Heath Hayes & Wimblebury Parish Council Opens Spaces & Sustainability Committee Meeting Wednesday, 17th January 2024 at 6.15pm Hayes Green Community Centre

Present: Cllrs E Aston, P Haden & A Fitzgerald

In Attendance

Parish Clerk: Mrs L Bowman Friends of Heath Hayes Park

- 1. Apologies Apologies received from Cllr Aston, M Buttery, J Preece & S Thompson.
- To Approve the Minutes of the Open Spaces meeting held on the 18th October 2023. The minutes of the meeting held on the 18th October 2023 were approved as a true record.
- 3. Update of works completed since the last meeting.
 - Trimmed Hedges on Hayes Way.



Weeded around bollards and curbs.



• Weeded around the bus stops on Hayes Way and Brickworks Island.



• Mowed Arthur Street and weeded.



• Cleared weeds from Hednesford Road.



• Cleared path at the rear of the library car park and alley.



• Cut back bushes off St Lawrence Drive.



• Cleaned and painted Wimblebury Memorial.



• Cut back bushes on Hayes Way.



• Cut back bushes on Chichester Drive & Meadow Way road and alley.



• Litter picked on the field off Hemlock Way.



• Cleared Gorsemoor Park & Primrose Meadow alley way and paths off the estate.



• Edgemoor Meadow cut back the bushes along the path.



• Cut hedge opposite the Community Life Church.



• Cleared pavement in front of Heath Hayes Academy and emptied bins, Bank Street had still been misused.



• Cleared Paths of Moss and Grass bottom of John Street.



• Kent Place winter clear up.



- 4. Areas of improvement required within the Parish.
 - Councillors to provide photographic evidence of other areas requiring attention.
 Hopton Meadow and Meadow Way street signs required cleaning, litter pick the alley off Asquith Drive, litter pick along the Cannock Road, Newhall Farm side of the road.
- 5. Best Kept Village Community Competition
 - Friends of Heath Hayes Park would take the lead on entering the Best Kept Village Community Competition with the support of the Parish Council.
- 6. Litter Picking
 - Date to be confirmed, the committee agreed to wait until the weather improved and would invite the Scouts, Brownies and local school to join Councillors.
- 7. Items for Information or Future Agenda's
 - Best Kept Village Community Competition
- 8. Date of Next Meeting 20th March 2024 at 9.30am

Signed:

Dated: