

## Report No.4

### Report to Town Hall and Facilities Committee 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

#### Gym Equipment

##### 1. Purpose of the report

- 1.1 To provide the committee with information concerning exterior gym equipment for use by adults and to seek further instructions.

##### 2. Background

- 2.1 At the last meeting the committee requested that the cost of exterior gym equipment be investigated together with potential funding sources.

##### 3. Proposal

- 3.1 Guideline prices have been sought from a major supplier although final price will depend upon the location and size of scheme if one is to be provided.
- 3.2 The Reeds Farm area is unsuitable for installation as the only area leased by the Town Council is that within the fence surrounding the play area.
- 3.3 White Lion Park already has youth gym equipment installed and space may be available for the addition of adult equipment, subject to local agreement.
- 3.4 The encroachment into the open space in St Aldhelm's and Cuckingstool Meads could severely restrict the other uses involving large numbers of people.
- 3.5 A current section 106 statement has been requested but is unlikely to be available before the committee meeting. The only alternative would be to seek release of any CIL money through Policy and Resources Committee

##### 4. Financial implications and risks

- 4.1 Financial implications will depend upon the size and level of the scheme and the degree of supporting finance received from section 106 or CIL.

##### 5. Recommendations

- 5.1 Members are requested to note the report and advise of any action to be taken

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25<sup>th</sup> October 2016