

Epsom & Ewell Borough Council – Decisions taken by the Environment and Safe Communities Committee on Tuesday, 26 January 2021

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Decisions will come into force, and may be implemented, on the expiry of 5 working days from the date of this notice unless called in by the Audit, Crime & Disorder and Scrutiny Committee.

NOTE: The following represents a summary of the decisions taken by the Committee. It is not intended to represent the formal record of the meeting (for which reference should be made to the minutes) but to facilitate the call-in process.

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
1.	Question Time	No questions were raised by members of the public.
2.	Declarations of Interest	No declarations of interest were made on items on the Agenda.
3.	Minutes of Previous Meeting	The Minutes of the previous Meeting of the Environment and Safe Communities Committee held on 20 October 2020 were agreed as a true record and the Committee authorised the Chairman to sign them.
4.	Enforcement against cars idling	Following consideration, it was resolved that the Committee: (1) Noted the Motion; (2) Agreed to continue with the current arrangements of the Climate Change Action Plan relating to car idling; (3) Noted there is no case to support the introduction of further Air Quality Management Areas in the Borough based on current known data.

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5.	Climate Change Action Plan Update	<p>Following consideration, it was resolved that the Committee:</p> <p>(1) Considered and noted the progress made on the delivery of the Council’s Climate Change Action Plan and Single Use Plastic Policy over the past year, a period which coincided with the COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p>(2) Noted and understand that any action that has been subject to delay remains part of the Action Plan and will be completed.</p>
6.	Capital Programme 2021/22	<p>Following consideration, it was resolved that the Committee:</p> <p>(1) Agreed to submit the capital programme for 2021/22 as identified in section 4 of this report to the Council for approval on 16 February 2021.</p>

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7.	Fees and Charges 2021/22	<p>Following consideration, it was resolved that the Committee:</p> <p>(1) Authorised the Chief Finance Officer to vary fees and charges for items generating income under £1,000 per annum and/or for one-off services or items;</p> <p>And, subject to the approval of Council:</p> <p>(2) Agreed the fees and charges for 2021/22 as set out at Appendices 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5;</p> <p>(3) Agreed the Development Management Fees as set out in Appendix 3 take effect from 1 February 2021.</p>
8.	Revenue Budget 2021/22	<p>Following consideration, it was resolved that the Committee:</p> <p>(1) Recommended the 2021/22 service estimates for approval at the budget meeting of full Council in February 2021;</p> <p>(2) Confirmed the savings options set out in section 6 for inclusion in the 2021/22 and 2022/23 budget estimates, to mitigate the Council's projected budget gap.</p>