

## **PLANNING COMMITTEE**

**6<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

Present: Chairman: Deputy Mayor, Councillor Corbett

Councillors:	Bridewell	Britten	Brown
	Burton	East	Gay
	Geddes	Giraud-Saunders	Greenwood
	Hopkins	Nash	Oliver
	Ormerod	Parsons	Pennington
	Rose	Wallis	Wooldridge

Officers: Simon Fisher, Town Clerk  
Jan Rendle, Committee Administrator

Members of the Public: Ten

### **116. MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2021 having been circulated to all Members were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

### **117. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Councillors Hunter and Stevens.

### **118. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST**

Councillors Nash and Wallis both declared an interest in item 120, as members of Wiltshire Council's Eastern Area Regulatory Planning Committee.

### **119. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

There were ten members of the public present.

### **120. FOR DECISION – WILTSHIRE COUNCIL'S NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION**

20/11170/FUL - No objection  
PL/2021/04126 - No objection

PL/2021/04774 - Councillors raised many wide-ranging objections to the proposed development and asked for the application to be called in by Wiltshire Council. It was confirmed to members of the public that their representations to Wiltshire Council on the proposal would be taken into account and were to be encouraged.

It was proposed by Councillor Geddes, seconded by Councillor Greenwood and AGREED

THAT the Committee objects to the planning application on the grounds of the development not meeting the criteria of the Neighbourhood Plan; its location outside the settlement boundary of Devizes; it would have a highly deleterious effect on the North Wessex Downs Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty; and would be remote from the town and services, and requests that the plans be called in by the Secretary of State for Housing for decision following a public inquiry.

PL/2021/05036 - No objection  
PL/2021/05156 - No objection  
PL/2021/06235 - No objection  
PL/2021/05314 - No objection  
PL/2021/06347 - No objection.

Councillor Ormerod notified the Committee of a controversial application at Lansdowne Mews being processed by Wiltshire Council, PL/2021/04903, but which had not come through to the Town Council for consideration. Officers confirmed that they would pursue this matter directly with the Wiltshire Planning Officer. Councillor Wallis further advised that he would call the application in to the Wiltshire planning committee.

**121. FOR INFORMATION – WILTSHIRE COUNCIL’S NOTICE OF PLANS GRANTED OR REFUSED**

The committee received and noted the report.

**122. FOR DECISION – IMPROVED OR ENHANCED BUS SERVICES**

It was proposed by Councillor Nash, seconded by Councillor Wallis and AGREED UNANIMOUSLY

THAT Councillors should e-mail the Town Clerk with their suggestions for improved or enhanced bus services in Wiltshire, so that a report can be collated as the Council’s response to the consultation. A subsequent report for information would then be presented to a future Planning meeting.

**123. FOR DECISION – FULLTONE FESTIVAL BANNER ON THE GREEN**

It was proposed by Councillor Wallis, seconded by Councillor Geddes and  
AGREED

THAT the Committee should support the placing of the Fulltone  
Festival's banner on the Green, in line with Wiltshire  
Council's enforcement officers' conditional agreement,  
and that this should also be extended to other community  
groups, in line with the policy currently being prepared.

**124. QUESTION TIME**

There were no questions.

CHAIRMAN