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DEPUTY CLERK'S REPORT FOR COMMUNITY ASSETS - September 2021

Asset	Task	Status	Finance	Progress
Lucy Lane South Play	Replace	Passed ROSPA.	Finance up to £50,000	Two tenders received for play equipment
Area		Investigate upgrade.	for play area upgrade.	upgrade.
	General maintenance			Swing unit removed. £150.00.
Silver Witch Green	Legal agreement with CBC	Formal letter from DL/JS about	Finance £20,000 for	Gym installation complete.
		ownership.	gym.	Two tenders received for play equipment
	Adult gym equipment	Contract - Caloo.	Finance up to £50,000	upgrade.
			for play area upgrade.	
	Disability gate	Requires adjustment.	£150.00 to move	Meeting with Bossman Engineering.
			yellow fence back or	
			£1.5k for wooden	
			access gate.	
Swan Green	General maintenance	Rotten tree removed.		Rotten crab apple tree removed.
		New planting scheme suggested		
		as part of Woodland Project.		
Garage/workshop	Storage and workspace.	Roller door to be replaced after	Covered by insurance.	Risk Assessments completed by Dept.
		burglary.		Clerk. Passed to Clerk/SC.
Grounds Maintenance	Grass cutting, hedge trimming.	Dines Agri Services began 1st April	£500.00 per month.	Three-year contract signed April 2021-
		2020. Agreed terms for 3-year	Additional £100.00 pa	March 2024.
		contract.	for 2022/3.	
Streetlights	On-going maintenance	Survey complete – details with	Finance up to £40,000	Tender/upgrade with Clerk/CGC.
	Upgrade	Clerk/CGC.	scheduled 2020/21	
	Unmetered energy supply			
Noticeboards	Regular inspections	Funding: Persimmon Homes –	£5,334.00	Three noticeboards delivered and installed.
		£1,000	incl.delivery and	
			installation.	
Waste collection	Emptying bins	TBS Hygiene Ltd began work 1st		Three-year contract signed April 2021-
		April 2020.		March 2024.



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			£140.45 (Dines)	Relocation of two bins to SWG.
				TBS to undertake fortnightly collection
				from yellow bin at no extra charge.
				CBC and SV have removed several bins.
				Weekly collection no longer sufficient for
				amount of rubbish and BC can only manage
				additional bag changes at Villa Road as no
				means to move rubbish bags.
Tollgate Car Park	Repair/risk management	Investigation of	£5,000.00 in carpark	Rural Community Grant Funding?
_		drainage/soakaways	budget.	Contact made with M7H Civil Engineering
			£2,500 for tests	Water Specialist.
				Possible extension agreement with Sports
				England. Proposal with Clerk/CGC.
	Extension			Relocation of salt/salt bin?
Tree maintenance	3-year cycle schedule/risk	Contract: TWH Tree Services	£3,000 annual budget	Maintenance on-going.
	management			
Van acquisition	Parish wide maintenance	Barry's licence / vehicle lease	£2,500 annual budget	Other transport options being considered.
Drought Garden	Cycle/footpath	Ownership? Investigation into	Budget/Reserve £5k	Issue with Clerk/FC.
	Lighting	land ownership. Letters sent to		
		West family.		
Footpath 42	Maintenance			
Bus shelters	Maintenance	Paint London Road bus shelter	£1,000 2020 Reserve,	Painting London Road bus shelter.
	Signage		then £2,000 pa	Grants received.
Swan Green bus shelter		Contract: Andrew Baker – The	£235.33 – paint	
	Maintenance	Shed Man	£420.00 - engraving	Wooden bus shelter ready for delivery.
		Colne Contracts for groundworks.	SPC Bus shelter	Application granted by Essex Highways.
	Replacement	£2,500 quote.	reserves 2020/21	Date confirmed of 29 th September for work
	,	, , ,	£3000.00. Reserves	to commence.
			2021/22 £500.00	
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			With grants:	
			£7,800.00	
Burial Ground	Build Memorial Wall	BC taken over maintenance.	£5,500.00 in 20/21	Memorial wall construction complete.
		Cook & Phillips for wall	budget.	Parking area requires rolling.
		construction.	£12,000.00 quote.	
Village Halls	Finalise legal agreement.	Building Condition Survey:	£5,567.00 in	Homebase cut back overhanging trees and
	Review SVHMC MoU	comment on general condition,	contingency reserves.	mended broken fence. Manager will
		defects, necessary repairs and		contact SVHM Secretary about on-going
		ongoing maintenance required.	£1.5k	complaint about fir trees.
				MOU and insurance documents received.
		SVHMC to install EVCPs?		SVHMC confirmed gutters and fascias work
				completed.
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	Petanque court agreed.
Sports Field	Outdoor use by SVHMC clients	Contracts re charges and liability		Contracts signed for use of Sports Field –
		for usage of field.		Colchester Fitness and Stanway Villa.
		Maintenance of benches.	Cost: £36.00 – paint.	Sanding and repainting of benches.
				More bins required?



