

OPEN SPACES & LIGHTING COMMITTEE

Wednesday 13th May 2026 @ 5.30pm

Prestwood Community Centre, Nairdwood Lane, Prestwood HP16 0QF

Notice of Meeting

All members of the open spaces committee are hereby summoned to attend for the purposes of considering and resolving upon the business to be transacted below.

A G E N D A

Public Forum

OS26/12 Apologies

OS26/13 Declaration of interests

OS26/14 Minutes of the meeting of 11th March 2026 – for signing

OS26/15 Matters arising

OS26/16 Budget Update

Attached

OS26/17 Allotments

1. General Update

Attached

2. Allotment Liaison meeting – 27 May @ 4.30pm

For Noting

3. Allotment Inspections – 2nd date 18th May

For Noting

4. Ballinger

- request to keep two rabbits in a hutch with a run, Ballinger Plot 14

Attached

- request to use small mechanical digger, Ballinger Plot 14

Attached

- request for bench (not concreted in) Ballinger Plot 3

Attached

- Ballinger rear public gate in need of repair or replacement?

For Noting

5. Allotment water pressure

- Greenlands Lane allotment – Affinity meeting on 13 May 2026

For Noting

- Tap replacements – Greenlands Lane 1-8 & Ballinger Road - £95 + vat each

For Noting

6. Chequers Lane

- entrance padlock spec to be agreed

Attached

- proposal to change plot 1A to hardstanding

Oral – Cllr Pither

- Refund deposit 1A?

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- Hole in the Hedge

Attached

7. Spurlands End Road

- Plot 4A – what next?

Attached

8. Nairdwood Lane

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For Noting

- entrance damage – presumed responsibility 1A – any further action?

Attached

OS26/18 Play Areas

1. Update on playground repairs – for noting

Attached

2. Prestwood Common - shelter replacement - update

Oral – Cllr Pither

2. Buryfield Skate Park – waiting on a concrete skate park quote - medium term plan & funding for replacement – for discussion

For Noting

OS26/19 Open Spaces

1. Potter Row replacement tree planting - agree location & discuss with tenant

Attached

2. Gryms Dyke hedge – what next?

Oral – Cllr Pither

3. Annual Tree Survey – planned for September

OS26/20 – Streetlighting

1. Electricity – now being invoiced. Contract renewal 2026

For Noting

2. Survey of columns – quotes to be requested.

For Noting

OS26/21 Cemetery – Update & review of hours

Attached

OS26/22 Any Other Business

Jane Hennessy Clerk to the Council

6th May 2026