

SWINDON PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 22nd JUNE 2020 AT 7:30PM

Due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic this meeting was conducted as an audio/video conference in accordance with the provisions of The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.

Parish Councillors Present:

Peter Allen (Chairman)
James Cornish

Yvonne Pirso

Also Present:

Shaun Cullimore (Clerk), Borough Cllr. Flo Clucas

20/95 APOLOGIES

Helen Wells

20/96 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None.

20/97 PLANNING APPLICATION 20/00759/FUL

The meeting was called specifically to agree the Parish Council's response to the Persimmon Homes "Elms Park" planning application.

In discussion with Dave Oakhill (Cheltenham Borough Council Head of Planning) and Craig Hemphill (Cheltenham Borough Council Planning Officer with responsibility for Elms Park) the Clerk had been told that this planning application would be decided by the planning committee rather than the Planning Officer under delegated powers, and that comments would be considered up to the point where Mr. Hemphill published his report and recommendations. Additionally, the Clerk was told that he would be informed of the date of the planning committee meeting that would consider the application as soon as it was known.

Individual councillors had reviewed various aspects of the application. Cllr. Cornish had worked towards a consolidated document, though it was not yet complete.

The summary section of the document was discussed and updated. It was **RESOLVED** that this would form the basis of an initial submission to Borough Council planning on behalf of the Parish Council.

NEW ACTION 20/97/1 – Clerk to submit initial comments on 20/00759/FUL by the closing date of 23rd June.

NEW ACTION 20/97/2 – Clerk to publish the Council's initial comments on 20/00759/FUL on the website.

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Cllr. Cornish would continue to work on the comments document. Once he had completed this work a review of the complete document would be held prior to submission.

The meeting closed at 10:00pm.

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