

COPYTHORNE PARISH COUNCIL
Copythorne Parish Hall – 12 February 2013
(7.00 p.m. – 8.45 p.m.)

PRESENT: Councillor S Bullen-Jarvis (Chairman); Councillors J Goodwin, Lady Kara Hawks and J Reilly
 Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Moriarty

135. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Local residents referred to the ongoing situation concerning caravans and other structures in and around Cadnam Lane. They were particularly concerned that enforcement action was not being applied uniformly by the NPA. Reference was also made to other possible planning and highway breaches in the parish.

The Chairman reported that a recent meeting had been held with Rob Aldred of the NPA Enforcement Team during which various sites in the parish had been inspected. Mr Aldred would be carrying out further investigations and reporting back to the Parish Council, hopefully next month. The Chairman also agreed to carry out a further tour of the parish with the residents' spokesperson.

136. PLANNING MATTERS

New applications: Members agreed the following responses to current applications:

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| 12/98017 | Land at Bartley Junior School, Winsor Road, Winsor (Polytunnel). Support (3) |
| 13/98152 | The Old Police House, The Lane, Cadnam (Conservatory; entrance gates). Support (3) |

Decisions etc: Members noted decisions and applications referred to Committee, as shown in the list tabled at the meeting (appendix 1 in the minute book). The NPA Planning Committee agenda for 19 February included two Copythorne applications (12/97998 (Paultons Plant Centre, Ower) and 12/98007 (Petherton, Newbridge)), and a review of public speaking procedures at planning meetings. The Chairman agreed to attend and speak on all three items.

Application 12/97653 (Commoners dwelling, Brockishill Road, Bartley): The Council had been invited to comment on the NPA's response to the petition presented by Sir John de Trafford. Members noted two letters to the NPA from the Brockishill Road Residents Association, one dated 10 December 2012 and the other dated 28 January 2013 in response to the statement from the Commoners Dwelling Scheme Panel.

Members' concerns on the application included flaws in the Commoners Dwelling Scheme, the failure properly to assess the application and the inappropriate nature of the development. The Clerk was asked to draft a letter of response to the NPA and circulate it for comments to all members.

137. PARKING OUTSIDE COPYTHORNE INFANT SCHOOL, ROMSEY ROAD

The Council had written to Copythorne Infant School expressing concerns about the parking of vehicles on the zig zag lines outside the school premises. In response, the School stated that they shared these concerns and regularly placed notices in their monthly newsletter reminding parents to park in a sensible manner. The local community police officers made ad hoc visits, spoke to the offending parents and in some cases issued fixed penalty notices. The School had asked the community police officers to make a further visit.

138 DEFRA CONSULTATION ON NOISE ACTION PLANS

The Environmental Health Department of NFDC had been consulted by DEFRA in relation to Noise Action Plans designated under the Environmental Noise Regulations. Initial consultations were on First Priority Locations, with focus on the M27 between junctions 1 and 2.

The Clerk was asked to confirm the Council's support for this review, bearing in mind the earlier complaints from local residents about noise levels. It was also noted that a resident was challenging the validity of noise assessment data in the vicinity of the Newbridge motorway bridge.

CHAIRMAN _____ **DATE** _____