To all Members of the Planning Committee

You are hereby summoned to attend a virtual meeting of the **Planning Committee** to be held on **MONDAY 14 DECEMBER 2020** by **ZOOM** at **630 PM** <u>https://zoom.us/meeting/83994290139</u>

Please note that timings on the agenda are given for guidance of the Chairman and Committee only and should not be taken as the time at which discussion of a particular item will commence.

- AGENDA – (A)

	Welcome	
	Open Session at Planning	6.30 pm
	At the commencement of the meeting, there will be an open session lasting up to 15 minutes, for members of the public to address Members of the Committee in connection with planning applications to be considered at the meeting. This session allows both applicants and objectors to address Members. Any other information relating to items on the agenda will be considered as part of the agenda item.	
	Issues/concerns/information not related to any item on the agenda will be considered at a later date or referred to the appropriate body.	
2021 106	Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 amended by the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014 on 6 August 2014	6.45 pm
	As Local (Parish and Town) Council meetings can now be recorded, the Chairman to check if any members of the public wish to record the meeting, to ensure reasonable facilities can be provided. The meeting is already being recorded by the Officer for public broadcast via the Home Valley Parish Council YouTube channel.	
2021 107	To accept apologies for absence	6.46 pm
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2021 113	New Planning Applications – Kirklees Council	6.52 pm
	- To consider new or amended applications received by Kirklees Council from 17 November 2020 to 8 December 2020 inclusive – List 2021/10 enclosed (D) (E)	
2021 114	Kirklees Council – Planning Officers' Decisions	7.20 pm
	- To note list of Decision Notices issued by Kirklees Council for the period 17 November 2020 to 8 December 2020 inclusive (F)	
2021 115	Neighbourhood Planning	7.21 pm
	- To receive any report of recent Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group meetings and events and developments of the Plan – Chairman of Steering Group to report if required	
2021 116	Peak District National Park Authority	7.23 pm
	a. To note list of Decision Notices issued by the Peak District National Park Authority for the period 17 November 2020 to 8 December 2020 inclusive (G)	
	 b. <u>To consider: a review of the Peak District National Park Local Plan and how the views of the Parish Council will be represented and the residents of Holme might be represented.</u> (H) 	
2021 117	Kirklees Council Consultation on Supplementary Planning Documents	7.30 pm
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Close **8.00 pm**

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DRAFT MINUTES OF THE VIRTUAL PLANNING STANDING COMMITTEE HELD VIA THE ZOOM PLATFORM ON MONDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2020

Those present: Chairman: Cllr M Blacka Councillors: P Colling, RP Dixon, T Dixon, R Hogley, M Pogson Officer: Mr R McGill (Deputy Clerk)

Welcome

Cllr Blacka welcomed Councillors to this virtual meeting of the new Planning Standing Committee.

Open Session at Planning

No members of public were present for the open session.

2021 88 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 Deputy Clerk was recording the meeting via the Zoom platform in audio and video formats for upload to YouTube.

2021 89 To accept apologies for absence

Cllr Gould said he would be late for the meeting and may not be able to attend. Cllr Pogson had reported that he would be late; he joined the meeting at 1902hrs. Cllr RP Dixon joined the meeting just after its start. **RESOLVED**: The Committee approved the apologies.

2021 90 To receive Members' and Officers' personal and disclosable pecuniary interests in items on the agenda

Cllr Hogley declared a personal interest with regard to planning application 12 under agenda item 2021 95.

2021 91 To consider written requests for new DPI dispensations

No written requests for new DPI dispensations had been received.

2021 92 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.

2021 93 To confirm the Minutes of the Previous Meeting

RESOLVED: The Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 2 November 2020, numbered 2021 71 – 2021 87 inclusive were confirmed.

2021 94 Completed Planning Applications Lists

NOTED:

The Planning Committee noted List 2021/08 updated with the views of the Committee.

Planning Standing Committee 23 November 2020

2021 95 New Planning Applications – Kirklees Council

Members considered new or amended applications received by Kirklees Council from 26 October 2020 to 17 November 2020 inclusive – List 2021/09. **RESOLVED:** That the Standing Committee's comments on the above applications be forwarded to Kirklees Council by the Deputy Clerk.

[Cllr Pogson joined the meeting here]

2021 96 Kirklees Council – Planning Officers' Decisions

NOTED: The Planning Standing Committee noted the list of Decision Notices issued by Kirklees Council for the period 26 October 2020 to 17 November 2020 inclusive.

2021 97 Neighbourhood Planning

Cllr Hogley reported that Holme Valley Parish Council Neighbourhood Development Plan had been greenlighted by Kirklees Council as meeting all statutory requirements and will now move on to the next stage to be reviewed by the independent Planning Examiner. The Neighbourhood Development Plan also now moves to its final phase of public consultation which is called Regulation 16 and is performed by the primary authorities. For 8 weeks from the 12th December the consultation allows people to give their comments which are then collated by Kirklees before being forwarded to the Examiner with the Plan and comment from Kirklees and the Peak District National Park Authority. The Examiner, on reviewing the documentation, can approve the plan, ask for changes or reject it entirely. The website will be updated with this new information, and articles will appear in the Holme Valley Review.

