



Devizes Town Council

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PLANNING COMMITTEE

You are summonsed to attend a meeting of the Planning Committee at the following, place and date.

Date: 1 MARCH 2016

Time: 7.00pm.

Venue: Council Chamber, Town Hall, St John's Street, Devizes

Enquiries: Town Hall - Tel: 01380 722160

Mayor: Councillor Giraud Saunders

Chairman: Councillor Wooldridge

Councillors:	Mrs Bridewell	Mrs Burton	Carter
	Corbett	East	Evans
	Mrs Evans	Geddes	Hopkins
	Johnson	Nash	Ody
	Parker	Mrs Rose	Smith

AGENDA

1. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the meeting held on 16 February 2016 and which have been circulated alongside the agenda.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. DISCLOSURE(S) OF INTEREST

To receive any disclosure(s) of interest by a Councillor or an officer in matters to be considered at this meeting, in accordance with provisions of Sections 94 or 117 of the Local Government Act 1972 or the National Code of Local Government Conduct.

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

At the Chairman's discretion, members of the public attending the meeting will be allowed to ask questions, make a statement or address the Council upon a matter of concern to that person which is relevant to the Council. A time limit of 5 minutes per person will be permitted, but this may be extended at the Chairman's discretion and a maximum period of 20 minutes has been allocated by the Council for this item of business.

5. FOR DECISION – WILTSHIRE COUNCIL'S NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

Details of Planning Applications for Consideration are attached (doc 5/1).

Members wishing to make enquiries about any of the applications listed or inspect plans before the meeting are advised to do so on line at Wiltshire Council.

6. REPORT FOR INFORMATION – WILTSHIRE COUNCIL'S NOTICE OF PLANS GRANTED OR REFUSED

Attached (doc 6/1) a list of plans granted, refused or withdrawn.

7. REPORT FOR DECISION – DEVIZES EAST 20MPH SPEED LIMIT - PRELIMINARY DESIGNS

Recommendation

That the committee reviews and comments on the proposal for a 20mph speed limit scheme for the east of Devizes.

Purpose of the Report

To provide the committee with an opportunity to comment on a proposed 20mph speed limit scheme for the east of Devizes.

Background

Following the publication of the assessment report and the Community Area Transport Groups prioritisation of a 20mph speed limit scheme for the east of Devizes, Wiltshire Council have issued preliminary designs for the project.

Prior to undertaking the formal advertisement of the associated Traffic Regulation Orders, Wiltshire Council are seeking the views of the Town Council.

Following discussions at the recent CATG meeting, it was suggested that the Town Council may also wish to undertake an exercise to ascertain the views of those affected by this proposal.

Options Considered

The committee needs to make any comment it feels appropriate about the scheme. The committee also needs to further decide if it will undertake preliminary consultation with residents to ascertain the views of those affected by this proposal.

Implications and Risks

Financial and Resource Implications

Whilst providing the Town Council's views has a very limited financial resource implication, consulting every householder in the area will.

Legal Implications and Legislative Powers

The Council will be considering this matter under its General Power of Competence

Environmental Implications

Officers are unaware of any environmental implication for the Council associated with this decision.

Risk Assessment

Officers are unaware of any risk implication for the Council associated with this decision.

Crime and Disorder

Officers are not aware of any issues the Council should consider under Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998.

8. REPORT FOR DECISION – TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE APPLICATION FOR DEVIZES HALF MARATHON

Events Logic South West have applied for a temporary road closure for the Devizes Half Marathon on Sunday 10th April 2016 from 0800-1300. The appropriate documents are attached, doc 8/1.

This committee needs to decide if it raises any objections to the application.

9. REPORT FOR DECISION – DEVIZES LIONS CLUB ANNUAL MAY FAIR

Devizes Lions Club have applied for a temporary road closure for their Annual May Fair on Bank Holiday Monday (2 May 2016) from 0900-1700. The appropriate documents are attached, doc 9/1)

This committee needs to decide if it raises any objections to the application.

10. REPORT FOR DECISION – DEVIZES FOOD & DRINK FESTIVAL

Devizes Food & Drink Festival have applied for a temporary road closure for 14 May 2016. The appropriate documents are attached (doc 10/1).

The committee needs to decide if it raises any objections to the application.

11. QUESTION TIME

A short time is allowed at the discretion of the Chairman for councillors to ask questions on matters which are not on the current agenda but which are related to matters which have been previously discussed on an agenda relevant to the committee.

At least 24 hours' notice must be given to officers of the intended question. All other matters should be raised on an agenda and the request should be submitted through the Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK