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Minutes of a Meeting of the Planning Committee of Bleadon Parish Council that was held in the Coronation Hall Coronation Road Bleadon on Monday 10th June 2013 which commenced at 7.00 pm when the following business was transacted.

PRESENT Councillors Mr M Orme (Committee Chairman) Mrs P J Skelley Mrs M Sheppard Messrs I Findlay S Hartree and the Parish Clerk Mr B Poole

P23.1 To receive any apologies for non attendance

Councillor Mr C Morris (Holiday)

P23.2 To receive the Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting held on Monday 13th May 2013

Resolved to take the Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting held on Monday 13th May 2013 that were previously circulated as read which were then subsequently approved and signed as such by the Committee Chairman.

P23.3 To receive any declarations of interest

None

P23.4 To consider the following planning application

| 11/0851 | Non material amendment to planning permission 12/P/2154 (erection of a single story bungalow) to change the interior layout; addition of 2no roof lights to north elevation and 2no roof lights to south elevation change windows on east and west elevations to top hung windows with top opening vent and addition of steps/ramp to front door | The Planning Committee had no objections to the proposed material amendments |
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| | Land at rear of 23 Coronation Road Bleadon BS24 0PG | |

11/0854 Solar photovoltaic (PV) array and ancillary development Land at South Hill Farm Bridgwater Road Bleadon

Bleadon Parish Council's Planning Committee would ask that North Somerset Planning Committee take note of any complaints made by residents of Facum Lane.

It should be noted that the Parish Council wrote to all the residents of this location and asked that they express their views either directly to the Parish Council or to North Somerset.

At the point when the application was being considered only one objection had been received.

The planning committee would like to bring to the attention of North Somerset the mass of the site higher especially from ground this development will be highly visible from the top of Purn Hill. The report states that the area has already been degraded by caravan parks disused farm buildings etc., The **Planning** Committee do not feel that this argument can be used to add to the degradation of the area/view.

It is noted that there will be a security fence surrounding the whole 21 hectare site complete with **Planning** cctv, The Committee has concerns about the security of the site and whether its location will encourage theft or vandalism in this area we would also encourage this fence to be screened with improved and maintained planting mindful of screening which does not shed its leaves in the winter.

Special consideration must be made of access to the site during its construction phase, the A370 is a very busy road and not only must access be done safely it should have minimum impact on the traffic flow. With regards to the site at the end of the solar farms life we would ask that the site must be returned to farm land this would protect this area from any kind of brown field development. We have studied north Somerset's sites and policies plan draft 2013 policy DM2 renewable and low carbon energy, this gives good guidelines for implementation renewable energy production. Also the core strategy adopted 2012 gives guidelines of what is hoped can be achieved in this area regarding renewable energy. Given the scale of the development we are surprised there has been so little communication. The planning committee feels that if North Somerset implements strict guidelines when reviewing this application we can raise no objection to this proposal, We would however once again urge the council to take note of any concerns raised by Bleadon parishioners.

P23.5 To receive an update on the following outstanding applications

P23.6 To review the following enforcement cases

| 11/0618 | Unauthorised Stables Field at Wayacre Drove | Planning Application - Removal of some buildings requested |
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| 12/0001 | Unauthorised car breaking Wayacre Drove Bleadon | On going investigations taking place |

| 12/0046 | Breach of conditions – New Gateway & Hedge Removed | Enforcement Notice Served |
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| | Hyspotte Hillcote Bleadon BS24 9JU | |
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| 12/0414 | Proach of conditions 2.8.4 of 11/1105 | Now Application Passived |
| 12/0414 | Breach of conditions 3 & 4 of 11/1185 | New Application Received – considering breach of |
| | Grenofen Roman Road Bleadon | condition note |
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| 10/0554 | B. I. C. IIII. COLOCAL | |
| 12/0551 | Breach of conditions – 02/2241 | Not built in accordance with approved plans – enquiries |
| | Barn 3 Lake Farm Shiplate Road Bleadon | on going – meeting now arranged |
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| 12/0627 | Caravan placed in field and being used | Planning Application |
| | Field adjacent to The Barton Bleadon | requested |
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| 13/0005 | Mobile Homes in permanent residential occupation | Meeting with agent arranged |
| | Purn Holiday Park Bridgwater Road Bleadon | |
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| 13/0040 | New access created? | Minor material amendment – |
| | Bleadon Golf Course Roman Road Bleadon | to be submitted soon |
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| 13/0135 | Unauthorised waste material | Ongoing investigations – monitoring site to assess |
| | Land at Accommodation Road | whether additional material being deposited |
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| 13/0216 | Unauthorised Works – hard standing built with | Undergoing investigation |
| | conservatory on the area | |
| | Fakenham Lane Bridgwater Road Bleadon | |
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| 13/0245 | Breach of Conditions – Car Park being enlarged | Undergoing investigation |
| | Bleadon Hill Golf Club Roman Road Bleadon | |
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| 13/0246 | Caravans on Site Racing Club Accommodation Road Bleadon | Undergoing investigation |
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| 13/0247 | Unauthorised Works – Barn being extended Bridleway Roman Road Bleadon | Undergoing investigation |

- P23.7 Appeals
- P23.8 Other business referred to the Clerk
- P23.9 Date of next Meeting date to be advised