



Confirmed Minutes of Extra-ordinary Meeting

Monday 15th February 2021

on Zoom

Present

Laura Brennan	Chairperson
Debbie Forster	Vice-Chairperson
Bev Butler	Councillor
Noel Brennan	Councillor
Clare Metcalfe	Parish Councillor
Jane Smith	Clerk

1. Apologies

Angela Batty	Parish Councillor
Sim Wilkinson	Parish Councillor

2. Pre-meeting submissions by parishioners in attendance

None

3. Declarations of pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests

None

4. Planning Matters – Application Ref: 21/00107/PLF

a) The Chairperson referred to the recent planning application for a further 75 caravans at Allerthorpe Park Golf Club and asked the council members for their views. The decision to oppose was proposed by the Chairperson and seconded by Ms Forster. There was a unanimous decision to oppose the application.

b) It was suggested that a leaflet should be hand delivered to all addresses in the parish, and also sent to Thornton and Melbourne Parish Councils. The leaflet would contain information about the planning application and also details of how to oppose or agree if parishioners wished to do so. The decision to produce such a leaflet was proposed by Mrs Butler and seconded by Mr Brennan. There was a unanimous decision to produce the leaflet and distribute as soon as possible.

c) It was suggested that the Parish Council should ask for the planning application to be heard by Committee. This was proposed by Ms Forster and seconded by Mrs Metcalfe. It was unanimously agreed by the council.

d) Ms Forster suggested that a press release should be written and sent to the local papers. This was proposed by Ms Forster and seconded by Mrs Butler.

e) The Clerk was asked if there would be enough money to hire a lawyer in the event that one would be required. The Clerk said she thought there was but she didn't have the figures to hand. She will produce them at the next meeting.

5. Date of next meeting

Monday 22nd February 2021, 7pm. (on Zoom). Mr Brennan will send out Zoom invitations to council members and any press and public wishing to attend.

6. Meeting Closed

At 8.05 pm

Signed **Date**