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DEPUTY CLERK'S REPORT FOR COMMUNITY ASSETS - February 2021

Asset	Task	Status	Finance	Progress
Lucy Lane South Play	Replace	ROSPA advice for new bark	Finance up to £50,000,	ROSPA inspection 14th January 2021.
Area		chippings – Dines booked. Cost	scheduled 2021/22	Bark replenished.
	General maintenance	£500.00 in budget.	£500.00 for bark.	
Silver Witch Green:	General risk management	Formal letter from DL/JS about	£2,000 annual budget	ROSPA 14th January 2021.
		ownership.	£1,800 planning cost.	Public consultation complete. Planning
	Legal agreement with CBC	Robert Pomery - Planning	2020/21: Finance	application submitted to CBC.
		Consultant	£20,000	Caloo ready to start work once planning
		Contract - Caloo.	Finance up to £50,000	permission achieved.
	Adult gym equipment		scheduled 2022/23	Tree/shrub planting - Woodland Project.
Garage/workshop	Required for tools, materials,	Concrete base complete. Shed	Budget 20/21:	Installation complete.
	etc. to enable self-sufficiency /	installation complete. Electricity	£25,000.00	Electricity connection in process.
	cost-savings, plus safe	supply in process.	Spend to date:	
	garaging of van	Shelving.	£17,743.00	
		H&S assessment.	Remaining budget:	
			£7,257.00	
Grounds Maintenance	Grass cutting, hedge trimming.	Dines Agri Services began 1st April	£500.00 per month.	Proposal for three year contract.
	Restore 2m firebreak on SWG.	2020. Agreed terms for 3 year	Additional £100.00 pa	
		contract.	for 2022/3.	
	London Road hedge.	Completely overgrown.		Dines asked to quote to restore to 6 feet.
Streetlights	On-going maintenance	Spoken to consultant, Lorraine	Finance up to £40,000	Survey completed apart from UKPN
		Calcott.	scheduled 2020/21	streetlights.
	Upgrade	Salix helping with tender	Independent survey	Next stage of tender to be decided. Paper
	Unmetered energy supply	proposal.	£4,265.06	presented to CGC.
Noticeboards	Replace Lucy Lane North	Funding: Mersea Homes – agree	2020 Budget - £2,500	Three noticeboards ready for delivery.
	Regular inspections	in principle	£2,000 pa thereafter.	Delivery delayed.



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	New boards in Tollgate/new	Persimmon Homes – £1,000	£5,334.00 including	1. Lakelands Primary (Wagtail Mews) -
	developments	grant received	delivery and	agreed 2. Warren Farm/Dale Close –
		Church Manor – funding agreed	installation.	confirmed (site ready for installation)
		RF West Ltd, Cala Homes, British	Applying for s.106	3. Villa Road outside Victory Hall -
		Land all contacted.	funds (CC/AW)	proposed.
Waste collection	Emptying bins	TBS Hygiene Ltd began work 1st	£355.00 per bin.	Two new bins installed in Drought Garden.
		April 2020.		Proposal for three year contract.
Tollgate Car park drains	Repair/risk management	Clearance undertaken summer	£5,000.00 in carpark	BC cleared drains with pressure washer.
		2019 - rolling contract required.	budget.	Quotes for porosity test in preparation of
			£2,500 for tests	replacing soakaways and drains
Tree maintenance	3 year cycle schedule/risk	Contract: TWH Tree Services	£3,000 annual budget	Tree mapping complete.
	management			
Van acquisition	Parish wide maintenance	Barry's licence / vehicle lease	£2,500 annual budget	E-cargo bike?
Tollgate Car Park	Extension	Planning permission may be		Surface damage repaired.
		required		Overhanging trees cut back.
			£150.00	Possible extension agreement with Sports
			£4,000.00	England. Survey of whole area?
Drought Garden	Upgrade	Problems with anti-social	Budget/ Reserve	Lighting upgrade complete.
	Lighting	behaviour.	£5,000 pa from 2021	General maintenance continues. New
		Investigation into land	£1050.50 plus VAT to	planting in hedges. Tree limb to be
	Improvements	ownership. Legal advice sought.	improve lighting.	removed and trespassing tree cut down.
		Letter sent to JLG Ltd.	£1,230.00 for general	JLG proposal for redesign to be considered.
			maintenance.	SPC ownership of property unconfirmed.
			Legal costs to date:	Legal advice received. Letter to JLG
			£450.00	requesting transfer.
Footpath 42 and The	Maintenance		£1,000 2020 Reserve,	BC cleared path and cut back overhanging
Folley	Signage		then £2,000 pa	trees.
			£450.00 budget for	
			cleaning trolley.	



