

Meeting	Parks & Open Spaces Committee
Date	4 th August 2026
Report Title	Play Area Working Party Actions
Agenda Reference	12b
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Officers Recommendations

1. To note the report and expenditure to be met from **4305/302 – Play Areas**.

Report

The Working Party requested that Officers used their spend limits to approve purchases and report retrospectively to ensure the continued availability of popular facilities during the summer holidays.

The approved purchases comprise:

- A replacement basket swing for Voyager Drive Play Area at a cost of **£3,161.00 + VAT (signed off by the Chief Officer) – lead time 4 – 6 weeks**
- A replacement basket swing for White Eagle Play Area at a cost of **£754.61 + VAT (signed off by the POS Manager) – delivery due 30th July 2026**

There were also some spares and repairs agreed by the POS Manager:

- A replacement spinning bowl for White Eagle Play Area, following the existing equipment becoming damaged beyond repair, at a cost of **£207.36 + VAT**.
- Four baby/toddler swing seats (two replacement seats and two to be held as stock) at a cost of **£499.00 + VAT**.

All expenditure is to be met from **Budget Code 4305/302 – Play Areas**.