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# Henstridge Airfield Consultative Committee Meeting

## Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018 6:00pm

The Council Offices, Churchfield, Wincanton

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### A G E N D A

- 1) Welcome & Introduction – Cllr Nick Weeks
- 2) Approval of Notes of last meeting and matters arising including:
  - i. Amendment to item 5
  - ii. Correction to item 6
  - iii. Correction to item 4
  - iv. Correspondence
- 3) Public Questions – 10 minutes
- 4) Report from Airfield Operator to include:
  - i. Relevant statistics concerning aircraft movements disaggregated into months of the year  
  
Aircraft Movements  
since last HACC meeti
  - ii. A narrative in support of those statistics
  - iii. A forecast of events for the period to the next meeting with supporting narrative
  - iv. A summary of any complaint/observations received since the last meeting  
  
Summary of the  
Observations receivec
  - v. A summary of any enforcement action taken & sanctions imposed since the last meeting
- 5) A request that the Chairman of Area East Committee should act as Chairman of the HACC until the first triennial review – Henstridge PC
- 6) A request that the quorum of all HACC meetings should be 6 members or their duly appointed substitutes – Henstridge PC
- 7) Nominate a named substitute (S106 Agreement Part 1 point 9) – ALL to advise
- 8) Any other business:
  - (a) Andrew Nellist, SCC suggests that attendance by an officer from the Highway Authority's Planning Liaison team is unlikely to be resourced and instead, in future, any specific issues should be raised with the Highway Authority, if/when appropriate
- 9) Date of next meeting

#### Circulation:

Airfield Owner – Geoff Jarvis  
Airfield Operator – Geoff Jarvis  
Owners of resident aircraft  
Flying school/ pilots' organisation  
SSDC – Cllr Nick Weeks (Chair)  
SSDC – Cllr Hayward Burt  
SSDC – Cllr William Wallace  
Dominic Heath-Coleman  
DCC – Huw Williams  
NDDC – Jean Marshall  
Henstridge PC - David Nichols, Chair  
Fifehead Magdalen PM – David Redwood, Chair  
Marnhull PC  
Stalbridge TC – Cllr Bob Penfold  
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Buckhorn West & Kington Magna PC – Cllr Nigel Osborne, Chair

## Summary of the Observations received since the last HACCC Meeting – including our comments and Actions

(information provided by G Jarvis for inclusion with the agenda for the meeting on 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018)

### Summary of Observations:

As we reported to end March at the last meeting, the following is 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018 to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018.

6 observations received and responded to:

- One overflight not from or using the Airfield
- One of Aerobatics outside the prescribed slots. Not from the Airfield
- One of more than the weekly number of Aerobatic slots used. Operators cautioned and this has not been repeated
- One overflight agreed to be by a visiting aircraft on departure. Pilot was contacted and agreed it wouldn't happen again and on 11 subsequent visits it has not
- One of overflight by the unrecognised temporary Air Ambulance, this was agreed with the observer to be on the way out, so an emergency
- One of repeated night overflight of an area by Helicopters. This was investigated and it was concluded not to be by aircraft from the field, most likely Military; upon further investigation the military declined to comment

We received a further observation in respect of the Yaks practising at some distance from the field, the conclusion was a request for some specific dates for such practice to be repeated.

Finally, there is an on-going discussion with the Local Authority in respect of “general noise and disturbance not specific overflight” relating to some days when Helicopter Pleasure flights have operated from the airfield. The Authority have requested copy of our log to pass on to the member of the public who has brought the issue to the Authority. Upon advice from the Information Commissioners Office we have declined the request.

16<sup>th</sup> October 2018

**Aircraft Movements since the last HACCC meeting**

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**SUMMARY STATISTICS:**

**Movements 1 April to 30 September 2018**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Fixed Wing</b>	<b>Helicopter</b>	<b>Total</b>
April	516	14	530
May	1123	22	1145
June	993	30	1023
July	1188	38	1226
August	1214	30	1244
September	854	40	894

**Total for the period: 6062**

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