

ST CUTHBERT (OUT) PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE HELD IN COXLEY MEMORIAL HALL, COXLEY ON WEDNESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2018, 7:00PM

PRESENT: Cllrs J Baker; M Gilson; M Hayden; V Hill; M Lunnon; T Mallinson (Cllr Reeves was co-opted to the meeting).

IN ATTENDANCE: Ms Michele Exton (Parish Clerk) and 4 Members of the Public.

01. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND TO CONSIDER THE REASONS GIVEN

Cllrs E Danson; J Henderson; J Zorab.

02. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

- 02.01.** Cllrs Hayden and Lunnon declared a PERSONAL interest in 2018/0198. Cllr Lunnon declared a PECUNIARY interest in 2018/0114 and left the room during the Committee's consideration and vote on this application. All Cllrs declared a PERSONAL interest in 2018/0114.
- 02.02.** There were no requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests.
- 02.03.** There were no requests for dispensation.

03. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

No items for exclusion.

04. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

A Member of the Public spoke on item 2018/0114.

05. MINUTES OF ST CUTHBERT OUT PARISH COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE HELD ON WEDSDAY 14TH FEBRUARY 2018

RESOLVED: To approve the minutes of the Planning Committee held on Wednesday 14th February 2018.

06. APPLICATIONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

All planning applications can be viewed in detail from www.mendip.gov.uk. Members of the Public are welcome to express their views at the Parish Council Planning Committee as well as direct to Mendip District Council.

No. & Officer	Detail	Type
2018/0198 Lynsey Bradshaw	Application for an existing lawful development certificate for the permanent siting of a mobile home. 30 Wells Road, Wookey Hole BA5 1DN 28/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	CLE

2018/0114	Proposed demolition of existing barns and the construction of five holiday cottages including new access and parking.	FUL
Anna Clark	Myrtle Farm, Milton Lane, Wookey Hole BA5 1DG 28/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	

07. TO NOTE PLANNING PERMISSION APPROVED

The following applications have been considered by Mendip District Council via the Planning Application process.

The 'Dec.' column refers to the decision by Mendip District Council, which will be either 'APPROVAL' (A), 'REFUSAL' (R) or if the Application has been 'WITHDRAWN' (W). Items marked with an '*', have been determined contrary to Parish Council recommendation.

No. & Officer	Detail	Dec. A/R/W
2018/0050 HSE Lynsey Bradshaw	Erection of double garage with loft storage above. Prospect Farm Barn, Woodford Road, Launcherley BA5 1QJ 14/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2018/0066 FUL Lynsey Bradshaw	The Erection of a 3m high Earth Bund around the North, East and South boundaries of Green Ore Farm buildings. It is proposed to plant trees on part to act as a wind break/screening. Green Ore Farm, Roemead Road, Green Ore BA5 3EP 14/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2018/0079 HSE Lynsey Bradshaw	New vehicular access to 25 Wells Road, Wookey Hole. 25 Wells Road, Wookey Hole BA5 1DN 14/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2018/0121 HSE Daniel Foster	Loft conversion with dormer windows to the rear to form additional living accommodation. New Haydon Farm, Haydon Drove, Haydon BA5 3EH 14/02/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2017/3230 FUL Kelly Pritchard	Conversion of barn to a dwelling, including a new single storey extension (revision of 2016/0514/FUL) amended plans/materials to include north and south elevations and associated internal alterations. Beechbarrow Farm, Bristol Road, Hillgrove BA5 3EL 25/01/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2017/3095 FUL Lynsey Bradshaw	Installation of temporary access. Lilac Cottage Land to the North of Milton Lane, Wookey Hole 03/01/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	

<p>2017/3096 VRC</p> <p>Lynsey Bradshaw</p>	<p>Application to vary condition 2 (Drawings) of planning approval 2015/1941/FUL (Conversion of derelict cottage to a holiday let) to allow amended drawings showing a shower room incorporated into the dwelling, change of materials on the extension from render to timber cladding and adjustment of fenestration on west elevation.</p> <p>The Derelict Cottage is situated to the North of the top of Milton Lane in Wookey Hole 03/01/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p>	
<p>2017/3150 OTS</p> <p>Kelly Pritchard</p>	<p>Application for Outline Planning Permission with some matters reserved for erection of nine dwellings within former domestic garden with details of access.</p> <p>Riverside Restaurant, Main Road, Coxley BA5 1QT 03/01/18 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL comment: The wildlife corridor in the western corner of the proposed development should be a minimum of 5 metres in width.</p>	
<p>2017/2733 FUL</p> <p>Anna Clark</p>	<p>Demolition of office and storage sheds and erection of 10 business units.</p> <p>Rocky Mountain Nursery, Old Frome Road, Masbury BA5 3HA 07/12/17 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p>	
<p>2017/2697 FUL</p> <p>Anna Clark</p>	<p>Proposed works to infill the structure to support the bridge deck and road above and replacement of track drainage below the structure with new HDPE drainage pipes and a new catch pit.</p> <p>Disused Railway Bridge, Old Frome Road, Masbury 15/11/17 RECOMMENDED: REFUSAL comments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The proposal does not comply with Mendip District Council Local Plan Part 1: Strategy & Policies 2006-2029 – Adopted 15th December 2014 – Local Infrastructure Development Policy 18 – Safeguarding Corridors for Sustainable Travel. • The Council is concerned if there is sufficient provision for bats. 	