The Committee commended Cllr Hogley and the Neighbourhood Development Plan Steering Group for all their hard work.

2021 98 Peak District National Park Authority

NOTED: the Committee noted List 2021-04PD updated with the views of the Committee

NOTED: the Committee noted the list of Decision Notices issued by the Peak District National Park Authority for the period 26 October 2020 to 17 November 2020.

2021 99 Ways of working for the Planning Standing Committee

The Committee considered proposals from the Chair drafted in a discussion paper with the aim of adapting the ways of working of the Planning Standing Committee. **RESOLVED**: The Committee voted to adopt a way of working whereby a standard reply of "No observation; support the decisions of Kirklees officers" was given for three types of applications, - 1) Listed Building Consents, 2) Discharges of Conditions, 3) Tree Preservation Orders (but also note our NDP Policy 2 Point 3 in which we stress the importance of significant trees).

RESOLVED: The Committee voted to look again at modifying the Planning Committee's ways of working in 6 months' time.

2021 100 Kirklees Council Consultation on Supplementary Planning Documents

Cllr Hogley reported that the consultation period had been extended to 14th December. Cllr Gould had been working on a response. Cllr Hogley suggested that the response should, if possible, be considered at the next meeting of the Planning Committee, also on 14 December.

RESOLVED: The Deputy Clerk to contact Kirklees Council regarding the submission deadline of the Parish Council's response to the consultation to ask if we could submit one day later than the advertised deadline.

RESOLVED: Cllr Blacka to get in touch with Cllr Gould about drawing together the Committee's response on behalf of the Parish Council.

2021 101 Issue with shop frontage

NOTED: The Committee noted the Deputy Clerk's letter of complaint to Mathias Franklin, Kirklees Head of Planning and Development.

NOTED: The Deputy Clerk reported that he had received a response from Kirklees Planning. He had been informed that two enforcement notices requesting further information from the shops had been issued, and a full report was pending from the enforcement officer allocated these cases.

2021 102 Application to divert a footpath Wolfstones

NOTED: The Committee noted that Kirklees Council had voted to maintain its objection to the proposed amendment to Footpath 60 Wolfstones at the Council meeting 9 November 2020, and the Council Chairman has received another letter from the agent for the applicant.

2021 103 Upper Graveyard of Lane United Reformed Church

NOTED: The Committee noted that the Deputy Clerk had emailed a local resident who had raised the issue of access to the former graveyard of the Lane United Reformed Church informing her that the issue is not a Council matter as per YLCA advice.

2021 104 Revocation of Kirklees Council Huddersfield Town Centre Blueprint Supplementary Planning Document (SPD)

NOTED: The Committee noted the letter from Mathias Franklin Head of Planning and Development explaining the notice of revocation.

2021 105 Planning Standing Committee Budget 2021-22

RESOLVED: The Planning Standing Committee voted to request a similar budget to the current year given that the next stage of the Neighbourhood Development Plan would benefit from expenditure on publicity encouraging people to engage with the consultation and subsequent referendum.

The meeting closed at 7.50PM.

