

Planning

Committee

14th May 2014

MINUTES

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Present:

Councillor Andrew Fry (Chair), Councillor Alan Mason (Vice-Chair) and Councillors Joe Baker, Roger Bennett, Michael Chalk, Roger Hill, Brenda Quinney and Yvonne Smith

Officers:

Steve Edden, Amar Hussain and Ailith Rutt

Committee Services Officer:

Jan Smyth

102. APOLOGIES

An apology for absence was received on behalf of Councillor Wanda King.

103. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made.

104. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

RESOLVED that

the minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 9th April 2014 be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

105. UPDATE REPORTS

The Update Reports relating to the Applications to be considered were received and noted.

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Chair

106. PLANNING APPLICATION 2013/302/FUL – HAVERSHAM HOUSE, 327 BROMSGROVE ROAD, REDDITCH, WORCESTERSHIRE B97 4NH

Erection of a 6 bedroom and sitting room single storey extension, a single-storey laundry extension and associated site works

Applicant: Mr B P Sinha

RESOLVED that

having regard to the Development Plan and to all other material considerations, Planning Permission be GRANTED, subject to the conditions and informatives set out on pages 13 to 15 of the main report.

(Officers reported on new objections received following reconsultation on amended plans submitted and the Applicant's response to those objections. Members were also advised on the home's registered status with the Care Quality Commission, all as detailed in the Update report provided for the Committee and public gallery prior to the commencement of the meeting.)

107. PLANNING APPLICATION 2013/320/FUL – LAND ADJACENT FIRST HOUSE, LADY HARRIETS LANE, REDDITCH, WORCESTERSHIRE B98 8HD

Erection of a single detached two-storey house on land adjacent to First House.

Applicant: Mr Khurshid Ahmed

Mr J Attridge, objector, addressed the Committee under the Council's public speaking rules.

RESOLVED that

having regard to the Development Plan and to all other material considerations, Planning Permission be GRANTED, subject to the Conditions and Informatives set out on pages 22 to 24 of the report.

108. PLANNING APPLICATION 2014/011/FUL – WINDY BANK FARM, ASTWOOD LANE, ASTWOOD BANK, REDDITCH, WORCESTERSHIRE B96 6HH

Proposed on-farm slaughter facility at Windy Bank Farm through the change of use of the existing farm buildings and the construction of a new access from the South West of the site, off Astwood Lane.

Applicant: Mr Terence Simpson

With the agreement of the Chair, Mr Hussain the Council's Legal Officer for the Committee, read out a number of points raised by Mr R Williams, who had registered to speak in support of the application, but had not, owing to unforeseen circumstances, been able to attend in person.

Dr M Bell, Agent for the Applicant, also addressed the Committee under the Council's public speaking rules.

RESOLVED that

having regard to the Development Plan and to all other material considerations, Planning Permission be GRANTED, subject to the conditions and informatives set out on pages 30 and 31 of the report.

(Officers reported on a further letter of objection received in relation to traffic issues and slaughter processes, as detailed in the Update report provided for Members and the public gallery prior to the commencement of the meeting.)

109. PLANNING APPLICATION 2014/013/FUL – AYNHO, LADY HARRIETS LANE, REDDITCH, WORCESTERSHIRE B98 8HD

This matter was WITHDRAWN from the Agenda by Officers and was not discussed.

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110. APPEAL OUTCOMES - INFORMATION REPORT

RESOLVED that

the various Appeal outcomes listed in the Appendix attached to the report be noted.

The Meeting commenced at 7.00 pm and closed at 7.50 pm

CHAIR