Minutes of Parish Council Meeting



Held on Tuesday 28th March 2017

Chairman: Councillor Mrs V Lynch

Councillors: Councillor Mr M Bird, Councillor Mr D Clements, Councillor Mr A Coulson,

Councillor Mr R Dimmock, Councillor Dr L Kennedy, Councillor Mrs M

Lawrence and Councillor Mr N Rickard

Apologies:

Clerk Mrs R Biley

Attendance: Councillor Mr P Cooper

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1. Apologies for absences

No apologies

2. Disclosure of interest on items in agenda

No items to disclose

3. Sign off of minutes

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Meeting Minutes were approved and signed

4. Planning

 17/00499/APP - WINGRAVE WITH ROWSHAM, Land at Lower End Wingrave Buckinghamshire

Erection of 8 dwellings with associated access, car and cycle parking, landscaping and associated infrastructure.

Councillor Kennedy gave an overview of the application and recommended the council objected to the application based on the following points:

- the development is outside the settlement boundary,
- unsuitability of vehicular access for the site,
- the impact to the rural settlement,
- the application is in contravention of the "made" Neighbourhood Plan

Councillor Cooper reiterated the strength associated with a "made" Neighbourhood Plan.

Councillor Lynch proposed to the council that they register a vote of Objection to this application. The proposal was passed by unanimous vote.

5. Pavilion Improvement Project- Submission Plan Report

Councillor Clements presented the plans to the Council and discussions were held over the following points:

- a) Currently no door to shade those using the shower facilities
- b) Wash basins are not located near the urinals
- c) Width of doors to allow access to all areas of the building by disabled users
- d) The provision of disabled toilet facilities

Councillor Cooper advised that provision for full accessible access would likely be a condition of any planning approval.

It was asked if the building could facilitate adaption to become accessible and Councillor Clements advised that yes, within the confines of building regulations and costs.

It was proposed that the council approve the plans as presented subject to the modifications discussed. This was agreed by unanimous vote.

6. Office Innovation Technical support- change to annual agreement

The Clerk recommended the change to an annual contract with Office Innovation to supply its technical digital services which should in the long term save money. This was passed by unanimous vote

7. Wingrave Community Centre Presentation

The Treasurer for the WCA presented the committee's approach to the next 3 years for improvements to the centre. It was agreed that the Clerk would reach out to the WCA secretary to arrange a meeting with a new working group to discuss funding opportunities. Thanks were given to the WCA.

Meeting ended 20.50