



NAILSWORTH TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES of a MEETING of Nailsworth Town Council held at the Town Hall, Nailsworth on Tuesday 04 February 2020

Present	Cllr Jonathan Duckworth (Chair) Cllr Mike Kelly Cllr Robert Maitland Cllr Sue Reed Cllr Steve Robinson Cllr Paul Francis
Minutes	Kirstie Trueman (Deputy Clerk)
Apologies received from:	Cllr Angela Norman
Not present	Cllr Sally Millett, Cllr Ron Kerby, Cllr Anne Elliott

Ref. No		Action
2019/178	Verbal introductions and safety briefing Everyone introduced themselves. Cllr Robert Maitland volunteered to help Cllr Mike Kelly in the event of an emergency.	
2019/179	Declarations of Interest & Applications for Dispensations There were none declared. Sue Reed on DCC so doesn't wish to participate in planning matters	
2019/180	Matters of urgency A discussion took place regarding Cllrs Drop-in sessions with the Neighbourhood warden in the library. Cllrs who have not attended Town Council meetings but wish to take part in these sessions have been notified of the need to undergo training prior to undertaking any Council duties. Cllr Mike Kelly will attend the next drop in session with Cllr Sally Millett.	
2019/181	Approval of Minutes of the Full Council and Environment Committee meetings of 21st January 2020 Full Council 21 st January Proposed Cllr Steve Robinson, seconded Cllr Mike Kelly and all in favour Environment Committee 21 st January Cllr Jonathan Duckworth requested that the minutes are updated to record that made to the Environment Minutes to record that Steve Robinson was in attendance at the Environment meeting. Proposed Cllr Steve Robinson, seconded Cllr Mike Kelly and all in favour	Clerk



2019/181	Consideration of Planning Applications received as follows:			Clerk
	CONSULTATION			
	Ref	Detail	Comment	
	a) S.19/2670/FUL Brutons Hardware Ltd, Old Market, Nailsworth, Stroud.	Installation of 3x new windows to first floor rea elevation. Upgrades to existing doors to first floor	No objection to the installation of the new windows, however disappointed that we were unaware of the initial change of use as it was under Permitted Development and we do not appear to be notified of these. We are also concerned about the nature of the flats which appear to be more suited to multi-occupancy.	
b) S.19/2730/FUL Beadesert Park school Pavilion, Windmill Road, Minchinhampton, Gloucestershire.	Development of artificial turf pitch, means of enclosure and associated groundworks including landscape	Object The council oppose the proposal as we were not involved in the initial consultation process. Unsure as to why we have the details as the land in Minchinhampton		
c)S.20/001/HHOLD Quarry Cottages, Bath Road, Nailsworth, Stroud	Extension and conversion of an outbuilding to provide an ancillary family annexe	Object. The development is effectively a separate dwelling, rather than an annexe and it is unacceptable to add another property to that road because of the highways access. We consider the design to be unsympathetic to existing buildings and		



			will result in the loss of parking.	
	d)S.19/2729/HHOLD 3 Park Road, Nailsworth, Stroud, Gloucestershire	Replacement of first floor extension and enlargement of ground floor extension	No observations	
	e) S.20/0005/TPO The Firs, Firs Road, Pinfarthings, Amberley	T1-Ash-Crown reduction of 2.5m or fell	See statement below	
	In the light of Nailsworth Town Council and Stroud District Council's declaration of a Climate Emergency the loss of any tree requires justification and proposals for mitigation, and the District Council should be developing a policy to ensure that no mature tree within the district is lost without clear justification			
	f) S.20/0092/TCA 1 Dunkirk Bank, Theescombe, Amberley, Stroud.	Conifer (T1 & T2) – fell one and reduce the height of the other. Eucalyptus (T3) crown reduction. Hazel (T4) Lift Crown, remove some larger lower branches. Apple (T5) continue renovation by reducing height of taller branches.	No observations	
2019/181	To consider a grant application from Select Arts of £600 (deferred from previous meeting pending further information; applicant will be present.			Clerk
	Select Arts have withdrawn their grant application			
2019/182	To note Emma Bonner's non-attendance at Town Council meetings for six months			Clerk
	The Council wish to thank Emma for the time she was able to spend at Council and wish her well for the future. Cllr Sue Reed proposed that the position is left vacant due to the proximity of the elections. Seconded by Cllr Jonathan Duckworth. All in favour.			

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 Town Mayor
 Nailsworth Town Council
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 Date