



# SANDHURST TOWN COUNCIL

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Dear Councillors Ms G Kennedy (Chairman), N Allen, Mrs J Bettison, B Brooks, M Brossard, Mrs S Davenport (Vice Chairman), P Hodge, Mrs P McKenzie, Mrs M Mossom, R Mossom, P Panesar, M Sanderson, S Thomas, M Vandersluis, P Wallington.

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the **Environment Committee** to be held in the **Kitty Dancy Room, Sandhurst Community Hall Complex, Sandhurst** on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2021** at **7.30pm** for the purpose of considering and resolving upon the subjects and matters set out in the agenda below.

Angela Carey

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## 1. Apologies for absence

To receive and accept apologies for absence.  
(Procedural item)

## 2. Members' interests

To receive any declaration of interests from Members on the business to be transacted.  
(Procedural item)

## 3. Minutes of Environment Committee meeting

To receive and confirm the Minutes of the proceedings of the Environment Committee Meeting held on 9th September 2021 (pages 1159-1164) as a true and correct record.  
(Decision item)

## 4. Climate Change

To receive and consider the suggested actions from the Climate Change Working Group (Annexe 1) (Decision item)

## 5. Community Fund

a) To receive and consider information concerning the adoption of the pavement outside Boots the Chemist, Yorktown Road. (Decision item)

b) To receive a request from Cllr R Mossom for the Committee to consider the installation of staggered pedestrian barriers on the footpath that joins Girton Close to Branksome Hill Road. (Annexe 2). (Decision item)

## 6. Remembrance Service

To receive an update from the working group. (Decision item)

**7. Christmas Tree Decoration**

To set a date and request volunteers to put up Christmas decorations. (Decision item)

**8. Christmas Lights Event**

To review the event plan and comment/assign tasks as required. (Annexe 3) (Decision item)

**9. Dog Poo Posters**

To discuss and consider obtaining and displaying "Dog Poo Fairy" posters from Keep Britain Tidy. (Annexe 4) (Decision item)

**10. Outside Bodies Reports**

a) To receive reports from any representatives on outside bodies. (Information Item)

b) To assign Councillor R Mossom to represent STC on the Town & Parish Liaison Group. (Decision item)

**11. Footpaths**

To receive feedback on path conditions and actions taken from footpath monitor. (Information item)

**12. Noticeboards**

To receive feedback on notice boards and actions taken from assigned monitor. (Information item)

**13. Press and Publicity**

To consider public messages and timing for release. (Decision item)

**14. Date of next meeting**

To confirm the date of the next meeting as 13<sup>th</sup> January 2022. (Procedural item)

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| ANNEXE 1: Climate change Working Group Recommendations |                        |
| Meeting: Environment Committee                         | Date: 11 November 2021 |
| Agenda item: 4                                         | Author: Jo Luckett     |

### **1. Purpose of report**

To apprise the councillors of the recommendations from the Climate Change Working Group Action Plan.

### **2. Background**

Following the meeting of the Climate Change Working Group the following recommendations are put forward for approval:

- i) The purchase of recycling bins for the Community Buildings.
- ii) Replacing of all non-LED lights in the Community Building with LED bulbs where possible with sensors or to replace light fittings with LED light units with sensors. If this is agreed by the Environment Committee quotes will be obtained.
- iii) The Woodland Trust has a free tree giveaway which the Working Group would like to take advantage of. The trust offers a variety of tree packs. The most suitable of which is a 15 tree pack of 3 native species, crab apple, rowan and hazel. The location of planting is suggested as the back edge of Pyes Acre car park and would mark Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee in 2022. The trees would become part of the Queen's Canopy with a virtual plaque on the Queen's Canopy website to show Sandhurst Town Council's contribution. Alternatively, a plaque could be placed alongside the trees.

### **3. Recommendation**

To consider the actions put forward from the Climate Change Working Group.

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| ANNEXE 2: Community Fund       |                          |
| Meeting: Environment Committee | Date: 11th November 2021 |
| Agenda item: 5b                | Author: Angela Carey     |

### **1. Purpose of report**

To apprise the councillors of the proposal to use some finances from the Community Fund.

### **2. Background**

Cllr R Mossom has raised a request for this Committee to consider the installation of a staggered pedestrian barrier on the footpath between Girton Close and Branksome Hill Road. This area is being used as a cut through by motorcyclists. This is dangerous for pedestrians using the path.

Cllr Mossom approached BFC to see if they could help with this project. They have confirmed that have no budget for this. They have however drawn up a proposal for them to complete the project and for STC to finance it. The cost has been quoted as approximately £650, however BFC have stated this is subject to change as “when works start you don’t know what is under the ground”.

STC have made enquiries with BFC to understand if we could install the barrier ourselves. They have informed us that we would require a street works license (£764) and public liability for working on a highway as well as ensuring that the staff undertaking the work have NRSWA qualifications.

