



Name: Cllr Abi Cohen (Chair)

Date: 21st of August 2025

Signed: ORIGINAL SIGNED

Minutes of the Youth Work Committee

held in the Council Chamber, Emersons Green Town Council,

18:00hrs on Thursday 17th of July 2025.

Present: Cllrs Abi Cohen (Chair), James Hunt, Simon Budd, Andrej Turk, and Tina Potter.

In attendance: Jo Bryant (Town Clerk), Shea Stew (Youth Liaison Officer)

Apologies: Cllr Lynne Paraskeva

Public: None.

The meeting began at 18:00hrs. All resolutions were passed with a majority vote, by a show of hands, unless otherwise stated.

YWC_2025.020 Welcome and Introductions.

The Chair welcomed everyone present at the meeting and explained the emergency procedures and the process of this meeting.

YWC_2025.021 Declaration of Interest – Localism Act 2011.

No interests were declared.

YWC_2025.022 Public Participation.

No members of the public were present.

YWC_2025.023 Minutes.

Resolved

Minutes from the Youth Committee 19th of June 2025, copies having been circulated, were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

YWC_2025.024 Outstanding items.

Resolved

The Committee Clerk gave updates to outstanding items that included DJ Workshops, equipment spends and promotional materials.

YWC_2025.025 Correspondence.

The Committee Clerk provided information about meetings with Mangotsfield School and the idea of providing motor vehicle workshops with young people.

YWC_2025.026 Developing Youth Provision Strategy.

The committee Clerk provided an update on the development and progress of the youth strategy. It was confirmed that street-based youth work would start on the 19th of August 2025.

The Committee Clerk presented three quotations/tenders for a mobile community vehicle, outlining the advantages and disadvantages of each for the Committee's consideration.

- Torton Bodies £142,500.00
- Masters Promotional Vehicles £129,115.00
- Neat Vehicles £119,895.00

Resolved

The responses are to be taken to the Finance & Partnership Committee for scrutiny and budgetary considerations before presentation to Full Council for final approval.

YWC_2025.027 Next Meeting.

The next meeting of the Youth Work Committee is scheduled to take place on:

Thursday 21st of August 2025 at 18:00hrs in the Emersons Green Town Council Chamber.

The meeting closed at 18:50hrs.