

FORNHAM ALL SAINTS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Parish Council Planning Committee Meeting of Fornham All Saints Parish Council held on 19th June 2017 at 5.30pm in Fornham All Saints Village Hall, The Green, Fornham All Saints.

Members Present:

Mr Howard Quayle – Chairman
Mr Gary Clark Ward
Mr Bernard Grimshaw

Mrs Enid Gathercole
Mrs W Braithwaite

With Mrs Victoria Waples (Clerk)

1191. OPENING STATEMENT – a statement was read out indicating, that in accordance with changes in legislation, the public and councillors were permitted to film, photograph or use social media in order to report on the proceedings of the meeting.
A full transcript of the statement is available from the Clerk upon request.
1192. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE – there were none applicable.
1193. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON PECUNIARY INTEREST
- i. There were none declared.
 - ii. There were no disclosures of gifts of hospitality exceeding £25.
 - iii. There were no requests for dispensations with regards to the Agenda under discussion.
1194. Minutes of Annual Parish Council Meeting of 16th May 2017 – to be approved at full parish council meeting scheduled for 18th July 2017
1195. PUBLIC FORUM – to receive comments from the public present on the matters arising on the agenda– there were none present.
1196. PLANNING MATTERS: to discuss & consider the following:
- DC/17/0842/FUL – installation of acoustic fencing along the North West and South West boundaries of the Northern Way employment area in connection with Hybrid Planning Permission – DC/13/0932/HYB @ land North West of Bury, Tut Hill – brought to the Council’s attention due to new and material information coming forth – it was noted that this meeting had been called to re-consider Planning Application DC/17/0842/FUL, in the light of information newly received:
The committee noted that the number of trees removed (or planned for removal) was approx. 131, but new information provided by Countryside Properties has revealed:
 - a. An additional area, covering 1,396 sq metres, will be planted with trees . This more than mitigates for the loss of the approx. 131 trees removed(or planned for removal).
 - b. None of the trees to be removed are covered by TPOs.
 - c. Bat boxes will be installed in the woodland area adjacent to the proposed acoustic fence.
- Additionally, a recent re-visit to the existing woodland site adjacent to the acoustic fence has confirmed that there will be "no loss of amenity" as the result of the present scheme.
As a result of the above information, it was agreed that the Parish Council wished to withdraw its objection to Planning Application DC/17/0842/FUL; aif.

There being no other business the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 6.05pm.

So signed by the Chairman at a meeting of full Council on 18th July 2017