

HINCKLEY AND BOSWORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL

HINCKLEY AREA COMMITTEE

19 MARCH 2024 AT 6.30 PM

PRESENT: Cllr C Gibbens - Chair
Cllr LJ Mullaney – Vice-Chair
Cllr SL Bray, Cllr SM Gibbens, Cllr L Hodgkins, Cllr KWP Lynch, Cllr J Moore,
Cllr MT Mullaney and Cllr A Pendlebury

Officers in attendance: Rebecca Owen, Caroline Roffey and Ashley Wilson

318. **Apologies for absence**

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillor Cope.

319. **Minutes of the previous meeting**

It was moved by Councillor S Gibbens, seconded by Councillor Hodgkins and

RESOLVED – the minutes of the meeting held on 13 September 2023 be confirmed as a correct record.

320. **Declarations of interest**

No interests in matters that were on the agenda for discussion were declared.

321. **Hinckley Area Committee budget 2024/25**

The committee received the draft revenue budget and council tax for 2024/25. It was noted that there was no increase in the special expenses (Hinckley area) element of council tax.

It was moved by Councillor Bray and seconded by Councillor Pendlebury that two additional requests for funding from reserves be agreed - £500 towards a defibrillator at the Ashby Tavern and £250 towards a street party at the Wykin Club. Upon being put to the vote, the motion was CARRIED and it was

RESOLVED –

- (i) The revenue and capital budgets and council tax for 2024/25 be endorsed;
- (ii) The fees and charges for 2024/25 be endorsed;
- (iii) £500 be granted to the Ashby Tavern towards a defibrillator;
- (iv) £250 be granted to the Wykin Club towards a street party.

322. Support funding for new Proms in the Park event 2024

Consideration was given to a request for funding to host Proms in the Park on Saturday, 8 June 2024. Whilst members were in support of the request, they asked that every effort be made to obtain sponsorship for the various elements of the event. It was moved by Councillor Bray, seconded by Councillor S Gibbens and

RESOLVED –

- (i) Funding of £11,500 to support the delivery of Proms in the Park 2024 be approved;
- (ii) Every effort be made to obtain sponsorship for the event.

(The Meeting closed at 6.46 pm)

CHAIR