Chairman

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HVPC Reference:	2021/09/01
Application No:	2020/62/93501/W
Location:	Scotgate House, 2, Scotgate Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6JQ
Ward/Councillors:	Honley Central and East – PC BL SS
Proposed	Part change of use of ground floor office to Class E day centre and
Development:	alterations to parking area (Within a Conservation Area)
OS Map Ref:	SE 413617.3548411952.5676
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93501
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/02
Application No:	2020/62/93504/W
Location:	1, Meltham House, Tenter Hill, New Mill, Holmfirth, HD9 7HF
Ward/Councillors:	Fulstone – DF DH
Proposed	Alterations to existing store to extend living accommodation and
Development:	alterations
OS Map Ref:	SE 416767.9279407687.5886
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93504
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/03
Application No:	2020/62/93567/W
Location:	30, Scholes Moor Road, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1SJ
Ward/Councillors:	Scholes – MB RPD
Proposed	Erection of single and two storey rear and side extensions
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415354.0287407035.0964
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93567
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/04
Application No:	2020/62/93403/W
Location:	Holme Farm, Haddingley Lane, Cumberworth, Huddersfield, HD8 8YD
Ward/Councillors:	Fulstone – DF DH
Proposed	Alterations to first floor store to extend living accommodation
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 418465.0358407087.6459
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93403
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/05
Application No:	2020/62/93178/W
Location:	18, Sheardale, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RU
Ward/Councillors:	Honley West – SE CG
Proposed	Erection of dormer and increase roof height of attached garage to form
Development:	first floor accommodation
OS Map Ref:	SE 413143.4684411869.0942
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93178
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/06
Application No:	2020/70/93548/W
Location:	106, Greenfield Road, Holmfirth, HD9 2LP
Ward/Councillors:	Upperthong – DC BF
Proposed	Variation conditions 15, 16, 17, 19, 20 on previous permission
Development:	2015/94106 for outline application for erection of 8 dwellings and
	demolition of existing dwelling
OS Map Ref:	SE 413339.894407938.4956
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93548
HVPC Comment:	Difficult to understand the variations; defer to the Kirklees
	Officer
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/07
Application No:	2020/62/93472/W
Location:	40, Far Banks, Far End Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6NW
Ward/Councillors:	Honley South - JS
Proposed	Erection of single storey side and rear extensions
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 414360.7109411463.5119
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93472
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/08
Application No:	2020/62/93519/W
Location:	8, Poplar Avenue, Thongsbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 7TL
Ward/Councillors:	Wooldale – JB PD DG
Proposed	Demolition of existing detached garage and erection of single storey
Development:	side extension
OS Map Ref:	SE 415133.915410045.737
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93519
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/09
Application No:	2020/62/93551/W
Location:	56, Netherlea Drive, Netherthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3EX
Ward/Councillors:	Netherthong – JD JR
Proposed	Erection of single storey extension to front and porch to side
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413907.6184409540.3647
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93551
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/10
Application No:	2020/62/93538/W
Location:	40, Burnlee Road, Holmfirth, HD9 2PS
Ward/Councillors:	Upperthong – DC BF
Proposed	Erection of two storey side extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413063.5337407705.8483
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93538
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/11
Application No:	2020/62/93610/W
Location:	9, Paris Mews, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1QU
Ward/Councillors:	Scholes – MB RPD
Proposed	Erection of single storey rear extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415335.0765406958.8757
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93610
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/12
Application No:	2020/62/93658/W
Location:	The Woolstore, Fearnley Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 1UR
Ward/Councillors:	Wooldale – JB PD DG
Proposed	Erection of two storey side extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415366.4529408425.189
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93658
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/13
Application No:	2020/62/93634/W
Location:	46, Station Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6LL
Ward/Councillors:	Honley Central and East – PC BL SS
Proposed	Erection of single storey side and rear extensions and dormer
Development:	windows to front and rear
OS Map Ref:	SE 414460.6948412258.4492
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93634
HVPC Comment:	Insufficient information to clarify regarding Highways and
	impact on neighbours
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/14
Application No:	2020/62/93578/W
Location:	43, The Oval, Netherthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3ET
Ward/Councillors:	Netherthong – JD JR
Proposed	Erection of single storey front extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413921.503409323.3602
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93578
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/15
Application No:	2020/60/93699/W
Location:	site adj, 13, Cuckoo Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6AS
Ward/Councillors:	Honley Central and East – PC BL SS
Proposed	Outline application for erection of one dwelling (within a Conservation
Development:	Area)
OS Map Ref:	SE 413700.5484411943.1733
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93699
HVPC Comment:	Object because in the curtilage of a grade 2 listed building
	and will have a detrimental environmental impact
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/16
Application No:	2020/62/93672/W
Location:	246, Woodhead Road, Holmbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 2SA
Ward/Councillors:	Upper Holme Valley – KB TB
Proposed	Erection of garden room/workshop and demolition of existing shed
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 411848.5944406570.4616
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93672
HVPC Comment:	Support
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/09/17
Application No:	2020/70/93738/W
Location:	Springfield Barn, Fieldhead Lane, Holme, Holmfirth, HD9 2QJ
Ward/Councillors:	Upper Holme Valley – KB TB
Proposed	Removal of condition 5. (permitted development) on previous
Development:	permission no. 97/92281 for re-use, extension and adaptation of
	redundant barn to form dwelling
OS Map Ref:	SE 410953.1981406290.6425
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93738
HVPC Comment:	Defer to Kirklees Officers' decision
Decision:	

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HVPC Reference:	2021/10/01
Application No:	2020/62/93750/W
Location:	18, Holmebank Mews, Brockholes, Holmfirth, HD9 7EA
Ward/Councillors:	Brockholes - MP
Proposed	Erection of conservatory to rear
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 414972.6197411039.4652
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93750
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/02
Application No:	2020/CL/93689/W
Location:	2, Southwood Avenue, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6QP
Ward/Councillors:	Honley Central & East – PC BL SS
Proposed	Certificate of lawfulness for existing raised decking
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 414933.223412181.4591
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93689
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/03
Application No:	2020/62/93741/W
Location:	Holme Valley Memorial Hospital, Huddersfield Road, Thongsbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 3TS
Ward/Councillors:	Netherthong – JD JR
Proposed	Installation of replacement windows (within the curtilage of a Listed
Development:	Building)
OS Map Ref:	SE 414360.1651409139.7151
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93741
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

