



**Minutes of the meeting of the Attleborough Town Council
Planning & Highways Committee
held on Monday 6th November 2023 at 6.30pm
Held at the Town Hall, Queens Square.**

Present:

Cllr E Tyrer – presiding
Anne Willett – Town Clerk Assistant – Minute Taker
Cllr V Dale, Cllr A Westby,
Public x 9

Cllr Tyrer opened the meeting and welcomed everyone and explained that six members had been elected to the Planning & Highways Committee but unfortunately three members had given their apologies and were unable to attend due to illness. In terms of Item 1 and Item 2, Cllr Tyrer stated he would like to defer to next meeting to enable the members that were absent tonight to take part in the nomination. Those present all agreed.

001.23) To Elect a Committee Chairman – Deferred to next meeting

002.23) To Elect a Committee Vice Chairman – Deferred to next meeting

003.23) Apologies for Absence

Cllr Mackinnon, Cllr Leslie, Cllr Bond, Town Clerk S Smyth

004.23) Declarations of Interest

- a) To receive and consider declarations of interest in items below:
(Members are no longer required to declare personal or prejudicial interests but are to declare any new Disclosable Pecuniary Interests that are not currently included in the Register of Interests. Members are reminded that under the Code of Conduct they are not to participate and must leave the room for the whole of an agenda item to which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest. Members may disclose any other interests they may have in the interests of transparency) – None received
- b) To receive and consider dispensations in respect of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests – None received

005.23) First Public Participation (10 Minutes)

- In answer to residents query Cllr Tyrer explained the Cllr was entitled to sit at the table but would not be entitled to vote or make any comment
- In answer to residents question regarding inaugural P&H meeting, Cllr Tyrer explained the previous P&H had been incorporated into ATC meeting but it was felt it would be better to reinstate in order for Cllrs to give more credence to Planning.
- In answer to residents query regarding if there had been any detailed application for land at Bunns Bank, Cllr Tyrer said he was not aware of any. In answer to resident query regarding Planning appeal made on Norwich Road development, Cllr Dale offered to give resident paper copy of appeal.
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006.23) Planning Matters

- a) **Planning Applications** (Applications agreed and responses made) –
On the motion of Cllr Westby, seconded by Cllr Dale, it was

RESOLVED – to approve and accept the recommendations already agreed and submitted prior to meeting.

b) **Planning Applications** (Not due yet) –

3OB/2023/0044/DOB – ATTLEBOROUGH: Land at Haverscroft House Farm London Road –

Application to discharge the Planning Obligation, Schedule 2, Clause 1.4 of the S106 relating to 3PL/2016/0325/f – Magenta land has been provided & made available to allow occupancy of more than 80% of the dwellings.

On the motion of Cllr Westby, seconded by Cllr Dale, it was

RESOLVED – approve no objections as comments for planning responses

3PL/2023/1009/F – ATTLEBOROUGH: Land off Long Street – Erection of 1 dwelling

On the motion of Cllr Westby, seconded by Cllr Dale, it was

RESOLVED – approve no objections as comments for planning responses

3PL/2023/1008/A – ATTLEBOROUGH: Nationwide Building Society Church Street. - Replace

1no. projecting signage with new 500mm externally illuminated signage to front elevation and retain existing brackets. Replace 1no. fascia & 1no. Lozenge logo with 1no. internally illuminated New blue fascia & 1no. New 150mm logo height. Statutory signage to be replaced with new 1no. Lozenge logo to be replaces on side elevation with 1no. New blue internally illuminate fascia & 1no. New 150mm logo height.

On the motion of Cllr Dale, seconded by Cllr Westby, it was

RESOLVED – approve no objections as comments for planning responses

007.23) ANP Review –

Cllr Tyrer had spoken with Simon Wood, Head of Planning at Breckland Council and there would be a meeting with them in terms of scoping out what the terms of the ANP Review should be, it is likely to be minor, but need to ensure it links with Breckland Local Plan.

008.23) Car Park Strategy – to consider the assessment of existing and possible future provision

In discussion with Breckland Council and an update will be given at the next meeting.

09.23) Highways Matters

Concerns with flooding and maintenance. The crossing on Connaught Road had been remarked but not the crossing on Surrogate Street. What has been beneficial was when the Town Council made representation to Highways to improve the white road markings these had been done.

010.23) Street Lighting

On the motion of Cllr Westby, seconded by Cllr Tyrer, it was

RESOLVED - ATC do not take on the responsibility of street lighting within the SUE Development or any new development.

011.23) Second Public Participation (10 Minutes)

- Cllr Tyrer was not able to confirm when resident asked if Link Road was going to happen
- Resident queried car park strategy, Cllr Tyrer answered the plan was to scope out and discuss with Breckland.
- Resident queried were there any plans for White House Lane, Cllrs were not aware of any.

012.23) Items for the next Agenda

Car Park Strategy

Meeting Closed 7pm

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