

minutes

Meeting PLANNING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date Thursday 18 June 2013 (commencing at 10.30 pm)

membership

Persons absent are marked with 'A'

COUNCILLORS

Sybil Fielding (Chairman)
Sue Saddington (Vice-Chairman)

Roy Allen Andrew Brown Steve Calvert Jim Creamer Darren Langton A Rachel Madden
Andy Sissons
Keith Walker
Yvonne Woodhead

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Councillor John Wilmott

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

Nathalie Birkett- Solicitor
David Forster – Democratic Services Officer
Jerry Smith – Team Manager, Development Management
Andrew Penn – Team Manager Trading Standards
Heather Stokes Team Manager – Countryside and Conservation
Ursilla Spence – Archaeology Leader.
Jason Mordan – Historic Buildings Leader
Nick Crouch – Nature Conservation Leader

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

The minutes of the meeting held on 23 May 2013, having been circulated to all Members, were taken as read and were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence

DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

None

DECLARATIONS OF LOBBYING OF MEMBERS

None

ALTERATIONS TO THE EXISTING CAR PARK FACILITY, NEW PLAYGROUND AREAS AND NEW GATE CARNARVON PRIMARY SCHOOL NURSERY ROAD BINGHAM

Mr Smith took members through the report and highlighted the issues around the removal of four trees including a category B specimen. He also informed members that a letter of objection to the application to what the objector thought was an increase in car parking spaces had been received. He assured members that there are not to be any additional parking spaces but a reconfiguration of the current number of 29 spaces and the objector has been informed of this.

RESOLVED 2013/021

That planning permission be granted for the purposes of Regulation 3 of the Town and Country Planning General Regulations 1992 subject to the conditions set out in appendix 1 attached to the report.

STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT REVIEW

RESOLVED 2013/022

That it be noted that the County Council's Statement of Community Involvement has been updated and formally adopted as Council policy.

ANNUAL REPORT TO PLANNING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE OF THE LICENSING WORK CARRIED OUT BY TRADING STANDARDS

Mr Penn introduced the report and highlighted the issues around fees for poisons and performing animal licences.

RESOLVED 2013/023

- 1. That the level of activities undertaken and proposed in the report be noted and
- 2. That the fees for poisons registrations and performing animals licences as set out in the report be approved.

PRESENTATION FROM THE CONSERVATION TEAM

Ms Stokes introduced the presentation for members on the diverse work of the Conservation Team. The presentation included Conservation and Planning, Archaeology, Historic Buildings and Nature Conservation and some of the issue which Officers have to deal with in giving advice.

On a motion by the Chairman seconded by the Vice- Chairman it was :-

RESOLVED 2013/024

That the presentations be noted

WORK PROGRAMME

RESOLVED 2013/0

That the work programme be noted

The meeting closed at 11.25 pm.

CHAIRMAN