Lindfield Parish Council

Minutes of the **PLANNING AND TRAFFIC COMMITTEE** meeting held on **Tuesday 18th February 2020** in the King Edward Hall, Lindfield.

The meeting commenced at 20.00

Present:

Parish Councillors: Mr R Plass (Chair)

Mrs L Grace Mrs A Matthews Mr J Stevens Mrs V Upton Mrs M Hersey Mr I Wilson

Also present: Two members of the Public

Lindfield Preservation Society

In attendance: Mr D Parsons (Deputy Parish Clerk)

The Chair explained the emergency procedures.

117. Apologies

117.1 Received from Cllrs Blunden, Leach and Wood, and the reasons accepted.

118. Declarations of Interest

118.1 Cllr Grace advised that she knows well the owners of the property considered at Item 120.ii and would not join consideration of that matter.

119. Approval of Minutes

119.1 The Chairman noted that the draft Minutes of the Planning and Traffic Committee meeting held on 28th January 2020 had previously been circulated and sought any members comments. Committee **agreed** that the Chair should **sign** the Minutes as a true record of that meeting.

120. Planning Applications and other matters referred to the Parish Council by Mid Sussex District Council (MSDC) for consideration

For each application, the observations of the members who had specifically studied the plans were read out before any public comments and discussion by the Committee. For applications where LPS had no comments to make or their view was 'No objection' this is not individually noted against the applications considered.

i. DM/19/4839 - Land Adj to Black Hill House, Black Hill

Construction of a new detached 4no. bedroom dwelling with associated hard and soft landscaping works. Demolition of existing outbuildings.

Members recognised that the proposal was situated within the conservation area but considered that, whilst it was modern in its design, it sought to blend in with its location.

Lindfield Parish Council has no objection to this application, pending full consideration by the District Council's Conservation Officer of its impact on the conservation area.

ii. DM/20/0184 - Longmead, 4 The Wilderness

Proposed single storey side extension

Cllr Grace left the meeting for this item.

Lindfield Parish Council has no objections to this application.

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iii. DM/19/3738 - Bay Pond Cottage / 8 High Street

Repair and restore existing timber framed 2 bed cottage. Demolish existing extension and replace with part two storey and single storey extension (amended plans received 03/02/2020 in relation to two storey extension).

Lindfield Parish Council has no objections to this application.

iv. DM/19/4956 - Greenacres, Lewes Road

Single storey rear and two storey side extensions. AMENDED PLANS received 29/01/2020 removing rear dormer and roof alteration.

Lindfield Parish Council has no objections to this application.

v. DM/20/0384 - 56 Sunte Avenue

T1 Horse Chestnut - Reduce height and spread back to previous cut points

Lindfield Parish Council has no objections to this application.

vi. 28/2/20 DM/20/0430 - 1 Backwoods Close

Two infill single storey rear extensions, new pitched roof dormer to rear, garage conversion and partially infill front entrance.

Lindfield Parish Council has no objections to this application.

- **121.** To receive reports on any significant planning decisions or issues made by MSDC and the Planning Inspectorate and to agree any further action which may need to be taken before the next meeting.
- 121.1 No items reported.
- **122. Matters Arising after the preparation of this Agenda**, which the Chairman agrees to take as urgent.
- 122.1 None

The meeting concluded at 20.10 and the next P&TC Meeting is set for Monday 9th March 2020.