### **3.Recommendation**

To consider the proposal and the subsequent responsibilities and actions needed should STC go ahead with the repair work.

# Christmas Lights 2021

## 5.30pm

- Christmas music from the band

## 6.00pm

- Mayor's greeting, thank you to:
  - Sandhurst Community Band
  - Sandhurst Churches Together
- Community Band and Choir lead the singing of the carols as per song sheet
- Service is conducted by Pastor Pete Evens
- Call for Father Christmas
- Switching on of the lights by the Mayor
  - Father Christmas & Mayor distribute sweets
- Mulled wine and mince pies are served in the hall.

## INTRODUCTION

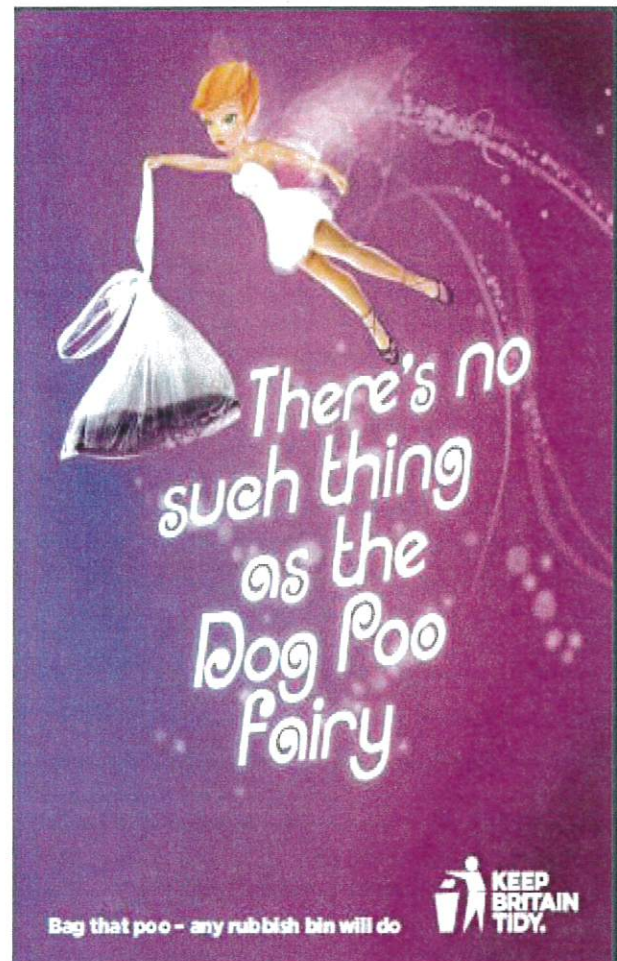
### There's no such thing as the Dog Poo Fairy

Keep Britain Tidy's research shows that dog fouling is a major concern to members of the public. There also appears to be a bigger problem that has arisen in that increasing amounts of bagged dog faeces are being left behind as people fail to dispose of their bags after cleaning up after their pets. Research has also found that 70% of local authorities have some sort of problem within their area.

To tackle this problem, Keep Britain Tidy has launched a national dog fouling campaign to encourage irresponsible dog owners to clean up after their pets.

The campaign features an eye-catching creative of a 'dog poo fairy' and the message 'There's no such thing as the Dog Poo Fairy', and is displayed on bus stops, billboards and phone boxes across England.

The media focus is based around a case study on a toddler, Aimee, who hit news headlines after falling in dog poo and losing partial sight in her eye after suffering with toxocariasis. This media angle contains a strong worming aspect and highlights how important it is for dog owners to worm their dog so that the risk of toxocariasis is diminished.



# ORDER FORM

| Dog Poo Fairy Pack                                                                                     | Contents                                           | Total price + VAT<br>(Includes package & postage to one delivey address) | Please tick the pack you require |
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| A                                                                                                      | 10 x A3 posters<br>10 x bin stickers               | £65 + VAT                                                                |                                  |
| B                                                                                                      | 20 x A3 posters<br>20 x bin stickers               | £125 + VAT                                                               |                                  |
| C                                                                                                      | 50 x A3 posters<br>50 x bin stickers               | £305 + VAT                                                               |                                  |
| Custom order                                                                                           | Please list your requirements and dimensions below | Price on application                                                     |                                  |
| <p>Custom order details:</p> <p>If you require A4 posters or correx, please contact us for a quote</p> |                                                    |                                                                          |                                  |

If you are a Network member, your posters can be customised with your logo (additional £25). If you are not a Network member, but would like to join, prices start from £995 + VAT. Please email [network.enquiries@keepbritaintidy.org](mailto:network.enquiries@keepbritaintidy.org) for membership information.

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| <p>Would you like your authority's logo adding to the posters<br/>Only available to Network Members</p> | <p>If yes, please attach your eps logo to your application when emailing, no other formats will be suitable.</p> |  |
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To avoid fly-posting, these materials will only be available to councils, land managers or community groups with permission to display them from the land owner.