

**HEDGE END TOWN COUNCIL - MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE HIGHWAYS & PLANNING  
COMMITTEE HELD 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER, 2011**

**Councillors Present:** Cllr. Margaret Allingham, Cllr. Cynthia Garton (Chair), Cllr. Peter Hughes, Cllr. Shankerlal Sthankiya, Cllr. June Watson, Cllr. Jane Welsh, Cllr. Ray Worley

**H40 Apologies: Cllr. Helen Corben**

With effect from the close of business hours today, all communications have been checked for the receipt of apologies.

**H41 Minutes & Matters Arising  
Meetings of 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2011**

H35, Support Team, Direct Services confirm that Job Tickets have been raised for footpath clearance of Freegrounds Avenue and the village centre. Noted.

H35, works to stabilise the Village Centre Notice Board were undertaken today and the grounds staff advise that the board is in very poor condition and needs urgent replacement.

**The clerk is instructed to refer this matter to the Recreation & Amenities Committee.**

H35, unfortunately lamp No.7, Freegrounds Avenue could not be relocated, to relieve obstruction, due to underground services. It has, therefore, been removed and repositioned directly opposite its former location. Noted.

The minutes were approved and signed by the Chairman.

**H42 Correspondence:**

- i) Receipt of the first draft of the Eastleigh Borough Local Plan 2011 – 2029 approved for public consultation. Closing date for comments is 3<sup>rd</sup> January, 2012. Noted.
- ii) Planning Policy & Design News, October, 2011 Noted.
- iii) Planning for Minerals & Waste, October, 2011 Noted.
- iv) Notification of appeal re 23, Gresley Gardens for the proposed development of a detached shed/workshop. Noted.
- v) Notification from Jon Riddell that HEWEB members were supportive of the renewal of the St. Catherine's View bus shelter. He understands that there are advanced negotiations with developers and a local contribution may soon be earmarked to enable this shelter to be replaced and will ensure that HETC is kept informed if funding is confirmed. Noted.
- vi) Notification of emergency restrictions at the junction of Shamblehurst Lane South and Grange Road, requested by HCC and are arising due to a problem with the traffic lights. Work will be undertaken from 8.00 p.m. to 6.00 a.m. on 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2011. Noted.
- vii) Eastleigh Directory of Highway Works November, 2011. Noted.
- viii) Formal Notice of Tree Preservation Order No.711 – land to rear of Chalice Court. Noted.

**H43 Planning Applications:**

T/11/69815, 19, Mallow Road. Crown lift by 4m, remove selected small diameter limbs and

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crown thin by 30% of one Oak (O2). **Resolved: The Committee will accept the recommendations of the Borough Tree Officer.**

T/11/69787, The Grange, 72, Upper Northam Road. Crown lift and crown reduction of one Oak. **Resolved: The Committee will accept the recommendations of the Borough Tree Officer.**

F/11/69773, 31, Upper St. Helens Road. Single storey rear extension, following demolition of existing conservatory. **Resolved: No objection.**

**H44 Highway Matters:**

Brick planters in the centre of the village have been cleared, however, members were informed that HCC intend to remove the planters as part of a regeneration scheme for the immediate area with the inclusion of a feature and cycle track .

Members considered a request for 30 mph signage in Upper Northam Road, but agreed that this is a built-up area with advisory within the Highway Code to the effect that where Street Lighting is placed at less than 200 yard intervals the maximum speed is 30 mph.

A report has been received that motorists are not observing the "No Entry" restriction posted at the service road to the Lower Northam Road Shopping Parade. **The clerk is instructed to request both Police and EBC Warden monitoring.**

The Litter Bin located outside the Railway Station has been removed due to vandalism and needs replacing.

A Litter Bin should be installed as a priority to the Teen Shelter at Dowd's Farm Urban Park.

**H45 All members of the public and press are requested to leave the meeting Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960**

None present.

**H46 Exempt Business**

*Matters concerning enforcement issues were discussed.*