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Task and Finish Group - Fair Space

Thursday, 16th November, 2023 at 4.00 pm Penn Room, Parkside and via Remote Access

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Councillors: Sam Bateman Mike Wood

Nigel Emery

You are summoned to the meeting to transact the following business

Jane Eaton Chief Executive

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1. Appointment of Chairman

To appoint a Chairman for the Task and Finish Group

2. Apologies for absence

To receive any apologies for absence

3. Declaration of Members' Interests

To receive any declarations of interest from members of the Task and Finish Group

4. Approval of Terms of Reference

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To approve the Task and Finish Group's Terms of Reference

Next steps

To hear from the Director of Communities, the Head of Strategic Planning and a Senior Planning Officer in relation to the following policies:

Built Sports Facility Strategy 2017 to 2031

- Green Infrastructure Strategy (April 2014)
- Horsham District Planning Framework (November 2015)
- Open Space, Sport and Recreation Review (June 2021)
- Open Space, Sport and Recreation Review Non-Technical Summary Paper (June 2021)
- Playing Pitch Strategy 2018 to 2031
 - Strategy Document
 - Needs Assessment
- Sport and Physical Activity Strategy 2016 to 2031

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Terms of Reference:

- 1) Identify policies that will be subject to detailed review on the basis of sexbased equality and inclusivity.
- 2) Gather data to determine public perceptions and impacts of current public space provision in terms of sex-based inclusivity.
- 3) Identify the needs and wants of older girls and teenagers (aged 12 to 17) in terms of outside space and leisure provision.
- 4) Create new policy to sit alongside existing policies. New policy will help shape the provision of outdoor space and leisure facilities going forward. Where prudent, existing policies (from 1) due for renewal will be updated to incorporate the new policy.



Agenda Annex

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