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HVPC Reference:	2021/10/04
Application No:	2020/62/93659/W
Location:	190A, Woodhead Road, Holmbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 2NL
Ward/Councillors:	Upper Holme Valley – KB TB
Proposed	Alterations to convert existing dwelling into two dwellings (within a
Development:	Conservation Area)
OS Map Ref:	SE 412352.551406938.3742
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93659
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/05
Application No:	2020/62/93871/W
Location:	Shaw Cottage, Shaw Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 2PY
Ward/Councillors:	Upper Holme Valley – KB TB
Proposed	Erection of single and two storey rear extensions
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 412814.1535407438.956
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93871
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/06
Application No:	2020/62/91637/W
Location:	land adj, 226, Dunford Road, Holmfirth, HD9 2DU
Ward/Councillors:	Holmfirth Central – GB RH
Proposed	Erection of detached dwelling
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 414568.4968407582.8049
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/91637
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/07
Application No:	2020/62/93882/W
Location:	33, Hepworth Crescent, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 1HU
Ward/Councillors:	Hepworth - TD
Proposed	Erection of two storey side and single storey rear extensions
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 416441.4436406975.8558
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93882
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/08
Application No:	2020/62/93884/W
Location:	Roselyne, 124, Greenhill Bank Road, Totties, Holmfirth, HD9 1UN
Ward/Councillors:	Wooldale – JB PD DG
Proposed	Erection of first floor extension with front and rear dormers
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415789.9087408206.3257
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93884
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/09
Application No:	2020/62/93862/W
Location:	Birchwood, 8, Wood Farm Lane, Brockholes, Holmfirth, HD9 7AP
Ward/Councillors:	Brockholes - MP
Proposed	Erection of first floor extension, front extension to existing garage and
Development:	alterations
OS Map Ref:	SE 415450.6202410926.3938
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93862
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/10
Application No:	2020/62/93531/W
Location:	Latham Barn, Gatehead Lane, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 7TU
Ward/Councillors:	Hepworth - TD
Proposed	Erection of rear extension and balcony and alterations to holiday
Development:	let/bed and breakfast unit and garage to create dwelling forming annex
	accommodation associated with Latham Barn, Gatehead Lane,
	Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 7TU
OS Map Ref:	SE 417624.8861405665.4923
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93531
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/11
Application No:	2020/62/93839/W
Location:	Moss View, Cinder Hills Road, Holmfirth, HD9 1EE
Ward/Councillors:	Holmfirth Central – GB RH
Proposed	Change of use of land to extend domestic curtilage and erection of
Development:	shed (within a Conservation Area)
OS Map Ref:	SE 414686.203407881.7989
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93839
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/12
Application No:	2020/62/93878/W
Location:	Hepworth View, Far Lane, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 1TL
Ward/Councillors:	Hepworth - TD
Proposed	Demolition of conservatory and erection of single storey extension
Development:	(within a Conservation Area)
OS Map Ref:	SE 416449.3239406531.8853
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93878
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/13
Application No:	2020/62/93874/W
Location:	High View, 51, Binns Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 3JU
Ward/Councillors:	Upperthong – DC BF
Proposed	Erection of two storey side extension (within a Conservation Area)
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413605.8699408104.3726
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93874
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/14
Application No:	2020/62/93815/W
Location:	23, Lydgate Drive, New Mill, Holmfirth, HD9 1LW
Ward/Councillors:	Fulstone – DF DH
Proposed	Erection of two story extension to side
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415938.0971409009.8968
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93815
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/15
Application No:	2020/62/93939/W
Location:	10, Water Street, Holmbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 2NY
Ward/Councillors:	Upper Holme Valley – KB TB
Proposed	Erection of rear balcony (within a Conservation Area)
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 412664.2579407101.1297
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93939
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/16
Application No:	2020/62/93894/W
Location:	137, Huddersfield Road, Thongsbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 3TP
Ward/Councillors:	Netherthong – JD JR
Proposed	Erection of two storey rear extension, raised terrace area and
Development:	formation of new parking and turning area
OS Map Ref:	SE 414374.2888408947.7833
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning-
	applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93894
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/17
Application No:	2020/62/93841/W
Location:	Scholes Post Office, St George's Road, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1UQ
Ward/Councillors:	Scholes – MB RPD
Proposed	Installation of security shutter to front entrance
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 415970.6018407683.9235
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93841
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/18
Application No:	2020/62/93989/W
Location:	Oldfield Road Farm, Oldfield Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RL
Ward/Councillors:	Honley South - JS
Proposed	Erection of agricultural building
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413824.4021410694.3243
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93989
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/19
Application No:	2020/62/93901/W
Location:	Netherhouse Cottage, Broad Lane, Upperthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3XA
Ward/Councillors:	Upperthong – DC BF
Proposed	Rebuild cottage with extensions and external alterations to form
Development:	extension to existing cottage
OS Map Ref:	SE 412715.0305408188.3957
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/93901
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/20
Application No:	2020/62/94040/W
Location:	Barnside Farm, Barnside Lane, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 1TN
Ward/Councillors:	Hepworth - TD
Proposed	Change of use from agricultural barn to bunk barn tourist/leisure
Development:	accommodation
OS Map Ref:	SE 416985.3346405985.2122
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/94040
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/21
Application No:	2020/62/94002/W
Location:	30, Carr View Road, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 1HX
Ward/Councillors:	Hepworth - TD
Proposed	Erection of single storey side and rear extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 416490.5577406809.9117
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/94002
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/22
Application No:	2020/62/94050/W
Location:	Stafford Dairy, 56a, Scotgate Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RE
Ward/Councillors:	Honley West – SE CG
Proposed	Erection of detached garage to side
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 413047.681411957.2229
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/94050
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

