WEST MERSEA TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

HELD ON FRIDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2023

PRESENT: Councillors: Carl Powling (Chair)

Julie Baker David Bragg Robert Jenkins Chris Wood

IN ATTENDANCE: Town Clerk

1 member of the public

23/046 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence and a vote of acceptance to be taken

Apologies were received from Councillors Sylvia Wargent and Sophie Weaver who were unable to attend due to ill health, Cllr Akker who was unable to attend as they are away, and from Councillor Jarvis, no vote was taken.

23/047 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillors will be reminded that they must declare in relation to this agenda any disclosable pecuniary interests which would prevent them from participating in any discussion or participating in any vote upon the item, or any other pecuniary interest, any other registerable interest or non-registerable interest which would prevent them from participating in any discussion or participating in any vote upon the item.

None received.

23/048 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

A period of up to 15 minutes (maximum of 3 minutes per person) for members of the public to ask questions or submit comments about items on the agenda and any other matters they wish to bring to the Council's attention.

A member of the public spoke on their concerns regarding the sports club leases.

23/049 GLEBE SPORTS CLUB LEASES

To discuss and agree publishing notice of Glebe Sports Grounds 25 year leases.

Following discussion around concerns of advertising the lease before meeting with MISA and the preelection period the Council RESOLVED to publish the notice in the local press and Colchester Gazette titles.

23/050 **DOG BINS**

To discuss and agree siting of dog bins at the Glebe.

The Council RESOLVED to purchase and place two additional dog bins on Glebe 2. One to the north eastern side of Glebe 2 near to the bike ramps the other to the south eastern side where the path splits.

There being no other business the Mayor closed the meeting at 9.30am.

Signature	Date