

PLANNING COMMITTEE
21 JANUARY 2010

Present: Chairman: Councillor Smith

Councillors: Beinhorn Mrs Burton Callow
East Evans Mrs Evans
Gagen Gudgeon Hopkins
Nash Parsons A R Taylor
Mrs Taylor C S Winchcombe Mrs Winchcombe

Officers: Sarah Todhunter, Town Clerk
Heather Bond

Members of the Public: Nil

411. MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on the 5 January 2010 having been circulated to all Members were confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

412. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies received.

413. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

Councillor Mrs Burton declared an interest in minute number 415 as a member of Wiltshire Council.

414. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There were no members of the public present.

Councillor Callow declared a personal interest in minute number 415, application E/10/0014/LBC.

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

E/09/1670/LBC – no objections.

E/10/0002/FUL – no objections.

E/10/0014/LBC – no objections.

E/10/0022/FUL – no objections.

E/10/0033/TCA – no objections.

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

The committee received and noted the report.

417. REPORT FOR INFORMATION – REPRESENTATION OF AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE BY DEVIZES DIVISIONAL MEMBERS

The committee received and noted the report however the opinion of the Committee was that there is insufficient representation for the residents of Devizes on the Area Planning Committee and that effective training should be given to members that may sit on this committee in the future.

418. REPORT FOR INFORMATION – GRITTING IN DEVIZES

After much discussion it was proposed by Councillor C S Winchcombe, seconded by Councillor Parsons and agreed

THAT the Council write to Wiltshire Council requesting clarification on the official gritting policy in the town and that this issue is put to the Area Board for discussion.

419. REPORT FOR INFORMATION – LOCATION OF THE NEW PRIMARY CARE CENTRE & RETIREMENT VILLAGE

Councillor Mrs Taylor gave an outline of a meeting that she attended recently regarding the proposals for the new health unit and the fact that many GPs are very supportive of the new proposals.

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420. QUESTION TIME

Councillor Evans asked if a pavement condition report could be obtained from Wiltshire Council.

Councillor Mrs Winchcombe asked if British Waterways have advised when the fence at Rotherstone was going to be fixed. The Town Clerk advised that no dates have been given at present.

Councillors Mrs Winchcombe asked if someone from highways could be asked to a meeting to discuss the potholes following the snow.

CHAIRMAN