HVPC Reference:	2021/10/23
Application No:	2020/62/94001/W
Location:	Fieldholme, 117, Huddersfield Road, Holmfirth, HD9 3JA
Ward/Councillors:	Holmfirth Central – GB RH
Proposed	Erection of two storey side extension and single storey front extension
Development:	
OS Map Ref:	SE 414293.7669408608.1527
Link:	http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-applications/search-for-planning- applications/detail.aspx?id=2020/94001
HVPC Comment:	
Decision:	

No.	Location	Development	HVPC Comment	Kirklees Decision
92760	Four Winds, Sandy Gate, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1SS	Variation conditions 2 (plans) and 3 (materials) on previous permission 2019/92386 for erection of two storey dwelling with attached single storey dwelling forming annex accommodation and demolition of existing dwelling at Fourwinds, Sandy Gate, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1SS	Support	Granted
90691	75, Wooldale Road, Wooldale, Holmfirth, HD9 1QG	Erection of chicken shed (Listed Building within a Conservation Area)	Support	Granted (though the report recommended refusal)
92192	North Royd, Bank End, Thurstonland Bank Road, Brockholes, Holmfirth, HD9 7BE	Erection of single and two storey extensions, alterations to convert integral garage to extend living accommodation and erection of carport	Support	Granted
93216	1, Cherry Tree Walk, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1XG	Certificate of lawfulness for proposed single storey side extension	Defer to Kirklees Planning	Granted
92999	Brockleigh, 27, Modd Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 2JZ	Erection of single and two storey side extension	Support	Granted
92131	33, Upper Bank End Road, Holmfirth, HD9 1EP	Alterations to detached garage to create dwelling forming annex accommodation associated with 33, Upper Bank End Road, Holmfirth, HD9 1EP and erection of front dormer and canopy to existing dwelling	Support subject to the provision of adequate parking.	Granted
92428	Rockhouse, 8, Summervale, Holmfirth, HD9 7AG	Erection of decking	Support	Refused
93203	Broad View, Fieldhead Lane, Holme, Holmfirth, HD9 2QJ	Conversion of loft, installation of new windows to gable wall and Velux rooflights, removal of chimney stack, improvements to roof and adaptation of lounge window to glazed door (within a Conservation Area)	Support	Granted
93257	36A, Sheardale, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RU	Erection of front porch extension and formation of parking are	Support	Granted

92731	Field Head Barn, Bent Road, Hepworth, Holmfirth, HD9 1TS	Erection of detached garage/machinery store/potting shed	Support	Granted
93252	3, The Heights, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1SB	Demolition of existing conservatory and erection of single storey rear extension	Support	Granted
92648	The Lofts, Ward Place, Ward Place Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 2AB	Installation of one external door, one window and one rooflight (within the curtilage of a Listed Building)	Support	Granted
91388	Land at Gynn Lane, Honley, Holmfirth,	Outline application for the erection of up to 50 no. dwellings, all matters reserved except access	Withdrawn	Withdrawn
92315	2, Denham Drive, Netherthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3HA	Erection of extensions and alterations to create dwelling forming annex accommodation associated with 2, Denham Drive, Netherthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3HA	In support subject to matching materials.	Granted
92938	45, Liphill Bank Road, Holmfirth, HD9 2LQ	Erection of extension to raised decked area	Support	Granted
90853	Hunter House Farm, Wood Nook Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 4DU	Alterations to barn to create dwelling forming annex accommodation associated with Hunter House Farm, Wood Nook Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 4DU (Listed Building)	Supports subject to Conservation Area Officer approval.	Granted
90854	Hunter House Farm, Wood Nook Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 4DU	Listed Building Consent for alterations to barn to create dwelling forming annex accommodation associated with Hunter House Farm, Wood Nook Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 4DU	Support subject to Officer approval.	Granted
93212	The Old Sty, Oldfield Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RN	Erection of replacement agricultural building	Support	Granted
93123	Middlefield House, Bradshaw Road, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6RJ	Erection of agricultural building	Defer to Kirklees Planning Department because there is a lack of detail about the nature of the agricultural use.	Granted
92646	The Lofts, Ward Place, Ward Place Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 2AB	Listed Building Consent for installation of one external door, one window and one rooflight	Support	Granted