<p>2017/0022 FUL</p> <p>Daniel Foster</p>	<p>An application for 203 residential dwellings and associated public open space, landscaping and infrastructure (amended plans and details, including revised layout, storeys height and landscaping).</p> <p>Land At 353491 146562 Wookey Hole Road Wells 15/11/17 RECOMMENDED: REFUSAL</p> <p>comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The infrastructure is inadequate to accommodate the significant increase in traffic, parking and narrowing of roads. 2. There is insufficient affordable housing. 3. The original plans are not available on Mendip District Council’s website to enable comparison with the revised plans. 4. There is lack of detail of what the changes are. 5. The Council were given insufficient consultation time. 6. Should Mendip District Council approve this application, the Council would like to reiterate and emphasise their recommendation conditions and comments for application 2017/0022 FUL (Planning Committee 15th February 2017) in particular relating to S106 monies (see recommendation below). 7. The Council would like to add to the original application recommendation (Planning Committee 15th February 2017) “in perpetuity” to their comment 5. “The adjoining land (edged blue on the plans) to be designated exclusively for community and school use and not housing”. 8. The Council would like to reiterate their recommendation comments for application 2017/0688 VRC (Planning Committee 19th April 2017) (see recommendation below). 	
<p>2017/2275 FUL Kelly Pritchard</p>	<p>Formation of a new agricultural access and track onto highway.</p> <p>Land at Broom Close Corner, Roemead Road, Binegar BA3 4UL 25/10/17 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p>	
<p>2017/2109 FUL</p> <p>Daniel Foster</p>	<p>Use of land for the holding of private events/functions, including temporary marquees, car parking and camping (mixed use, retaining existing uses of land for agriculture/uses permitted by previous planning permissions).</p> <p>Woodford Farm, Woodford Farm Road, Woodford BA5 1QQ RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p> <p>conditions and comments:</p> <p>The applicant to have regard for neighbours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The music to be turned off and the bar to be closed by midnight. • The applicant to ensure that visitors leave the site quietly. • The applicant to ensure there is sufficient parking for visitors. 	
<p>2017/0906 HSE</p> <p>Lynsey Bradshaw</p>	<p>Erection of part single and part two storey side extension to existing annexe.</p> <p>Mendip House, Old Frome Road, Wells BA5 3DH RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p>	A

2017/0995 HSE	Reinstate existing tennis court by adding a new surface finish, constructing a new fence enclosure, forming a new access to the garden, upgrading and restoring the existing pavilion and rubble stone walls.	A
Howard Warren	Wookey House, Kennel Batch, Wookey Hole BA5 1AY RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2017/0996 LBC	Reinstate existing tennis court by adding a new surface finish, constructing a new fence enclosure, forming a new access to the garden, upgrading and restoring the existing pavilion and rubble stone walls.	A
Howard Warren	Wookey House, Kennel Batch, Wookey Hole BA5 1AY RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2017/0688 VRC	Variation of conditions 7 (sample panel), 8 (landscaping), 10 (estate roads), 13 (provision of woodland habitat) and 18 (car and cycle parking) of planning permission 2013/1033, to allow highway (s278) works to start before details in respect of these conditions have been submitted and approved by the Local Planning Authority.	
Oliver Marigold	Land off Wookey Hole Road, Wells 19/04/2017 RECOMMENDED: REFUSAL Condition 8 1. Destruction of hedgerow, wildlife habitat (currently bird nesting season) and wild flowers. The Preliminary Highway Layout Sheet for the application 2017/0022 shows that the hedges would be retained with a footpath between the hedgerow and road from the entrance towards Wells. The Planning Committee does not consider that this is possible and that the hedge would have to be removed. On application 2013/1033, the Illustrative Master Original Plan shows a footpath with the hedge removed. Condition 2 (d) Approval of details of the landscaping of the site with reference to Condition 4 (a) All hard and soft landscaping within the site (including boundary treatments) and a programme of implementation require approval of the details from the Local Planning Authority in writing before any development is commenced. 2. It would be better for pedestrians that the hedgerow is between the road and the pavement. 3. The applicant has not supplied sufficient information as to what s278 works are to be carried out.	
2016/2582 FUL	The demolition of existing children's nursery and the erection of a new children's nursery and 2 no dwellings to financially cross subsidise development (re-submission) Additional information received 21/03/2017 including risk assessment and revised site plan).	
Lynsey Bradshaw	Tree House Day Nursery, School Lane, South Horrington Village BA5 3DL RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL PREVIOUS RECOMMENDATION: REFUSAL subject to risk assessment and net locations, designs and maintenance.	