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Bus shelters	Maintenance	Application with ECC	SPC Bus shelter	Application made for LHP grant -
Swan Green bus shelter	Replacement	Andrew Baker – The Shed Man	reserves 2020/21	£1,600.00. Additional grants from Fiona
			£3000.00	Maclean and Paul Dundas.
			SPC Bus shelter	Wooden bus shelter on order.
			reserves 2021/22	Application made to Essex Highways.
			£500.00	
			With grants:	
			£7,800.00	
Burial Ground	Build Memorial Wall	Tap installed. Hose stored in	£5,500.00 in 20/21	Water supply connected.
		shed.	budget.	Purchase of additional tools.
		BC to take-over maintenance.		Tree planting as part of
		£600.00 budget for hand-push		Woodland Project.
		petrol lawnmower.		
Village Halls	Water pressure	See Refurbishment report	£5,567.00 in	Laurel tree plants planted.
	Finalise legal agreement.		contingency reserves.	Contacted Manager of Homebase-
	Review SVHMC MoU	Sept/Oct 2020		overhanging trees.
				MOU and insurance documents received.
New Community	Transfer of lease. Design	Mid/late 2021 completion?	Likely maximum	CBC arranging long-term lease. Revised
Centre and Country	Potential clients – Scouts?		annual cost £60,000	designs under consideration.
Park			pa (i.e. no income)	
Sports Field	Outdoor use by SVHMC clients	Contracts re charges and liability.		Contracts signed for use of Sports Field –
		Community space in demand by		Colchester Fitness and Stanway Villa.
		other groups.		



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G - Comm Assets - Grounds

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Code	Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
27	General repairs				1,500.00	335.26	1,165	1,165
28	Car Park repairs				5,000.00	150.00	4,850	4,850
29	Play equipment Reserve				5,000.00	180.00	4,820	4,820
30	Play area signs				250.00		250	250
31	Grounds maintenance				10,000.00	10,331.09	-331	-331
32	Play area bark				2,000.00	1,455.82	544	544
33	Tree maintenance				5,000.00	2,900.00	2,100	2,100
34	Youth Pod / Outdoor Gym				20,000.00	1,710.00	18,290	18,290
35	Play area benches/bins				1,000.00		1,000	1,000
42	Pest control				500.00		500	500
52	MW Consumables				450.00	493.96	-44	-44
90	Safety Inspections				500.00	235.00	265	265
94	Vehicle lease				2,500.00		2,500	2,500
95	Workshop/store				25,000.00	19,623.52	5,376	5,376
	SUB TOTAL				78,700.00	37,414.65	41,285	41,285

H - Comm Assets - Streets

II - Collin Assets - Streets		Receipts		Payments			Net Position	
Code	Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
46	Bus Shelter Reserve				1,500.00	1,760.00	-260	-260
49	Notice Board Reserve				4,200.00	4,170.00	30	30
50	Street Light Costs				5,000.00	4,891.40	109	109
51	Street Light Reserve				40,000.00	1,050.50	38,950	38,950
81	Street signs etc				2,000.00	1,860.00	140	140
84	Street lighting electricity				4,000.00	3,739.78	260	260
	SUB TOTAL				56,700.00	17,471.68	39,228	39.228



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I - Comm Assets - Halls		Receipts			Payments		
Code Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
87 Architectural and other fee	s				90.00	-90	-90
88 Contingency Reserve				14,260.00	6,331.25	7,929	7,929
SUB TOTAL				14,260.00	6,421.25	7,839	7,839
J - Comm Assets - Buri	al Gds	Receipts			Payments		Net Position
Code Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
55 Burial Ground Income	2,000.00	150.00	-1,850				-1,850
56 Tree sponsorship		5.00	5				5
57 BG Maintenance				2,000.00	215.70	1,784	1,784
58 BG Reserve				5,500.00		5,500	5,500
SUB TOTAL	2,000.00	155.00	-1,845	7,500.00	215.70	7,284	5,439
K - Comm Assets - MP	GA	Receipts			Payments		Net Position
Code Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
60 MGPA Income	4,000.00	480.00	-3,520				-3,520
61 Maintenance				5,000.00		5,000	5,000
62 Stationery				100.00		100	100
63 Lease				100.00	50.00	50	50
64 Specialist fees				500.00	520.16	-20	-20
65 Electricity				300.00	174.73	125	125
67 Repairs							
68 Replacement Reserve							
SUB TOTAL	4,000.00	480.00	-3,520	6,000.00	744.89	5,255	1,735