

OLD BASING & LYCHPIT PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES
PLANNING RESPONSE SUB-COMMITTEE

Meeting Date: Tuesday 10th May 2021
Location: The Parish Office, Recreation Ground, Old Basing
Time: 7.00 pm
Members Present: Cllrs. M Campbell, P Bloyce, A Renwick, D Whiter, J Robinson, S Brown, G Moore, S Grassi
Members Absent: Cllr. K Tuck
Also Present: Kate Hope (Deputy Clerk)

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1.	TO ELECT A CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN Murray Campbell was elected as Chairman and Alan Renwick was elected as Vice Chairman. Both votes were unanimous.
2.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Cllr K Tuck sent her apologies for the meeting, due to another commitment.
3.	CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES The Minutes of the Planning Response Sub-Committee Meeting held on Tuesday 8 th March 2022 were agreed as an accurate record of the events that took place.
4.	TO REVIEW AND AGREE THE TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE PLANNING RESPONSE SUB-COMMITTEE The Terms of Reference were reviewed by the sub-committee members and it was noted that for a quorate meeting, a minimum of 4 Councillors are required to attend (not 6 as stated in the proposed document). Deputy Clerk will amend to 4 Councillors and the Terms of Reference will be unanimously adopted.
5.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST No declarations were received.
6.	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION SESSION No members of the public were present.
7.	CHAIRMAN'S COMMUNICATIONS There were no communications to share.
8.	MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS 8.1 To acknowledge any further progress made since the last Committee meeting. The Chairman confirmed that he remains in regular contact with the Vice Chairman and the Planning Consultants, West Waddy Archadia ("WWA"). The rebuttal document is still in development. The Parish Council works in close association with SOLVE. 8.2 To receive quotations from prospective consultants for a landscape sensitivity and coalescence assessment of OLD001 and OLD002 and to agree appropriate action. Two quotes have been received in

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	<p>relation to this work. A total of five were requested, but due to workload restraints and the specialist nature of the proposal, only two companies were able to offer their services. Of the two quotes received (which were similar in price), the ES Landscape Planning one was agreed to be the preferred choice by all Councillors.</p>
8.3	<p>To consider two logo drafts for the Old Basing & Lychpit Environment Campaign and agree the suitable final design. A company had kindly prepared the six possible logo designs for the Parish Council free of charge. The designs were each voted on and two final options were discussed. The Councillors unanimously agreed upon 'design one', particularly as the smaller version was clear and effective.</p>
8.4	<p>To discuss a recent meeting held by Whitchurch Town Council regarding Local Housing Numbers and agree any necessary further action. Cllr. K Tuck attended the meeting at Whitchurch Town Council and provided the Committee with a copy of the powerpoint presentation which had been discussed.</p> <p>It was recommended that all committee members read the NPPF in full, which assumes that the Local Planning Authority's planning numbers are correct in the Local Plan.</p> <p>At the time of meeting, Central Government had just announced that the anticipated planning white paper had been abandoned and there was suggestion that more responsibilities will be shifted to Local Government. Furthermore, Census 2021 figures have not yet been released. Until more details have been clearly confirmed, the Committee agreed that Old Basing & Lychpit Parish Council should offer its full support and asked the Deputy Clerk to write a letter confirming such.</p>

MEETING ENDED AT 7.25pm.

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