93292	Crossgates, Booth House Lane, Holmfirth, HD9 2QT	Certificate of lawfulness for proposed demolition of existing conservatory and erection of single storey rear extension and external alterations	Support	Granted
92514	3, Spring Gardens, Upperthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3RT	Erection of single storey extension	Support	Refused
93361	Mulberry Wood, Haggroyd Lane, Brockholes, Holmfirth, HD9 7AQ	Erection of side extension to garage to form store and erection of single storey extension to dwelling	Support	Granted
93367	Wellfield, 1, Upper Meadows, Upperthong, Holmfirth, HD9 3HR	Erection of single storey rear extension and raised deck	Support	Granted
92106	land at, Dunford Road, Hade Edge, Holmfirth, HD9 2SZ	Erection of agricultural building	Supports the principle of the development but defers to Highways with regard to the access arrangements	Granted
92956	1, Hollin Brigg Lane, Holmbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 2PG	Formation of car parking space and dropped kerb	Object to the scheme as it may make the area more complex and more difficult for school times.	Granted
92075	Hillhouse Edge Quarry, Cartworth Moor Road, Cartworth Moor, Holmfirth, HD9 2RL	The extension of mineral extraction and subsequent restoration by means of infill	Support subject to concerns raised by the Cricket Club being addressed and confirmation that there will not be a negative effect on the water supply for neighbouring properties	Granted
92229	Brookside, 67, Hall Ing Lane, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6QW	Raising of roof height and erection of extension to create first floor living accommodation	Support	Granted
92111	Land off, Cartworth Road, Cartworth Moor, Holmfirth, HD9 2ST	Erection of stable block and ancillary equestrian storage and formation of riding arena (Modified Proposal)	No objection	Granted

Peak District National Park Authority Planning Decisions for the period 17/11/2020-08/12/2020

No.	Location	Development	HVPC Comment	PDNPA Decision
NP/K/0920/0875	Meal Hill Farm, Meal Hill Road, Holme, Holmfirth	Erection of stables and hay store	Support subject to the building meeting the conditions requested by Peak District National Park planning officers	Granted



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HOLME VALLEY PARISH COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE

Response To

KIRKLEES COUNCIL CONSULTATION ON SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENTS

December 2020

<u>Summary</u>

Overall

- Welcome the issuing of these documents, which supply greater detail to supplement the provisions of the Local Plan.
- Welcome being given the opportunity to comment on the documents.
- Welcome the clarity of presentation
- Welcome the frequent references to climate change / sustainability / biodiversity in the texts of all documents but there is no sense of urgency, given that Kirklees and HVPC have declared a climate emergency. Section 4.4 Sustainable design in SPD *Extensions and alterations* is noted.

General Response:

Overall, the SPDs which are generally clearly laid out and provide a useful guide for applicants across the topics covered.

They are in many ways aligned with the more detailed information within the Holme Valley Neighbourhood Development Plan which articulates more specifics about elements such as our landscape and built character and gives the views of our community. This is important as the SPDs are written from a developer's perspective so we hope that they can be used in conjunction with the NDP to better understand the relationship between buildings and the community they sit within.

Climate change and the need to act on the climate emergency is reflected in the SPDs but not expressed in the strong terms required to drive real action. For example, the Householders Design Guide only encourages or supports renewable technologies / shared energy projects rather than requiring these things to be considered as standard and only not applied if rationale is provided.

It is important that new houses are built with solar panels, ground source heating etc. considered seriously from the start, not left to individual homeowners to add later. Many of the new developments in the valley do not seem to include these and indeed, utilities often appear to be added to and put under considerable pressure thereby causing problems for existing residents. The utilities should be enhanced, and recent problems have been visible such as recent flooding at the new housing in Scholes and lack of sufficient electrical supplies to support the promised car charging provision in Hade Edge.

The House Extensions and Alterations SPD is an extremely useful document providing a full range of positive and negative examples and I welcome this clarity which should be very helpful to those seeking to extend or alter their homes.

Overall, we welcome the opportunity to contribute to these SPDs and the additional clarity they bring. Many terms within the SPDs are subjective such as referencing character, distinctiveness and public views and we recognise that this challenge of balancing specificity with the general values of an area is a challenge for all planning documents.

However, we hope that together with the Holme Valley specifics of the NDP, these SPDs will provide a clearer articulation of what is acceptable in the future.

Holme Valley Parish Council: Specific Responses:

1) Open Space SPD

The Open Space SPD offers clarity over when and how developments should enhance local open spaces, and this is very much welcomed.

It is noteworthy that the Holme Valley is deficient in terms of the current amount of open space it has per resident the requirement for all developments over 10 homes to contribute to more open space is welcomed.

