



## BLYTH TOWN COUNCIL

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Environment Committee held at 6.00pm on Thursday 24 APRIL 2025 in the Council Chamber, Arms Everytne House, Quay Road, NE24 2AS.**

**Present:**

**Councillors:** K Nisbet (Chair), M Richardson (Vice Chair), A Barrass, D Campbell, A Cartie, B Erskine, C Jones, J Potts, J Reid, S Stanger, W Taylor, A Watson.

**Other Councillors Present:** D Carr, G Davey.

**Also Present:**

**Officers:** M Wilkinson (Town Clerk), E Brown (Deputy Clerk), S Humphery (Principal Officer).

**Invited Guests: 0                      Members of the Public: 0**

<b>Minute No</b>	
<b>1</b>	<b>Apologies for Absence</b> Apologies were received and accepted from: S, Davey.
<b>2</b>	<b>Disclosure of Interests Grant of Dispensations</b> None.
<b>3</b>	<b>Any Other Business</b> None.
<b>4</b>	<b>Part II</b> It was RESOLVED that pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960; that in view of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, it is advisable in the public interest that the press and public be excluded, and they were instructed to withdraw.

<b>12</b>	<p><b>Decision Report</b></p> <p>Tender Evaluation</p> <p>The Committee RESOLVED to agree to award the contract for the Cottingwood Green Play Area to Contractor B at a cost of £100,000.</p> <p>It was further RESOLVED that £19,000 (less than the estimated indicative costs for the Cottingwood Green Play Area and St. John’s MUGA refurbishment projects) be allocated to enhance other play facilities in the town. Officers to develop possible improvement schemes for consideration and Councillors were invited to submit any proposals for evaluation.</p>
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**The meeting closed at 7:20 pm**

**Members of the Environment Committee**

K Nisbet (Chair)	JR Potts
M Richardson (Vice-Chair)	J Reid
A Barrass	M Robson
D Campbell	S Stanger
A Cartie	W Taylor
B Erskine	A Watson
C Jones	