

Andover Town Council

Proposal to keep Working Group

Item No.

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Produced for: Full Council By: Deputy Town Clerk Date of Report: 15 Nov 2023

Background.

In May 2023 Full Council approved:

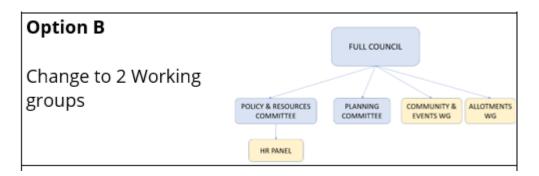
Members voted on the substantive vote.

It was proposed by Councillor K Bird and seconded by Councillor J Hughes that Option

B, with the amendment, be adopted. (the amendment was that the Allotment Working Group remains a Committee).

RESOLVED: That Option B, with the amendment, be adopted

Option B:



This is now due for review.

Working Group:

The Working Group has meet on the following dates:

- 31 May 2023
- 5 July 2023
- 7 September 2023
- 8 November 2023

In this time, they have achieved the following:

Events:

Achieved:

- Christmas Lights/Festival
- Halloween Stall
- MacMillan Coffee Morning

Planning:

- Pride June 2024 requires Full Council approval report to be brought to 6 December 2023 meeting.
- Beacon Lighting in recognition DDay landings June 2024 Full Council approved in progress
- Allotment day tbc under investigation
- Easter event tbc under investigation
- Event to commemorate the end of WWII June 2025 under investigation.
- Poetry/literacy event 2024 tbc under investigation.

Projects:

- Crest/logo update and production of branding materials for Andover Town Council on Council agenda for 22 November 2023.
- Rooksbury Mill Walk under investigation.
- Christmas Lights Extension will review tender document and options submitted prior to recommendation to Full Council.

Projects discussed but not taken further after investigation:

- Fireworks recommendation taken to Full Council 22 November 2023
- Wayleaves/Easements recommendation taken to Full Council 22 November 2023

Grants:

• Policy was reviewed and recommended to Full Council

Reviewed prior to going to Full Council:

- Rooting 4 Andover
- Spotlight
- Thrive

Recommendation:

- Full Council acknowledge the efficacy of the Working Group
- Full Council approve that the Working Group continues.