

**NEW FRANKLEY IN BIRMINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL**

At a meeting of the Planning, Environmental, Highways and Public Transport Committee held at the Parish Council Offices, 12 Arden Road, Frankley on Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> April 2017 at 1930 hours.

Present: -

Councillor Sam Goodwin (in the chair)  
Councillors Ian Bruckshaw, Eric Carter BEM, Linda Coates, Sid Grey MBE and Joanna Walker

**MINUTES**

**APPOINTMENT OF THE MEMBERS AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE**

464 Resolution No.4409 of the Parish Council appointing Councillors Carter, Linda Coates, Goodwin, Grey and Hollis to serve on the Committee together with the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson as ex-officio members and appointing Councillor Goodwin as Chairperson of the Committee was noted.

**TERMS OF REFERENCE**

465 The following Terms of Reference for the Committee were noted –

(Interleaved Document no. 1)

**DATES FOR FUTURE MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE**

466 It was agreed that future meetings of the Committee be convened at the call of the Chairperson as and when there is business to be transacted.

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

467 An apology for non-attendance was submitted on behalf of Councillor Bill Hollis (Illness). The reason for the Councillor's absence was approved.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS (EXISTENCE AND NATURE) WITH REGARD TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

468 No declarations were made.

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION WITH RESPECT TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

469 No Members of the Public were present.

### **MINUTES**

It was proposed by Councillor Linda Coates, seconded by Councillor Bruckshaw, and, with none dissenting, was -

470 **RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the meetings of the Planning, Environmental, Highways and Public Transport Committee held on 8th August 2016 having previously been circulated, were taken as read, confirmed and signed.

(Interleaved document no 2)

### **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

#### **Consultation Document – North Worcestershire Golf Club Proposed Development.**

The following Planning Consultation document regarding the outline planning application for the demolition of the club house and the development of up to 950 dwellings, public open space, primary school, multi-use community hub, new access points and associated infrastructure was submitted.

(Interleaved Document no. 3)

Referring to the consultation and in particular the proposal to develop 950 dwellings, Members expressed concern that should the development be approved, the surrounding highways infrastructure would not cope with the anticipated increase in traffic.

Additionally, it was agreed that the proposal would coincide with the proposed housing development in Longbridge, therefore placing a heavy burden on the main highway into the City Centre and would create the necessity for road widening both locally and into the City Centre.

It was proposed by Councillor Grey, and seconded by Councillor Linda Coates, and, with none dissenting, was -

- 471 RESOLVED: That the concerns of the Parish Council relating to potential traffic problems be brought to the attention of the City Council Planning and Regeneration Committee in respect of Planning Consultation document 2017/02724/PA.

### **DECISIONS MADE ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

- 472 There were no decisions relating to applications which the Committee had commented on.

### **ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY**

#### **Future Meetings**

- 473 Councillor Linda Coates queried whether future meetings of the committee could commence at the earlier time of 13.30pm, suggesting that it would be beneficial for all concerned. This was duly noted by members present.

#### **FSC Waste Collection**

- 474 Councillor Joanna Walker reported that in her opinion, the waste collection service is being abused by certain residents, and added that in certain areas, fly tipping is reoccurring shortly after collections by the Street Champions. Councillor Goodwin suggested that residents concerned should be “named and shamed” however this was not considered feasible as this is a City Council issue.

The Clerk stated that Jacqui Kennedy, Head of Enforcement is due to visit the Parish Council to address members prior to the meeting scheduled for May 15<sup>th</sup> 2017, and advised that this is the correct forum to raise issues concerning repetitive fly tipping and possible solutions.

### **LOCAL ISSUES RAISED BY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

- 475 There were none.

The meeting ended at 2010 hours

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Chairperson

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Date