

Minutes Extraordinary Parish Council Meeting held Thursday 20th May 2021 at 7.30 pm held at Necton Rural Community Centre

Parish Councillors (7) present:

Councillors Jean Bass (Chair), Ken Barrett, Fraser Bateman, Joe Sisto, Genine Curtis, Alice Spain, and Thirza Hicks.

Additional attendees:

Justine Luckhurst- Parish Clerk

Date: Thursday 20th May 2021

Time: 7.30 pm

Place: Necton Rural Community Centre

1. To receive apologies for absence

Apologies received from Councillor Jennings and Councillor Turner.

2. To receive any declarations of interest from Members & consider requests for dispensation

Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Necton Parish Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011.

Councillor Curtis declared an interest in agenda item 4 and Councillor Bateman confirmed he would abstain from voting.

3. To approve a motion to exclude the press and public for the next item as their presence would be prejudicial to public interest due to the confidential nature. In accordance with Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960 s1 (2) - Chair

Proposed by Chair Bass, seconded by Councillor Barrett and agreed unanimously

4. To discuss comments submitted to Breckland on Planning application 3PL/2021/0587/F and whether these should be removed or amended following correspondence received from architect.

The correspondence received from the architect was discussed following our comments submitted via Breckland's Planning portal and his request for the PC to amend the same. With regards to the comments raising concerns of overdevelopment

Chair bass proposed these comments should stand, seconded by Councillor Sisto. A majority vote of 4 for, 2 against and Councillor Bateman abstaining was in favour that these comments should still stand and would not be withdrawn.

Chair Bass proposed that the PC should not accept the adoption of any footpath, seconded by Councillor Barrett. The following vote was 5 against the adoption of said footpath, 1 vote for the adoption and Councillor Bateman abstained from voting. Therefore, a majority vote was recorded that any footpath included in the development would not be adopted by the PC. The Clerk was instructed to update Breckland accordingly.

The meeting concluded at 21.00