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KIRKLEES COUNCIL

APPEALS PANEL

Tuesday 15th October 2024

Present: Councillor David Longstaff (Chair)
Councillor Caroline Holt
Councillor Gwen Lowe

In attendance: Russell Williams, Operational Manager, Public Protection
Kathryn Westerby, Passenger Travel Manager
Heather Thompson, Appeals Officer
Stacey Hofmann, Democracy Officer

1 Membership of the Panel

All Panel Members were in attendance.

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

That the minutes of the meeting held on the 1st October 2024 were approved as a correct record.

3 Declaration of Interests

No interests were declared.

4 Exclusion of the Public

Determined.

5 School Transport Appeal (Post-16) JB

The Panel considered information in respect of a Stage 2 Post 16 Travel Assistance Appeal.

Having carefully considered the information presented the Panel determined that the circumstances of the case did not present exceptional circumstances and agreed that a personal travel budget should be awarded.

RESOLVED -

That the appeal in respect of JB be refused.

6 School Transport Appeal (Post-16) KA

The Panel considered the information in respect of a Stage 2 Post 16 Travel Assistance Appeal.

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Having carefully considered the information presented the Panel determined that the circumstances of the case did not present exceptional circumstances and agreed that a personal travel budget should be awarded.

RESOLVED -

That the appeal in respect of KA be refused.

7 School Transport Appeal (Post-16) SI

The Panel considered information in respect of a Stage 2 Post 16 Travel Assistance Appeal.

Having carefully considered the information presented the Panel determined that the circumstances of the case did not present exceptional circumstances and agreed that a personal travel budget should be awarded.

RESOLVED -

That the appeal in respect of SI be refused.

8 School Transport Appeal (Pre-16) AS

The Panel considered information in respect of a School Transport Pre-16 Appeal.

Having carefully considered the information presented the Panel determined that the case did not present exceptional circumstances and dismissed the appeal.

RESOLVED -

That the appeal in respect of AS be refused.