<p>2016/2583 DUB</p> <p>Lynsey Bradshaw</p>	<p>The demolition of existing children’s nursery and the erection of a new children’s nursery and 2 no dwellings to financially cross subsidise development (re-submission) (Additional information received 21/03/2017 including risk assessment and revised site plan).</p> <p>Tree House Day Nursery, School Lane, South Horrington Village BA5 3DL</p> <p>RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL PREVIOUS RECOMMENDATION: REFUSAL</p>	<p>W</p>
<p>2016/2584 LBC</p> <p>Lynsey Bradshaw</p>	<p>The demolition of existing children’s nursery and the erection of a new children’s nursery and 2 no dwellings to financially cross subsidise development (re-submission) (Additional information received 21/03/2017 including risk assessment and revised site plan).</p> <p>Tree House Day Nursery, School Lane, South Horrington Village BA5 3DL</p> <p>RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL PREVIOUS RECOMMENDATION: REFUSAL</p>	
<p>2017/0293 HSE Conrad Rodzaj</p>	<p>Rear extension to replace existing conservatory.</p> <p>Deer Leap, Titlands Lane, Wookey Hole BA5 1BD</p>	<p>A</p>

<p>2017/0022 FUL</p> <p>Oliver Marigold</p>	<p>An application for 203 Residential dwellings and associated public open space, landscaping and infrastructure.</p> <p>Land at 353491 146562 Wookey Hole Road, Wells</p> <p>15/02/17 RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL subject to the following conditions and comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A maintenance charge to be levied on each property to protect the Parish Council from the maintenance costs of the green spaces. 2. The Parish Council welcome the increase in the number of houses but with the provisos that the extra housing is affordable and there is no increase in density above the current 203 homes. 3. Security fencing to be erected on the west boundary to prevent encroachment onto private land. 4. Protection required from future development for the public open spaces surrounding the site. 5. The adjoining land (edged blue on the plans) to be designated exclusively for community and school use and not housing. 6. Section 106 funding to be secured for a community facility on the adjoining land (edged blue on the plans). 7. The Parish Council would like to know if there are any more details on the proposed school and who is going to fund it? 8. Point 2.3.19 of the proposed Framework Travel Plan is unrealistic. Consultation with Somerset County Council Routes for Schools is necessary to ensure safe crossing from this site. 9. Funding is needed for a crossing on Wookey Hole Road and Highways to be consulted. 10. There needs to be an adequate pathway front of the site on Wookey Hole Road. 11. All paths should be of a suitable gradient and hard surfaced for disabled access. 12. There should be a 2 metre wide disabled accessible and cycle friendly path onto St Cuthberts Avenue. 13. The access paths onto the old Strawberry Line need to be disabled accessible. 14. Section 106 funding to be secured to support the costs of the 67 bus service for a defined long-term period. 15. The sewage system to be updated to ensure it has the capacity for the development. The sewage company to confirm that the pumping station is capable of dealing with the additional volume of both waste and flood risk. 16. There are major concerns about the adequacy of all infrastructure. 17. St Cuthbert (Out) Parish Council request that they are represented at Section 106 negotiations. 18. St Cuthbert (Out) Parish Council request that a Bovis representative attends any future meetings to present their plans, especially if they require amendements. <p>The Planning Committee are in full agreement with the comments already made by the neighbouring Parish Wells City Council.</p>	
<p>2017/0149 FUL Kelly Pritchard</p>	<p>New private drive and access to the public highway.</p> <p>Slab House, Bath Road, Haydon, Wells BA5 3EQ</p> <p>RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL</p>	

2016/3103 CNT	Development of waste management facility at the Green Ore Farm Waste Composting Site including a weighbridge and office/staff facilities.	
Bob Mills	Green Ore Farm, Roemead Road, Green Ore BA5 3EP RECOMMENDED: REFUSAL Environmental effects of the development (near Nature Reserve, noise and dust generation, water source protection zone, lead contaminated site). Landscape and visual impacts (near ANOB, inappropriate site location, detrimental to local area, scale of operation). Impact on transportation system (increased HGV movement and road miles – distance to collect materials). Operating issues (hours of operation).	
2016/2925 FUL Kelly Pritchard	Installation of septic tank. Dursdon Drove Farm, Dursdon Drove, Rookham BA5 3AW RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL subject to Environment Agency approval (note: no information was supplied with this application).	A
2016/2976 HSE	Proposed two storey and single storey side and rear extensions, first floor side extension and replacement roof. Alterations to access.	A
Conrad Rodzaj	Treetops, Woodford Road, Woodford BA5 1QQ RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2016/2988 VRC	Application for variation of condition 2 (drawing numbers) on planning permission 2016/1137/FUL.	A
Oliver Marigold	Land at Castle Lane, Wookey RECOMMENDED: APPROVAL	
2016/1156 OTS	Application for Outline planning permission (with all matters reserved) for a food production campus (use class B2), comprising food production, dispatch, offices, cookery academy and associated infrastructure and landscaping (amended plans received 11th and 12th May 2016).	
Anna Clark	Dulcote Quarry, Dulcote Hill Lane, Dulcote BA5 3PZ	
2017/1169 CNT	Water Treatment Plant. Dulcote Quarry, Dulcote Hill Lane, Dulcote BA5 3PY	A

08. DATE AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 28th March 2018, Coxley Memorial Hall, Coxley at 7pm.