**11. Venue Change for Council Meetings**

**Current Situation**

The present meeting venue serves alcohol during council meeting times. This conflicts with Standing Order 3a, which states -

*"Meetings shall not take place in premises which at the time of the meeting are used for the supply of alcohol, unless no other premises are available free of charge or at a reasonable cost."*

**Alternative Venue**

The local leisure centre has been identified as an alternative location.

**Leisure Centre Quotation**

Regular Council Meetings

* Schedule: 3rd Tuesday and last Tuesday of every month, except August and December
* Time: 7 PM - 9:30 PM
* Commencement: From Tuesday, 15th October
* Duration: Until further notice

Additional Meetings for Neighbourhood Plan Development

* Schedule: Ad hoc dates to be agreed
* Time: 7 PM - 9:30 PM
* Commencement: From Tuesday, 22nd October
* Duration: For the next 18 months

Venue Specifications

* Capacity: Space for up to 60 people
* Location: Upstairs room with lift access
* Parking: Available on-site
* Cost: £62.50 per session (at £25/hour)