

STOCKSBRIDGE TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting of the Recreation & Environment Committee of the Town Council, held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Stocksbridge on Tuesday, 3rd February 2026

PRESENT:- Cllr. R Crowther (Chair), Cllrs. K Davis, A Law, J Grocutt, J Staniforth, L Fox.

IN ATTENDANCE:- Cllr. D Fox, Sheffield City Council
2 members of the public

1. Chair's Remarks and Apologies for Absence
Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs. J Wheeler and C Wilson.

2. Exclusion of Press and Public
There were no items for exclusion of press and public.

3. Declarations of Interest
There were no declarations of interest.

4. Armed Forces Champion – Attendance by Cllr. D Fox, Sheffield City Council
The Chair welcomed Cllr. D Fox to the meeting. DF shared that her role as Armed Forces Champion for Sheffield City Council primarily involves being a voice for veterans in the Sheffield area and working to try and ensure that nobody is disadvantaged for serving. DF shared that the role also involves fundraising events and working alongside stakeholders / external organisations. Members asked DF about the possibility of having a representative from Stocksbridge Town Council to act in support of veterans in the local area. DF suggested that having a Veteran's Champion could be a positive first step as they could link in with Sheffield representatives and that casework could be passed on to herself who would act on behalf of the local Veteran's Champion. DF informed that involvement requires attending roughly 6 meetings per year and described the work as challenging but rewarding. Cllr. L Fox asked that Stocksbridge Town Council be informed of upcoming events and information.
The Chair thanked Cllr. DF for attending the meeting.

5. Clerk's Reports
There were no Clerk's reports.

6. Members' Reports
There were no members' reports.

There being no further business the meeting closed.