

**MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
& HIGHWAYS COMMITTEE MEETING**

HELD ON THURSDAY 9 JULY 2009

Present: - Cllr L Emo (Chair)

Cllrs B Garvie, L Moores, P Moores.

In attendance: Cllrs J Blatchford, J Bryson, F Partridge, H Partridge,
N Tucker

Mrs M Roberts – Deputy Town Clerk

ES/21/09 **To Receive and Accept Apologies for Absence**

Cllr P Dolphin

Cllr L Deely (non-committee member)

ES/22/09 **To Receive Members Declarations of Interest**

There were none

ES/23/09 **Electors Questions/Observations**

There were no questions or observations

ES/24/09 **Minutes:**

(i) to receive, confirm and sign the minutes of the ES&H Committee meeting held on 21 May 2009

Resolved: That the minutes of the ES & H Committee held on the 21 May 2009 are a true and accurate record and they should be signed by the Chair

(ii) Report by the Deputy Town Clerk on matters arising from the minutes

There were none

ES/25/09 **Rodney Hancock, Senior Street Ranger – Street cleaning regime in Bude/ Stratton/Poughill**

Rodney Hancock explained the street cleaning regime in Bude and outlying areas and the staffing levels that are deployed to cover this work.

The Chairman then invited the members to ask specific questions. The meeting was suspended to enable Rodney Hancock and some committee members to inspect some areas of concern nearby

The meeting was suspended at 7.30pm

The meeting re-convened at 8.10pm

ES/26/09 **Update on traffic calming – Neetside and rear of The Crescent**

The Deputy Town Clerk reported that the Highways Department of Cornwall Council were unsure what the regulations were regarding traffic calming measures on an unadopted road where some properties had a legal right of access. The National Association of Councils has been contacted for its advice and once this is obtained it will be brought back for the committee's attention

ES/27/09

Placement of skips on land owned by Bude-Stratton Town Council.

There was some concern about a skip that was placed at the rear of The Crescent which was part way into the road and was unlit. The skip had been removed at the request of the Deputy Town Clerk.

ES/28/09

Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 S1(2) & S1(6) –

Resolved:

“That in relation to the following item publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted and the press and public are instructed to withdraw”. The following item is confidential and the meeting will proceed ‘in committee’

The following minutes are currently confidential and only available to Cllrs