

KIRKBURTON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL (PLANNING/GENERAL PURPOSES) MEETING HELD AT BURTON VILLAGE HALL, Highburton ON THURSDAY, 17th NOVEMBER 2011 AT 7.30pm

The following minutes are subject to confirmation of accuracy at the next meeting on 19th January 2012.

PRESENT: Cllr S Dunford in the Chair

Cllrs B Armor, M Atkinson, H Barraclough, R Barraclough, S Beresford, N Berry, R Burton, A Cooper, P Cunnington, D Hardcastle, J Hirst, A Munro, J Paxton, M Pitts, C Whittingham and B Wightman.

Officers in attendance: Mrs R Perry and Mrs A Royle

Apologies were received from Cllrs P Brook, K Dunn, L Parsley, M Sykes, S Triggs the reasons for which were accepted.

**P20 Apologies and
Declarations of
Interest**

The following personal interests were declared: Cllr Paxton in 92828 as the applicant is known to him; Cllr Berry in 92834 as the applicant is known to him; Cllrs R Barraclough and Cooper in 92761 as the applicant is known to them; Cllr Hardcastle in 92858 as the applicant is known to him.

There were no members of the public present.

P21 Public Participation

Resolved: To hold all items in the public session.

P22 Public Admission

Resolved: To accept the minutes of the Council (Planning/GP) meeting on 20th October 2011 as a true record subject to an amendment of changing the date the minutes were confirmed from 3rd November to 17th November 2011.

**P23 Minutes / Matters
Arising**

No comment was made on the following applications:

P24 Plans

92761 Thurstonland; 92779 Kirkburton; 92797 Lepton; 92820 Shelley; 92828 Flockton; 92834 Kirkburton; 92846 Kirkburton; 92847 Kirkburton; 92849 Kirkburton; 92854 Kirkburton; 92855 Kirkburton; 92858 Kirkburton; 92864 Kirkheaton; 92865 Kirkheaton; 92871 Kirkburton; 92874 Shelley; 92949 Kirkheaton; 92973 Shepley.

There were no planning appeals.

P25 Planning Appeals

Resolved: Cllr Berry to attend this meeting on 29th November in the place of Cllr Armor.

**P26 Planning Liaison
Meeting**

Members noted and discussed the following consultations and made the following comments:

**P27 Government
Consultations**

Resolved: That the following comment be submitted: "Kirkburton Parish Council is supportive of this in principal but strong safeguards need to be in place so developers do not hijack communities".

**a)Neighbourhood
Planning
Consultations**

Resolved: That the following comment be submitted: "Kirkburton Parish Council is strongly against development in green belt areas. Under no circumstances does the Council support any green belt development in urban spaces. The Council strongly supports carbon neutral development and propose that there should be recompense for residents if development should take place in urban spaces".

**b)Community
Infrastructure Levy**

Members noted the Clerk's report as distributed at the meeting.

**P28 Correspondence &
Information**

Members were asked to note the new Police emergency number of 101. It was noted that the Localism Bill became an Act on Wednesday 16th November 2011.

Members were also asked to note the earlier deadline for agenda items for the December 2011 and January 2012 Council meetings.

The possibility of purchasing Kirkburton Town Hall.

**P29 Items for Future
Agendas**

The meeting then closed.