

LICHFIELD CITY COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Planning Applications Committee held in Committee Room 1, Guildhall, Lichfield, at 6.30pm on Thursday, 19 May 2011

PRESENT: Councillor J N Wilks (Chairman), and Councillors Mrs J A Allsopp, R J Awty, B F Bacon, Mrs N Bacon, J R Bayliss, Mrs M G Boyle, J R Brooks, B D Diggle, I M Eadie, Mrs J M Eagland, T V Finn, M J Fryers (sen), M J Fryers (jun), C P Greatorex, Mrs J A Greaves, P L Hitchman, I A Jackson, D Smedley, A F Smith, C J Spruce, Mrs S E Strachan, A D Thompson and M A Warfield.

APOLOGIES: Councillors Mrs V A Diggle, Mrs S A James and T J Thomas

1 APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED: *That Councillor C J Spruce be appointed Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.*

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

When considering planning applications, and in accordance with advice received from the Standards Board for England, those City councillors present who were also members of the District Council's Planning Committee confirmed that their comments at this meeting were a preliminary view and that they might change their view when they heard all of the evidence at the District Council's Planning Committee.

Councillor M A Warfield declared a prejudicial interest in application no. 11/00425/FUL and 11/00427/LBC as he was a weekend manager at the Museum which was part of the Barracks which was the subject of the application, and left and room during the discussion and voting thereon.

3 MINUTES

RESOLVED: *That the Minutes of the Meeting held on 21 April 2011 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.*

4 LICENSING APPLICATIONS

Members considered Lichfield District Council Premises Licences as per agenda Appendix C.

RESOLVED: *That the Premises Licences be noted.*

5 PROPOSED WAITING RESTRICTIONS ON CHERRY ORCHARD AND ADJACENT ROADS

Correspondence from Staffordshire County Council was considered regarding the introduction of waiting restrictions on Cherry Orchard and adjacent roads.

RESOLVED: *That the proposed waiting restrictions be welcomed.*

6 STREET NAMING

Correspondence from Lichfield District Council was reported regarding altering the name 'Godfrey Drive' because there is another Godfrey Drive in Lichfield District which was causing confusion for Royal Mail and the emergency services. The District Council had suggested that the road be renamed 'The Godfries'

RESOLVED: *That the District Council be advised that the preferred name is 'Godfrey Rise'.*

Councillor C P Greateorex declared a prejudicial interest this item as he had portfolio responsibility for street naming at Lichfield District Council, and left the room during the discussion and voting thereon.

7 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

RESOLVED:

- 1 *That the decisions of Lichfield District Council on planning applications as listed on Agenda Appendix 'B' be received and noted.***
- 2 *That correspondence from Lichfield District Council outlining its reasons for determining application No 11/00162/FUL differently from the recommendations of the City Council, be noted.***
- 3 *That recommendations be submitted to Lichfield District Council in respect of planning applications as listed in Appendix 'A'.***

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIRMAN DECLARED THE MEETING CLOSED AT 7.05PM

CHAIRMAN