

# **HAXBY TOWN COUNCIL**

**The Memorial Hall, The Village, Haxby YO32 3HT**

**Minutes of a meeting of the Amenities Committee held on 11 May 2026 at 5pm in the Haxby Town Council office, Memorial Hall, The Village, Haxby.**

**Present:** Cllr R. Pearson (chairman)  
Cllr J. Secker  
Cllr G. Stow

**Also present:** Alan Draper (town clerk).

## **A121/2025 Apologies for absence**

**RESOLVED** that apologies and the reason for absence were received and accepted from Cllr C. Layfield.

## **A122/2025 Chairman's welcome**

The chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

## **A123/2025 Declarations of Interest**

**RESOLVED** to note there were no declarations of interest under consideration on this agenda in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000 Part III and the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012.

## **A124/2025 Public question time and participation**

No issues were raised.

## **A125/2025 Minutes of the previous meeting**

**RESOLVED** to approve and confirm the minutes of the previous meeting held on 13 April 2026.

## **A126/2025 Ethel Ward playing field and pavilion**

### **a) Informal working party to assist with fundraising for the Ethel Ward site**

**RESOLVED** to reaffirm that the tenders submitted for the court re-surfacing will be considered at the Amenities Committee meeting on 1 June 2026.

### **b) Request from North Yorkshire Police and Inspire Youth to hold a 'pop up' youth club at the Ethel Ward site**

**RESOLVED** to approve the request from North Yorkshire Police and Inspire Youth to hold a 'pop up' youth club at the Ethel Ward site

### **c) Wildflower area**

**RESOLVED** that due to it being the end of season for planting wildflowers, the matter be revisited in due course for next year.

## **A127/2025 Planters**

**RESOLVED** to reaffirm the previously agreed locations for the planters on The Village.

## **A128/2025 Allotments**

### **a) Update on the allotments**

**RESOLVED** that the recommendations within the allotments officer's report be approved.

**b) Request regarding a garden shed**

**RESOLVED** to approve the request to erect a garden shed with a maximum height of six feet.

**A129/2025 Next meeting**

**RESOLVED** that the next meeting of the committee will be held on 1 June 2026.

The meeting closed at 5.25pm.

Signed ..... Date .....  
Chairman