PLANNING AND HIGHWAY COMMITTEE - 2022/05/09 - 01

Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held at Watney Hall, 3 Hill Street on Monday 9th May 2022 at 6.30 pm.

PRESENT: Councillors S Stockham (Chair), A Harley, C Harris, S Holmes and P Macklin.

Mr S Holley: Town Clerk Mrs L Bendall: Assistant Clerk (Minute Taker) Councillor T Saunders (Observing) No members of the public

1. APOLOGIES

Councillor Greenwood was noted as absent.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST None.

3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- (i) Following a Proposal from the Chair, the Committee APPROVED the accuracy of the minutes of the meetings held on 10th January, 14th February and 14th March 2022. Record of Voting: For – 5, Against – 0, Abstention – 0, Absent/Apologies – 1.
- (ii) Consideration of the minutes of the April meeting was DEFERRED.

4. **OPEN FORUM**

No members of the public were present.

5. HIGHWAY, FOOTPATH AND TRANSPORT ISSUES

5.1 Road Closures

None.

5.2 **Footpath Closure/Diversion** None.

6. HIGHWAY/TRANSPORT CORRESPONDENCE

- (i) Note further consideration of 20mph maximum speed limit will be considered; meeting scheduled for tomorrow for further discussion – DEFER until next meeting.
- (ii) Correspondence received from Atkins they are undertaking Travel Planning activities at Lydney B site of up to 750 dwellings; they are planning several engagement events to discuss transport correspondence NOTED.
 Action Cllr Stockham will draft a polite response acknowledging correspondence

7. STREET NAMES

None.

Council to agree a process moving forward on how they deal with street name requests.

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8. <u>DEAN FOREST GREENWAY – MULTI USE TRACK FROM PARKEND TO</u> <u>LYDNEY</u> No update

No update.

PLANNING ISSUES

9. **Tree work applications** None.

10. Planning Applications

(i) <u>P0470/22/FUL</u>

The Malthouse on Land At 33 High Street Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5DP Change of use of malthouse to residential dwelling to include single storey extension and single storey porch extension with associated works. (resubmission) Status: No objection to the building plans however it was noted that the council had severe reservations concerning the access to the building for contractors/builders.

(ii) <u>P0543/22/FUL</u>

5 Windsor Drive Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5SX Erection of two storey side extension and associated works. Status: **No objection subject to neighbours being happy with proposed works**

11. Planning Applications Under Delegated Authority

The Forest Brewery Limited, The Old Workshop, Lydney Park Estate, Lydney GL15 6BU Licensing application for the workshop at Lydney Park Estate to become a microbrewery with taproom and retail counter Status: **No objection**

12. The following Planning Decisions by FODDC were noted:

(i) <u>P0205/22/FUL</u>

Fairtide Centre Naas Lane Lydney GL15 5AT Variation of conditions Condition 2 (approved plans) and Condition 4 (access, parking and turning facilities) of planning permission. **Consent**

(ii) P0188/22/FUL

7 School Crescent Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5TA Erection of a rear single storey extension with associated works. Demolition of existing conservatory. **Consent**

(iii) P2116/21/FUL

Cross Hands Garage Cross Hands Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 4LH Construction of 4 No dwellings with garages and associated external works. **Consent**

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(iv) P0234/21/FUL

40 Woodland Rise Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5LJ Erection of single storey extensions to garage including a first-floor extension to allow for additional living space. **Refused**

(v) P1332/21/FUL

Little Allaston Farm Driffield Road Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 4EU Change of use of land and construction of equestrian manege. **Consent**

(vi) P0017/22/DISCON

Fairtide Centre Naas Lane Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5AT Discharge of condition 11 (hard and soft landscaping) relating to planning permission P0205/22/FUL (Revised description). **Consent**

(vii) P0258/22/PIP

Land at The Willows Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 4LN Permission in principle for the erection of up to 9 emergency residential units. **Refused** It was noted that the FoDDC listened to our concerns raised.

(viii) P0012/22/DISCON

Lydney Harbour Harbour Road Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 4ER Discharge of condition 04 (CEMP) relating to planning permission P1696/21/FUL. **Consent**

(ix) P0414/22/TPO

4 Bracken Close Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5AH Oak tree T8 of DFTPO8: Reduce by approx 2-3m or to nearest pruning points, in order to maintain clearance from buildings and reduce shading. **Consent**

(x) P0074/22/FUL

School House Naas Lane Lydney Gloucestershire GL15 5AT Erection of six dwellings with associated landscaping, parking and works. Construction of new vehicular access. Demolition of existing dwelling (revised description)

Consent It was noted that the Committee was disappointed that its objections had not been supported by the District Council.

13. <u>LICENSING CONSULTATIONS</u> None.

14. **PLANNING CORRESPONDENCE** None.

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15. COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

- (i) Councillor Harris reported that the public footpath between Harrison Way and Mount Pleasant Close used by children and parents walking to and from Severnbank School is severely overgrown with grass and brambles obstructing the pathway. The Town Clerk was requested to identify the owner of the footpath. If this could not be ascertained quickly, the Clerk would ask the Grounds Team to tidy up in view of public interest.
- (ii) Councillor Stockham closed the meeting and thanked all members of the Committee for their hard work during the past 12 months and for the continued support of the Town Clerk and office staff.

16. MEETING DATE

It was noted that the next meeting was scheduled to take place on Monday 13th June 2022 at Watney Hall, 3Hill Street, Lydney.

The meeting closed at 6.49pm.

Chair

Date