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Decision Summary

Committee:

Date:

Committee Clerk:

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STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

THURSDAY 3 AUGUST 2023

Andrea Woodside

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Chair

Councillor Steve Hall

Councillors Attended

Councillor Moses Crook

Councillor Carole Pattison

Councillor Mohan Sokhal

Councillor Bill Armer

Councillor Andrew Pinnock

Apologies

Councillor Mark Thompson

1 Membership of the Committee

To receive any apologies for absence, or details of substitutions to Committee membership.

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Thompson.

2 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

To approve the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 6 July 2023.

Approved as a correct record.

3 Declaration of Interests and Lobbying

Committee Members will advise if (i) if there are any items on the Agenda upon which they have been lobbied and/or (ii) if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have a Disposable Pecuniary Interest, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion or vote on an item, or any other interests.

None declared.

4 Admission of the Public

Most agenda items will be considered in public session, however, it shall be advised whether the Committee will consider any matters in private, by virtue of the reports containing information which falls within a category of exempt information as contained at Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

It was noted that all agenda items would be considered in public session.

5 Deputations/Petitions

The Committee will receive any petitions and/or deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also submit a petition at the meeting relating to a matter on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10, Members of the Public must submit a deputation in writing, at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting and shall subsequently be notified if the deputation shall be heard. A maximum of four deputations shall be heard at any one meeting.

No deputations or petitions were received.

6 Public Question Time

To receive any public questions.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11, the period for the asking and answering of public questions shall not exceed 15 minutes.

Any questions must be submitted in writing at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting.

No questions were asked.

7 Site Visit - Application 2023/91092

Demolition of existing school and erection of new school; improvements to existing access and formation of internal access road and turning head; formation of car park, children's outdoor play areas and associated landscaping at St Peters CE VA Junior Infant and Early Years School, Field Head Lane, Birstall, Batley.

Ward affected: Birstall and Birkenshaw

Contact: Nick Hirst, Planning Services

(Estimated time of arrival at site – 11:00am)

Site visit undertaken.

9 Planning Application - Application No: 2023/91092

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Application approved (delegated) (condition 14 removed).

10 Planning Application - Application No: 2023/90509

Erection of 2 storey, 5 classroom teaching block including toilet facilities and staff / store rooms at North Huddersfield Trust School, Woodhouse Hall Road, Fartown, Huddersfield.

Ward affected: Ashbrow

Contact: Katie Chew, Planning Services

Application approved (delegated).

11 Planning Application - Application No: 2023/91093

Construction of permanent vehicular access track and the erection of fencing (within a site of special scientific interest) at land adjacent to March Haigh Reservoir, off Blake Lea Lane, Marsden, Huddersfield.

Ward affected: Colne Valley

Contact: Ellie Worth, Planning Services

Application approved (delegated).
