STILTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Amenities Management committee meeting that took place on Tuesday 16 June 2026 - held at the Church Meeting Room, Stilton at 7.30pm.

Present:

Councillors: Murtagh (Chairman), Ayres, Graham, J Leonard, O Leonard, McCullough and Mitchell

Clerk: Lawrence

Others: None

AMC01/06/26 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

No apologies for absence had been received. Cllr Green was not present.

AMC02/06/26 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST/DISPENSATIONS

No Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary and Other Interests, as set out in Chapter 7 of the Localism Act 2011 were received nor dispensations requested or awarded.

AMC03/06/26 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

No members of the public were present.

AMC04/06/26 MINUTES

The Minutes of the Amenities Management committee meeting held on Tuesday 3 March 2026 were recorded as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

AMC05/06/26 PLAY AREA/SKATE PARK ANNUAL INSPECTIONS

The annual Play Safety reports were acknowledged and works needed considered. Skate Park repairs have already been put in place (Radii Ramps).

Resolved

AMC05/06/26.1 Clerk to source quotes for surfacing requirements as highlighted on the reports

AMC05/06/26.2 Caretakers to use Community Field spoil soil and grass seed to address fixed goal surfacing issues (1 goal to be reseeded at a time while the other is barriered off)

AMC05/06/26.3 Clerk to speak with Fenland Leisure regarding carousel gap solutions

AMC05/06/26.4 Asset replacement finance needs to be addressed and included within budgeting requirements

AMC05/06/26.5 Glockenspiel manufacturers to be contacted regarding correct displayed information.

AMC06/06/26 GRAVE SURVEY

The recent grave survey was considered re memorials needing works.

Resolved

Clerk to contact holders of Exclusive Rights of Memorial for those in need of repair and provide a price from Fenland Stoneworks for the works needed.

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AMC07/06/26 TREE SURVEY

The whole village tree survey was considered and the leaning Cemetery Sequoia discussed.

Resolved

AMC07/06/26.1 Clerk to source quotes for works needed from Global Tree Solutions Ltd and John Griffin Tree Surgeon for all tree works under SPC responsibility

AMC07/06/26.2 A price to remove the Cemetery Sequoia to be generated alongside a price for carving of the stump

AMC07/06/26.3 Information on survey trees works falling under Huntingdonshire District Council and Cambridgeshire County Council responsibility to be forwarded

AMC07/06/26.4 Parish Online to be utilised to show village trees (Cllr Graham to look into and the Clerk to research how to add to the website).

AMC08/06/26 GREEN SPACES

Consideration into additional planting needs in open spaces/verges around the village, particularly in areas where recently planted trees have died to be looked into further after a Green Spaces Working Group meeting has taken place.

AMC09/06/26 SKATE PARK REPLACEMENT

The Clerk provided an update regarding an on-site meeting - no success yet but continuing. Cllr Graham to survey the land to enable appropriate sizing to be known re a replacement skate park and possible car park, or master plan to be drawn up.

Meeting closed: 20:59

Next meeting – Tuesday 1 September 2026 at 7.30pm

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