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G - Comm Assets - Grounds		Receipts			Payments			Net Position
Code	Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
27	General repairs				750.00	4.98	745	745 (99%)
28	Car Park repairs				5,000.00		5,000	5,000 (100%)
29	Play equipment Reserve				50,000.00	65.00	49,935	49,935 (99%)
30	Play area signs				1,000.00	890.00	110	110 (11%)
31	Grounds maintenance				10,750.00	5,590.45	5,160	5,160 (48%)
32	Play area bark				1,000.00		1,000	1,000 (100%)
33	Tree maintenance				5,000.00	1,820.00	3,180	3,180 (63%)
34	Youth Pod / Outdoor Gym				21,000.00	20,893.15	107	107 (0%)
35	Play area benches/bins				500.00		500	500 (100%)
42	Pest control				500.00	265.00	235	235 (47%)
52	MW Consumables				750.00	599.63	150	150 (20%)
90	Safety Inspections				500.00		500	500 (100%)
94	Vehicle lease				200.00		200	200 (100%)
95	Workshop/store				3,000.00	2,629.00	371	371 (12%)
	SUB TOTAL				99,950.00	32,757.21	67,193	67,193 (67%)
H - Comm Assets - Streets			Receipts			Payments		Net Position
Code	e Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
46	Bus Shelter Reserve				3,000.00	350.00	2,650	2,650 (88%)
49	Notice Board Reserve				250.00	395.00	-145	-145 (-58%)
50	Street Light Costs				5,300.00	1,970.60	3,329	3,329 (62%)
51	Street Light Reserve				2,000.00	1,066.27	934	934 (46%)
81	Street signs etc				500.00		500	500 (100%)
84	Street lighting electricity				5,000.00	1,236.70	3,763	3,763 (75%)
96	Footpath Reserve				1,500.00		1,500	1,500 (100%)
	SUB TOTAL				17,550.00	5,018.57	12,531	12,531 (71%)



SUB TOTAL

4,010.00

3,175.00

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13,498.33

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167 (0%)

I - Comm Assets - Halls		Receipts			Payments			Net Position
Code	Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
87	Architectural and other fees					1,500.00	-1,500	-1,500 (N/A)
88	Contingency Reserve				4,000.00	2,271.53	1,728	1,728 (43%)
	SUB TOTAL				4,000.00	3,771.53	228	228 (5%)
J - Comm Assets - Burial Gds			Receipts			Payments		Net Position
Code	Title	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	Budgeted	Actual	Variance	+/- Under/over spend
55	Burial Ground Income	4,000.00	3,045.00	-955				-955 (-23%)
56	Tree sponsorship	10.00	130.00	120				120 (1200%)
57	BG Maintenance				1,500.00	898.33	602	602 (40%)
58	BG Reserve				13,000.00	12,600.00	400	400 (3%)

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14,500.00