MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF THE AMENITIES COMMITTEE HELD ON MONDAY 26th February 2024 AT 7:00PM IN THE COLYTON TOWN HALL.

Present: Cllrs Mann, Clifford, Stenning, Parr, Hay, Chesterton and Gardiner. Also S Haines (clerk) **Members of public:** 0

A24/02/87 To receive and accept apologies for absence. Cllrs Real, Turner and Arnott. A24/02/88 Minutes of the meeting held Monday 22nd January (appendix Z) to be approved. Cllr Stenning proposed these be approved, seconded by Cllr Parr and agreed by all.

A24/02/89 Matters arising from the Minutes. None.

A24/02/90 Declarations of interest. None.

A24/02/91 Democratic Period. No members of public present to speak.

A24/02/92 Cars parking on Road Green. Cllr Clifford reported that quite a few cars are parking on the Green whilst it is wet and it is getting very boggy and proposed the Council put some polite signs up asking cars not to park on the Green. Cllr Chesterton volunteered to get some prices for the signs. A24/02/93 Request from funeral director – they have been asked if an ashes plot could be purchased and a memorial erected but ashes not to be interred. The Council did not see an issue with this and

would charge for the Exclusive Rights for the plot and the cost of the memorial.

A24/02/94 Letter from a resident regarding the verge opposite the cemetery. The clerk has explained that the land does not belong to the Colyton Parish Council and so therefore it could not tend to the grounds. The resident has produced a document from 1968 which states that EDDC agreed to take over the land from the developer and would see to any future maintenance. The clerk has forwarded this document on to EDDC Street scene team who are looking into it.

A24/02/95 Request from Youth Football to purchase a 10ft container to be situated under the steps of the bottom car park at the PMPF. Cllr Stenning proposed this be allowed under the following conditions – the container is properly insured as it is highly likely that children will climb on it and this should be the responsibility of Youth Football. The container should be painted green to match the RSYC and that they double check that there is room for the equipment to be taken in and out of the container. This was seconded by Cllr Parr and agreed by all.

A24/02/96 Items bought to the Chairs attention after the agenda was published to be noted.

Bus shelter at Coly Vale – possibly beyond repair this will be on the next agenda.

Cllr Hay asked that the issue of the lighting in the car park be placed on the next agenda. Cllr Hay informed the Council that he has a meeting with South West Water regarding the sewage pipes and he will update the Council.

A24/02/97 Date of next Meetings,

Full CPC Meeting – Monday 11th March Committees meeting – Monday 25th March.

Meeting closed: 19:35.