

## **Health and Safety Report – P&R Committee September 2022**

### **Accidents and Near Misses**

There are no accidents or near misses to report.

### **Visits and Inspections**

LOLER Lift Inspection – Watermark and Town Hall

The LOLER inspection for The Watermark lift revealed that the Manual Evacuation Function was inoperative despite the battery having been replaced following the last inspection. The lift service company were actioned to carry out further repairs immediately, plus repairs to the in car two way emergency communication system which was also inoperative.

### **Parks**

The Victoria Park play area self-closing metal gate has been fitted and is working well. The play area fencing had fallen down leaving the play area exposed to dogs. Replacement fencing has been installed alongside the new gate and the play area is now secure again. The surface is cracked under one of the swings, a wet pour repair kit has been ordered to patch this up.

A wasps nest was identified in the MacAndrews Field play area. This is a natural event at this time of year as the wasps are attracted to the sap of the willow. Signs were installed requesting the public to keep clear of the area.

A tree came down near the entrance to the old cemetery and has now been removed by the Parks Officer.

The 18-month tree inspection has taken place of the Council's trees and the report is awaited.

A new bin for Filham Park has been ordered and delivery is expected soon.

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