However, as an area, we have seen a considerable number of developments over the last 2 years and as a community we do not have visibility of whether any of the new developments such as at Cinderhills, Hade Edge, Scholes, Netherthong etc. have led to commitments to improve any local open spaces. As a Parish Council, we occasionally hear of contributions to highways or schools through the planning decisions which are given but not open spaces.

It is important that there is a feedback and discussion loop between Kirklees planning and the local community, so people understand what is considered regarding open spaces, and when commitments are made to contribute to local facilities. If this does not occur developments are perceived as being done to a community and the benefits (aside from the additional houses) are not clearly appreciated or focused on what that community wishes to see.

The parish Council welcomes several elements presented here such as:

- Offering worked examples of the calculations a Developer should make concerning the types and size of open spaces suggested for their proposed development and the precise amount of \$106 contribution to the Council it should make if unable to provide each element.
- > The provision of Open Space as a material consideration
- Welcome the emphasis on Play Space
- Clarity of the worked examples in Appendices 4-6.
- Clear recognition of the wide-ranging benefits of access to good quality green spaces

- Planting of more trees
- New Housing Developments: For developments of 10 or less dwellings there is no requirement to provide new open space in accordance with this SPD. However, the council would encourage the provision of amenity space, with natural habitats, within the development to ensure a well-designed scheme for the benefit of new residents.

Questions and Concerns with Open Space:

All wards in Kirklees are deficient *in at least one type of open space* and significant shortfalls in all pitch provision across Kirklees. Holme Valley North and Holme Valley South wards, which form the area of HVPC, are deficient in all types of open space provision

The eleven dwelling thresholds has been adapted from the recommended guideline of 5 dwellings set out in the Fields in Trust Guidance 'Beyond the Six Acre Standard' to reflect topographical constraints of Kirklees. Citing 'topographical constraints' does not adequately explain why this decision has been made.

We are unclear whether much of this open space precision will be of practical use. it is rare that a developer of a discrete number of houses will be proposing small pockets of appropriate size of each type of green space or that the Council will be able to compensate nearby with small increments of each type of space from the calculated \$106 contribution.

Perhaps their needs be a link required to community ideas to assess which of the 'Open Space Types' has greatest value for a specific location (it may be a playground, or it could be enhancement of nearby woodland or wetland features.)

Open space also means the permeability of gardens as wildlife corridors and one that allows affective planting. There may be an argument for encouraging different approaches to types of green space, egg some reduction in private garden space matched by increased communal, or public, green space to introduce a flow through of public, play and semi-naturalised areas with appropriate management regimes. However, we are worried that such a finely detailed approach risks encouraging a 'tick-box' response with more tiny green spaces incorporated into designs, which may be of little practical use for each claimed purpose.

We suggest that Kirklees Council should itself have a higher involvement by providing clarity in the allocation, or provision, of each type of open space in its overall plan for an area – covering both existing and future housing – into which a Developer can then submit plans for consideration. Such an approach also fits well with the philosophy of the "Planning for the Future" White Paper.

We also ask for more adequate enforcement of conditions by Kirklees Council that would enable better greening of an area.

2) Housebuilder Design Guide SPD

Overall

The Housebuilder Design Guide SPD adds little clarity in terms of Kirklees' specific requirements to what is already available in the National Design Guide.

it is important that the SPD requirements are clear and additional to the documents above the SPD in the hierarchy. The Parish Council believe that the Housebuilder Design Guides SPD needs to be both clearer and more direct detailing instructions and 'must dos; rather than guidelines which can be ignored.

it is important that developers properly understand their obligations to those living in the area affected by their development and know what they must do in every circumstance.

The Parish Council welcomes a number of elements within the proposal.

- Socially inclusive design
- > SDP guidance will be a material consideration in determining planning applications
- Developments that are adaptable to climate change are essential to make sure our communities remain desirable places to live and work. Where appropriate developers will be encouraged to produce innovative designs that are built to modern sustainable standards adaptable to the changing demands of society and the climate."
- > The entire section on How good residential design can address the climate emergency
- Contemporary designs and high-quality modern interpretations of distinctive local characteristics would be welcomed where they are demonstrably appropriate to the site context and make a positive contribution to the wider environment
- The treatment of steep slopes
- Consideration of the visual impact on long distance views.
- > The whole section on Steps to enhance biodiversity, including wildlife friendly lighting
- Design to discourage anti-social parking

Questions and concerns

- The Housebuilder Design Guide SPD adds little clarity in terms of Kirklees' specific requirements to what is already available in the National Design Guide.
- Pre-application advice. Why does this seem to have been accessed so infrequently for planning applications in the Holme Valley?
- Community Engagement: Could there be a clear role for HVPC here? Is this something valuable which we can bring to the process.

- It is unclear how the document can be appraised and scored exactly against the planning and SPD requirements given so many imprecise requirements.
- To establish high quality environments, it is important that developers properly understand their obligations to those living in the area affected by the planned development.

