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Decision Summary

Committee:

Date:

Committee Clerk:

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APPEALS PANEL MONDAY 29 JANUARY 2024 Jenny Bryce-Chan 01484 221000

Chair

Councillor Habiban Zaman

Councillors Attended

Councillor Gwen Lowe Councillor Susan Lee-Richards

Attendees

Heather Thompson – Appeals Officer Cllr John Lawson

1 Minutes of Previous Meeting

To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on the 11th October 2023.

That the minutes of the meeting held on the 11th October be noted.

2 Declaration of Interests

Members will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have any disclosable pecuniary interests or any other interests, which may prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items.

No interests were declared.

3 Exclusion of the Public

To resolve that under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

Determined.

4 Transport Appeal EB

This report is recommended for consideration in private because the information contained in it is exempt information within Paragraph 1 of part 1 to schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (access to Information) variation order 2006. It is considered the report contains information relating to any individual. The public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure of the information in terms of accountability, transparency and openness in council decision making.

To consider the appeal at 1:30pm

The Panel determined that the case presented exceptional circumstance and using its discretionary powers awarded the bus pass for the 2023/24 school year.

RESOLVED:

That the bus pass be awarded for the 2023/24 school year.