

MINUTES OF THE PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE HELD ON 27th APRIL, 2021

Present: Councillors S Cudlip (Chair) and R Arthur, E Bell, Mrs J A Bell, Mrs K Brace, S P Colborn, Mrs S Forster, Ms R M Gratton, G N Hepworth, Mrs L Kennedy, T Shepherd, B Taylor, Miss L Willis.

Officers: P Fletcher (Deputy Town Clerk), Mrs J Knight (Finance Officer), Miss A Rountree (Minute Taker).

Prior to commencement of the meeting the Chair advised members of this Committee and members of the public that in line with the amendment to 'the public bodies (admission to meetings) act 1960', which came into force in August, 2014, parts of this meeting may be recorded by photographic, video and audio means.

PL24/21 DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Members were reminded prior to the start of the meeting of the need to disclose any interests, prejudicial or personal, in accordance with the Code of Conduct. Such interests must be submitted to the Town Clerk prior to the meeting.

PL25/21 ACCEPTANCE OF AMENDMENT

RECOMMENDED that Members accept the amendment to the standing orders to incorporate the new regulations from the Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings (England and Wales) Regulations 2020, to conduct virtual Council meetings.

PL26/21 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 9th MARCH, 2021

RECOMMENDED the Minutes of these meetings, copies of which had been previously printed and circulated to each Member, were approved at the last Full Council meeting and signed as a correct record by the Chairman.

PL27/21 PLANNING ISSUES

a) Monthly List

RECOMMENDED that Members note the information provided.

PL28/21 SCOTLAND TO ENGLAND GREEN LINK PROJECT

Members were informed that National Grid will make contact with the Town Council in early May following the elections to arrange a meeting to discuss the project.

RECOMMENDED that Members note the information.

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PRESS OPPORTUNITIES

RECOMMENDED that there were no press opportunities from this meeting.

The meeting was then closed by the Chair.

