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**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON
RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES HELD ON
THURSDAY 30TH NOVEMBER 2017
AT THE SPORTS PAVILION**

PRESENT: Cllrs Henly (Chairman), Bignell, Clarke, Court, Hare, Lawson & Qusted

REPRESENTATIVES: Mr M Woolgar (Cricket Club), Mr T Reilly (Pulborough Football Club (PFC), Mr M Walsh (Snooker Club) & Sports & Social Club (S&SC), Mr D Greenfield & Mr B Vincent (S&SC).

IN ATTENDANCE: Mrs L Underwood (Deputy Clerk) and 1 member of the public.

The official meeting opened at 7.30pm after discussions regarding the Sports Pavilion draft plans, taking place from 7pm.

17. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies had been received from Mr & Mrs Nunns (Allotments).

18. MINUTES

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 12th October 2017 were received, agreed and signed as an accurate record.

19. SPORTS PAVILION DRAFT PLANS

Members and representatives received the draft plans for the sports pavilion. During the discussions, regarding the draft plans, the following comments were made:

- The cellar needs to be bigger.
- The pressure needed to pump beer up to the first floor will need to be addressed.
- There needs to be toilets upstairs.
- The bar area is not big enough.
- 4 changing rooms are required for when multiple sports teams are playing at the same time.
- Representatives felt that the plans were more focused on the sports clubs, rather than the social club. Members explained that when discussions first took place for getting these draft plans drawn up, the social club was going through a difficult time financially and it was uncertain as to the future of the social club, so the focus was more on the sports clubs. However, Members acknowledged that the social club has made significant improvements since these first discussions.

It was felt that there was not enough time discuss all of the comments at this meeting, so, Members asked the representatives present to send a list of the minimum 'must haves', including dimensions and 'nice to haves' and send to the Parish Office by Thursday 7th December 2017 for consideration by the Sports Pavilion Development Working Group. The Cricket Club gave a copy of their list to the Deputy Clerk at the meeting.

20. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for 11th January 2018.

The meeting closed at 7.56pm

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