

Notice of Motion

General Subject: Monkton Park, Chippenham		
Proposer: Cllr C Caswill Seconder: Cllr J Hall	Date proposed at Council: 14/10/08	Minute No:
Text of Motion:		
<p>This Council welcomes the improvements to the public seating and litter bins in Monkton Park, which have at last made use of the Section 106 monies provided by developments in the Monkton Park area.</p> <p>Council also notes that there will still be a significant balance available from the Section 106 funds for improvements to local leisure facilities.</p> <p>It further notes that this administration is on record as saying that significant balances will now be available for transfer to the new unitary authority in Spring 2009.</p> <p>Given the high profile importance of the park for the residents of Chippenham and visitors from further afield, this Council now resolves:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) That the responsible members of the Executive should urgently put in place the complete refurbishment of the children's play areas in the park (and if possible, their move to a more appropriate site) b) That work also be put in hand urgently for good signposting in the park, maps and welcome signs; for the upgrading and restoration of river banks and bridges, for protection of the grass against damage by heavy vehicles c) That the cost of these improvements be met from the Section 106 balance and from the substantial budgets which are otherwise all destined for the new authority <p>And lastly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d) To approach Chippenham Town Council to explore the possibility of a jointly – supported Trust or Non-Profit Company to manage the park in future for the benefit of Chippenham residents and visitors to the town. 		
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Action agreed by referred body:

Date for Council debate:

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