
Richard Allin BSc (Hons) MRICS, BAQUS
Chris Luck BSc (Hons) MRICS, BAQUS
Harrison Bickmore, BAQUS

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11. Evacuation Procedures

The procedures were noted.

12. Filming of Council Meetings, Use of Social Media and Mobile Phones

The procedures were noted.

13. Apologies

There were no apologies.

14. Declarations of interest

Members and Officers were reminded to make any declarations of disclosable, pecuniary, or personal and or prejudicial interests that they might have in relation to items on the Agenda. The standing declarations were noted, and no further declarations were made at this point.

15. Chair's Report and Urgent Items

There were none.

16. Minutes

The Minutes of the meeting held on 21 August 2023, previously circulated, were confirmed as a true record and signed by the chair.

17. Public Forum

There were no members of the public present and no representations.

18. Exempt Business

It was resolved that:

The public and accredited representatives of the press be excluded from the Meeting under Section 100 Local Government Act 1972 due to the confidential nature of the business to be conducted.

This item was confidential for Members of the Council only in accordance with Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, being information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person.

The Sub Committee adjourned at 4.06pm.

Summary of Confidential Matters Discussed in Exempt Business

The Sub Committee reconvened at 4.08pm.

19. North Littlehampton Community Centre Design Review

- 19.1. The Sub-Committee had before it a confidential report, previously circulated to Members of the Sub-Committee only, which set out information on the feasibility work undertaken to date by the Town Council's Agent. Earlier that afternoon the Sub Committee had also undertaken a site visit to the Hampton Park Development to view the area allocated for the community centre facility under the outline planning consent.
- 19.2. Following a lengthy and detailed discussion, the Sub Committee concluded that further work was required to inform the business case and better understand the resources needed to deliver the Centre. It was noted that a further meeting of the Sub Committee would be convened when this information was available and an oral update on progress would be given to Council on 23 November 2023.

It was therefore resolved that:

The contents of the confidential report be noted, and that feasibility work continues.

The meeting closed at 5.45 pm.