BURGHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Infrastructure Committee Meeting

Date: Thursday 9 June 2022 Time: 7.00pm

Place: Burghfield Village Hall, Recreation Road, Burghfield

Present: Cllr P Lawrence Cllr R Longton

Cllr D Godwin Cllr T Ansell

Cllr M Cresser

Attending: Clerk to the Parish Council

Apologies: Cllr C Greaves Cllr I Morrin

1.0622 Apologies for Absence

To report, approve and record apologies for absence (and the reasons).

Apologies were presented and accepted for

2.0622 Declaration of any personal or financial interests

There were no items upon the agenda that necessitated a member to declare a personal or financial interest.

3.0622 Applications for Dispensations

There were no items upon the agenda that necessitated a member to present a written request for dispensation of a disclosable pecuniary interest.

4.0622 Minutes of the last Meeting

The Minutes of the meeting of the Infrastructure Committee held on 26 May 2022 were confirmed a correct record and signed accordingly.

5.0622 Consideration of Planning Applications

i) To submit observations on planning applications currently before the committee:

Land North of Bloomfield Hatch Farm, Mortimer	ADJACENT PARISH - Construction and operation of a solar farm and battery storage system together with cable route and all associated works, equipment, and necessary infrastructure.
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Parish Council: No objection

22/01125/FUL	Reading Services Eastbound, Burghfield,	Erection of a 'drive thru' building with 'drive thru' lane and associated works, including relocation of coach spaces (resubmission of application 22/00145/FUL)
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Parish Council: No objection

6.0622 To deal with any other planning related matters

Members received the correspondence from a local resident expressing their concerns regarding the lack of footway from Regis Manor Road down to Hermits Hill. The item is to be discussed in further detail at the next infrastructure committee.

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Members acknowledged the refusal of the application for 32 houses behind The Hollies. Acknowledgement was also given to the request for the comments submitted to WBC in relation to the application being removed. Further to advice being sought by WBC planning as to the correct process, the council were advised that the existing comments could not be removed once submitted. However, an amendment can be submitted.

Members were alerted to the WBC Emergency Planner recommending the application for the temporary café for refusal. The application is to go to Eastern Area Planning Committee.

7.0622 To receive items for information only – no further items were raised.

Close of meeting: The Chairman declared the meeting closed at 19.23pm

