

Holme Valley Parish Council

DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PLANNING STANDING COMMITTEE HELD IN HOLMFIRTH CIVIC HALL MONDAY 28 JUNE 2021

Those present:

Chairman: Cllr M Blacka

Councillors: P Colling, RP Dixon, T Dixon, R Hogley

Officer: Mr R McGill (Deputy Clerk)

Welcome

Cllr Blacka welcomed Councillors and one member of the public to this meeting of the Planning Standing Committee.

Open Session at Planning

The member of the public is a newly elected Councillor who has not yet had the opportunity to be elected to Committees.

2122 52 Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 amended by the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014 on 6 August 2014

Council meetings can now be recorded.

RESOLVED: The Officer was recording the meeting in audio format for upload to the Parish Council's YouTube channel.

2122 53 To accept apologies for absence

Cllr Gould and Cllr Pogson had tendered apologies.

RESOLVED: Apologies were approved by the Committee.

2122 54 To receive Members' and Officers' disclosable personal and pecuniary interests in items on the agenda

None were disclosed.

2122 55 To consider written requests for new DPI dispensations

No written requests for new DPI dispensations had been received.

2122 56 To consider whether items on the agenda should be discussed in private session

RESOLVED: Members decided that no items on the agenda should be discussed in private.

2122 57 To confirm the Minutes of the Previous Meeting

RESOLVED: The Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 7 June 2021, numbered 2122 36 – 2122 51 inclusive were confirmed

2122 58 Completed Planning Applications Lists

NOTED:

The Planning Committee noted List 2122/02 updated with the views of the Committee.

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2122 59 New Planning Applications – Kirklees Council

Members considered new or amended applications received by Kirklees Council from 1 June 2021 to 21 June 2021 inclusive – List 2122-03.

Members voted to allow the member of the public to speak during this item.

RESOLVED: That the Standing Committee’s comments on the above applications be forwarded to Kirklees Council by the Deputy Clerk.

2122 60 Kirklees Council – Planning Officers’ Decisions

NOTED: The Planning Standing Committee noted the list of Decision Notices issued by Kirklees Council for the period 1 June 2021 to 21 June 2021 inclusive.

2122 61 Neighbourhood Planning

The Chair of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group reported that the final examiner’s report had been issued and received by the Parish Council, Kirklees Council, and the Peak District National Park Authority. Modifications to the Holme Valley Neighbourhood Development Plan ordered by the examiner were being undertaken by our planning consultant, Kirkwells, in preparation for the onward process. The next stage is for the Plan to get cabinet approval from Kirklees Council, whereafter the final stage will be to put the Plan to public referendum.

2122 62 Peak District National Park Authority

NOTED: Members noted the List of Decision Notices issued by Peak District National Park Authority Planning Applications for the period 1 June 2021 to 21 June 2021 inclusive.

2122 63 Pre-Planning Consultation for an 18m tall 5G mast on New Mill Road

The Committee had already considered this item under Item 2122 59 application 2122/03/01, so there were no further deliberations at this time.

2122 64 Notice of Public Path Modification Order Byway 231 – Bridge Lane

Members voted to suspend standing orders at this point to allow the member of the public to speak.

RESOLVED: The Committee voted to support Kirklees Council’s modification of the Definitive Map and Statement adding a restricted byway commencing at its junction with Bridge Lane at Point A at grid reference 1441 0850 and proceeding in a northerly direction for 212 metres to Point B at grid reference 1445 0871. The Deputy Clerk and Committee Chair would formulate a statement in support of Kirklees Council’s proposed designation of the new Restricted Byway 231 to be sent to the Planning Inspectorate. This will cite the fact that the path has been used by the public for over 50 years and that it provides a safe green route from the centre of Holmfirth to the children's playground, playing fields and the Kirklees Leisure Centre

The meeting closed at 8.25PM

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Chairman