

CLIMATE CHANGE AND LEISURE COMMITTEE

NOTICE AND AGENDA

For a meeting to be held on Wednesday, 15 October 2025 at 7.30 pm at Penn Chamber, Three Rivers House, Rickmansworth.

Members of the Climate Change and Leisure Committee:-

Councillors:

Chris Lloyd (Co-Chair)
Jon Tankard (Co-Chair)
Raj Khiroya
Joan King
Abbas Merali

Reena Ranger
Mike Sims
Tom Smith
Cheryl Stungo

*Joanne Wagstaffe, Chief Executive
Tuesday, 7 October 2025*

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. MINUTES

(Pages 5 - 12)

To confirm, as being a correct record, the minutes of the Climate Change & Leisure Committee, held on 2 July 2025, and for them to be signed by the Chair.

3. NOTICE OF OTHER BUSINESS

Items of other business notified under Council Procedure Rule 30 to be announced, together with the special circumstances that justify their consideration as a matter of urgency. The Chair to rule on the admission of such items.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of interest.

**5. TO RECEIVE A PETITION UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE
RULE 18**

The Committee are asked to receive a petition which requests the reopening of the Rickmansworth Aquadrome Woodland Path.

The petition is:

"We, the undersigned and living in the WD3 area, hereby demand TRDC to immediately reopen the Rickmansworth Aquadrome Woodland Path."

6. P3 Budget Management Report - CC&L (Pages 13 - 22)

This report covers this Committee's financial position over the medium term (2025 – 2028) as at Period 3 (end of June 2025).

The Period 3 comprehensive Budget Management report has already been presented to the Policy & Resources Committee at its meeting on 8 September 2025 which sought approval to a change in the Council's 2025 - 2028 medium-term financial plan.

Recommendation

That Members note & comment on the contents of the report.

7. Watersmeet Annual Review Presentation 2024-25 (Pages 23 - 46)

The Watersmeet Annual Review Presentation 2024-25. For members to receive a presentation on Watersmeet's performance for financial year 2024-25.

Recommendation

That: The report be noted.

8. Croxley Hall Woods Management Plan (Pages 47 - 76)

A new five-year management plan has been developed for Croxley Hall Woods, Croxley Green.

The new plan contains management actions for the woodland over the next five years from financial year 2025/26 until 2030/31. The detailed actions relate to woodland management for biodiversity and improvements to public access and interpretation.

Officers are recommending that the plan is approved by the Climate Change, Leisure and Housing committee and adopted by the Council. Should the plans be approved, Officers will seek to implement the actions within the plans over the next five years. Work will be completed within existing budgets or subject to external funding.

Recommendation

That the Climate Change and Leisure Committee:

- Adopt the new 5-year Management Plan for Croxley Hall Woods

- Give delegated authority to the Director of Finance to enter into a contract or funding agreement above the value of £25,000, subject to securing external funding to facilitate works to support the implementation of the Management Plans.

9. Motion (Pages 77 - 78)

Motion

Boulders on The Green, Croxley Green

10. Work programme (Pages 79 - 82)

To receive the Committee's Work programme.

11. OTHER BUSINESS - if approved under item 3 above

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