

Great Notley Country Park Joint Venture Partnership Board

10:00	Wednesday, 29 April 2015	Conference Room, Great Notley Country Park,
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Quorum: One Member from each Council

Membership

Councillor R Hirst (Chairman),	Essex County Council
Councillor S Walsh	Essex County Council
Councillor G Butland	Braintree District Council
Councillor W Schmitt	Braintree District Council

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Part 1

(During consideration of these items the meeting is likely to be open to the press and public)

		Pages
1	Apologies and Substitution Notices The Clerk to report receipt (if any)	
2	Declarations of Interest To note any declarations of interest to be made by Members.	
3	Minutes To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Great Notley Country Park Joint Venture Partnership Board held on 23 January 2015	7 - 14
4	Site Activity and Project Report To receive report (GTP/05/15) from Nick Day, Parks and Open Spaces Manager, Braintree District Council and Tim Dixon, Head of Country Parks Essex County Council	15 - 18
5	Car Parking Charges Consultation To receive report (GTP/06/15) from Tim Dixon, Head of Country Parks, Essex County Council regarding feedback, recommendation and agreement on the next steps following the recent consultation.	19 - 24

6 Presentation on the Local Plan

To receive a presentation on the Local Plan by Alan Massow, Senior Planning Policy Officer.

The presentation will cover future residential and commercial expectations for Braintree District and associated infrastructure requirements to support this, in particular, the potential that the Country Park can bring to this, and its long term role.

It is proposed that:

- Local Plan consultants ethos are approached to explore how they could contribute to the longer term strategy of the Great Notely Park.
- A sub commission of this work is undertaken to conduct a survey of park users with a view to gaining a better understanding of them.

7 Date of Next Meeting

To note that the next meeting of the Board will be held on Monday 27 July 2015 at 2pm.

8 Urgent Business

To consider any matter which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered in public by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) as a matter of urgency.

Exempt Items

(During consideration of these items the meeting is not likely to be open to the press and public)

To consider whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration of an agenda item on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as specified in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 or it being confidential for the purposes of Section 100A(2) of that Act.

In each case, Members are asked to decide whether, in all the circumstances, the public interest in maintaining the exemption (and discussing the matter in private) outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

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Urgent Exempt Business

To consider in private any other matter which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) as a matter of urgency.