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**Minutes of the Facilities Committee Meeting
Held in Bollington Town Hall
at 10.00am on Friday 18th September 2026**

Present: Cllrs: Brian Perkins, Martin Simmons, Nancy Pemberton, Jon Weston,
Angela Williams

Officer: Ruth Burgess – Town Clerk,

Public: None in attendance

FA64/26 To receive and approve apologies for absence.

Apologies: Cllr Dickie Fletcher due to work commitments.

FA65/26 To receive any Declarations of Interests.

Declarations of Interest: Cllr Martin Simmons on matters related to Item 10 Grit
Bins

**FA66/26 To receive public comments on any matter relating to this
Committee's work.**

Public comments: Cllr Martin Spoke on behalf of local resident photography
group; he brought to the council attention that the photographic group now have
nowhere to display their monthly photos and would like to ask the Council to
consider either the Civic Hall or Library.

RESOLUTION: For the Clerk to speak to the library about displaying the photos
as this is more open to the more public and easy access for all. And if there is a
cost associated with the Town Clerk to liaise with Library Manager or Grant
Scheme.

**FA67/26 To receive and approve the minutes of this Committee's meeting
of 31st July 2026.**

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 31st July 2026 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

FA68/26 To receive further Minutes to be approved from 16th January 2026.

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 16th January 2026 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

FA69/26 To receive any updates from the minutes.

- a. Civic Hall subfloor inspection –Update and discussion with members
- b. Bollington Cross play area – Update and discussion with members.
- c. Anti-social behaviour at Adlington Road car park toilets – Update and discussion with members, RESOLVED to add further social media update posts, asking parents/guardians to be communicate the update to their children,

FA70/26 To discuss any budget line requests ahead of Full Council budget setting 27/28.

Members discussed potential budget requirements ahead of Full Council budget setting for 2027/28. Which included:

- Review of Civic Hall Kitchen equipment
- Painting of Civic Hall Kitchen
- Civic Hall main hall paint including all doors
- Civic Hall Curtain refresh
- AMP Upgrade at Civic Hall
- Town hall Garage Repairs
- Library Windows

FA71/26 To receive a verbal update on improvements to the Civic Hall and to note a visit will be arranged for Facilities Committee members to inspect the kitchen and hall

RESOLVED Members received a verbal update on improvements to the Civic Hall. Agreed that Committee members to inspect the kitchen and hall week commencing 5th October

FA72/26 To receive an update regarding Adlington Road public toilets.

Members received an update regarding the Adlington Road public toilets. discussion, included vandalism/anti-social behaviour, operating arrangements. Town Clerk confirmed that the times will change to 3pm closing when the clocks go back.

FA73/26 To receive an update regarding grit bins within the Bollington area.

Members received an update regarding grit bins within the Bollington area.
Update included costs, responsibilities.

RESOLUTION: request quotes for outside companies to store any grit purchased, and if there is a possibly, they could also deliver the grit to the set agreed grit bins. The committee did understand the quote maybe required from two companies, 1. for storage 2. for delivery. Take quotes to the next Full Council due to time restraints.

Consider adding a further grit bin on Birchway.

Cllr Alison Rodwell arrived for the meeting 10.35am to speak regarding agenda item 12.

FA74/26 To note the quote for Town Hall Garage repairs.

Members considered the quotation for Town Hall Garage repairs and noted the report.

RESOLUTION: To approve the Garage repairs quote

FA75/26 To note the quote for further painting and cleaning works on the Civic Hall and Library Exterior.

Members considered the quotation for further painting and cleaning works on the Civic Hall and Library Exterior and noted the report. Cllr Alison and Cllr Brian spoke in detail on future work at the Civic Hall and how we understand what is prioritized.

RESOLUTION: To approve the quote for further painting and cleaning works on the Civic Hall and Library Exterior repairs.

FA76/26 To note the date of next meeting.

The next meeting will be held on Friday 20th November 2026 at 10.00am at Bollington Town Hall.

PART B

FA77/26 Exclusion of Press and Public

RESOLVED: To exclude the Press and Public in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, in view of discussion of the following confidential business. [Confirm at meeting].

FA78/26 To review the Cancellations Policy for the Civic Hall and the cost to the Council.

RESOLUTION For the Clerk and a Council member to speak to the Users regarding the changes in the Cancellation policy to 5 Working days. Clear understanding of why the current process does not meet the Councils expectations and financial restraints.

FA79/26 To note the termination date of the Pool Bank car park EV charging bay lease and make a recommendation to Full Council to negotiate an extension.

RESOLVED To note the termination date of the Pool Bank car park EV charging bay lease and make a recommendation to Full Council to negotiate an extension.

FA80/26 To review the draft Connected Kerb services terms and make a recommendation to Full Council on continuation of the provision.

RESOLUTION: To request for a further 2 x more quotes as well a connected Kerb on the cost to the user

The meeting closed at 11.06am

Signed:

Chair

Date: