

Urgent Notice of Motion – to Warwick District Council 23 January 2019.

It is proposed by Councillor Boad and duly seconded by Councillors Gifford, Gallagher, Parkins, Weed, Naimo, Quinney, Barrott, Parkins, D’Arcy Gill, Bromley and Mrs Knight, that:

Council believes that the option to provide an outdoor swimming facility in the District is a once in 50 year opportunity and is worthy of a full evaluation.

Council therefore calls upon the Executive to pause and respond to public opinion, as expressed in the Council’s recent public consultation exercise held in Kenilworth, and undertake a full and transparent evaluation of the potential for an outdoor swimming pool facility at Abbey Fields. The evaluation to include an assessment of any tourism and economic benefits to Kenilworth and the wider District, the likely capital and revenue costs and potential sources of capital funding compared to the current proposals.

The resulting report to be used by the Executive to determine the appropriate way forward.