3) House Extensions and Alterations SPD

Overall

The Parish Council notes that the House Extensions and Alterations SPD contains many good suggestions for those wishing to extend or improve their homes. The subject is broad given the range of house types and local circumstances across The Holme Valley.

The document is particularly relevant to the Holme Valley, as we have so many applications for extensions and alterations

The document, is clear with very helpful illustrations of acceptable and unacceptable alterations and extensions however we are concerned that it may be unrealistic to try to provide a guide to the very broad subject of house extensions and alterations in the form of an SPD.

The Parish Council feel that Kirklees Council should provide guidance, rules and detail what should be done in specific circumstances.

The Parish Council welcomes a number of elements within the proposal

- The statement that the guide is relevant to all extensions and alterations, whether planning permission is needed or not
- The whole section on Advice before you begin and particularly the strong advice to check if planning permission is required
- The Council welcomes and encourages discussion with the Planning Service before a planning application is submitted
- Encouragement to applicants to discuss proposals with neighbours
- Sustainable design
- Requirements for people with dementia and disability access

4) Biodiversity Net Gain in Kirklees Technical Advice Note

Overview:

The Holme Valley Parish Council welcomes the document and what it seeks to achieve, i.e., all development should avoid significant loss to biodiversity and development proposals should provide biodiversity gains

We Approve the requirement that minor developments, i.e., less than 10 dwellings, are subject to the mitigation hierarchy. As with all major developments, minor developments will still be expected to provide adequate ecological information, apply the mitigation hierarchy, and demonstrate a biodiversity net gain in accordance with the National Planning Policy Framework and Kirklees Local Plan Policy LP30.

As we know most new build planning applications in the Holme Valley are for less than 10 houses.

In General, we:

- Are encouraged by the requirement that new private gardens should be designed to be "wildlife friendly" but what does this mean in practice?
- Support the Local Plan (LP30) requirement for development proposals to provide net biodiversity gains through good design by incorporating biodiversity enhancements and habitat creation.
- Approve the notion that development should be carried out in line with the mitigation hierarchy as highlighted to result in no significant ecological harm. Use of this hierarchy, significant harm should be avoided.

Investigation into width of public footpath Holmfirth 60 at Wolfstones Heights Farm, Upperthong, Holmfirth, West Yorks. Nearest postcode: HD9 3UU. Grid reference: SE 1280 0911.

Dear Sir / Madam

Definitive Map Modification Order (DMMO) application. Section 53 Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981. Investigation into the width of part of public footpath Holmfirth 60 at Wolfstones Heights Farm, Upperthong, West Yorkshire Nearest postcode: HD9 3UU. Grid reference: SE 1280 0911

I am writing to you as you have previously responded to a consultation or expressed a view on a proposal to divert part of the above footpath.

Kirklees Council has recently received an application for a Definitive Map Modification Order (DMMO) to vary the particulars shown in the Statement accompanying the Definitive Map.

Public footpath Holmfirth 60 is currently recorded as approximately 1.2 metres (4ft) wide along its whole length. The application is to increase the recorded width of part of this path. This is shown as by letters A-B-C-D-E on the attached plan.

Do you have any evidence about the width of this path?

We are aware that the available width of part of the path between points A and B has recently been narrowed to approximately 1.2 metres – we need to establish the width of the path that was available or actually used prior to that change. We would welcome any evidence regarding the width of this path, whether or not it supports the application.

- 1. If you have used this path we would like to know:
- a) Over what time period(s) you used it.
- b) The width of the path that you used.
- c) How wide was the path you used in feet or metres?
- d) Did you use the whole width available on the ground or did you only use a narrower width, e.g. along one side?
- e) Did the width of the path change over time?
- f) Were there any gates or stiles in place during the time in which you used the path? Where were they?

- 2. Are you aware of any documentary evidence (including photos) that would assist in determining the width of the public right of way? (We already have copies of Ordnance Survey maps).
- 3. Do you have any other comments regarding the width of footpath Holmfirth 60?

We would also welcome receipt of any evidence that suggests the public right of way IS confined to a width of approximately 1.2m or any other width.

We are investigating whether or not a public right of way that already exists is wider than 1.2m (4ft) and the exact position of the public right of way on the ground. We are not proposing to create a new public right of way. We are unable to consider matters such as safety, security, or the merits of any proposal to divert the path.

If you have any evidence to add or any comment to make, I would be grateful if you could let me have it within 28 days of receipt of this email. Please reply to phil.champion@kirklees.gov.uk

Please note that this communication forms part of the investigation of the application to modify the Definitive Map and Statement and that no decision on the application has yet been made by the Council.

In due course the matter will be considered by Kirklees Council's Huddersfield area Planning Subcommittee who will make a decision whether or not to make an Order to modify the Definitive Map and Statement. Any evidence you provide will be taken into consideration.

If you require any further information about this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Any comments you make or evidence you provide may eventually become public and may be used in evidence at a Public Inquiry.

Kind regards

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