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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE RECREATION GROUND COMMITTEE OF YARMOUTH TOWN COUNCIL HELD AT CHOYD ON THURSDAY 19th JANUARY 2023 at 11:00am.

Present: Deputy Mayor Rod Corbett, Cllr Peter Cronin, Martyn Collinson, Peter Scott

In attendance: Brian Jacobs

1. Apologies

There were no apologies

2. Minutes of the meeting 3/11/22

RESOLVED: To accept the minutes of the meeting of 3/11/22

3. Matters arising from the last minutes

It was noted that the Clerk had made no progress in contacting Nigel Early in spite of several attempts.

All other matters arising were dealt with under the headings below

4. Pavilion

Martyn advised that, because of changing the specifications of the proposed Pavilion to accommodate all suggestions, the estimated cost had risen to £22K. As this was outside the original budget, the view was advanced that costs could be

reduced by having a smaller canopy. In any case, it might be necessary to postpone the project until 2024 because of financial constraints. Other local funding sources were discussed.

5. Additional facilities for Rec Ground

Goalposts: It was noted that the supplier selected (Broxap) have been taken over by Stadia Sports, who had advised an alternative product. It was RESOLVED to accept their recommendation and proceed with the order.

It was noted that, at the last monthly meeting, Yarmouth Town Councillors have deferred a decision on a zipwire and a wooden trim trail and decided not to proceed with a petanque pitch as there was unlikely to be sufficient demand for it.

6. Eastern Boundary

In view of the difficulties the Clerk was experiencing in contacting the selected contractor it was agreed to request the services of Ross Davidson who had installed the new land drains at the Rec.

7. Next meeting

The next meeting was fixed for 11am 16/3/23 at CHOYD.

8. Any Other Business

The Clerk was asked to contact West Wight men in Sheds to ask if they would lay a 2m x 2m area of gravel by the Victoria Road access gate.