

AT A MEETING OF FAVERSHAM TOWN COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE held in the Guildhall, on Monday, 12th June 2023

Present: The Mayor Cllr Trevor Martin, Cllrs L Coniam, P Cook, R Crayford, A Eyre, R Newman, H Perkin, J Rowlands, E Thomas and C Williams

In attendance: Adrienne Begent (Deputy Town Clerk)

6. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr J Saunders

7. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Declarations of interest are listed on the Planning Schedule

8. MINUTES

It was proposed by Cllr T Martin seconded by Cllr C Williams and on being put to the meeting it was **RESOLVED to approve the Minutes of the Meeting of Faversham Town Council Planning Committee held on 22nd May 2023.**

9. PLANNING SCHEDULE

The Planning Schedule dated 22nd May 2023 was noted.

10. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

It was: **RESOLVED that recommendations be sent to Kent County Council (Kent County Council) and Swale Borough Council (SBC) as set out Planning Schedule 12th June 2023.**

11. PUBLIC FOOTPATH ZF1 OARE

Members received and considered the paper form KCC proposing to divert ZF1. It was proposed by Cllr E Thomas, seconded by Cllr T Martin and on being put to the meeting it was **RESOLVED to support the proposal.**

12. INSTALLATION OF DISABLED PERSONS PARKING BAY

The meeting received the request from Swale Borough Council to install a Disabled Parking Bay at 14 Belmont Road, Faversham and 1 Fostall Road, Faversham. It was proposed by Cllr H Perkin, seconded by Cllr J Rowlands and on being put to the meeting it was **RESOLVED to support the proposal.**

The Meeting ended at 18:55

Public Questions

Mrs Dot Percival – 23/502054/LBC and 23/502500/FULL

- Speaking on behalf of other residents against this proposal
- Have the proposals been well advertised, are residents aware
- Highlights issues raised by the War Memorial Trust

Mr M Cosgrove – 23/502054/LBC and 23/502500/FULL

- Clague Architects held an exhibition in 12 Market Place
- Clague Architects have attended a previous Town Council Planning Committee and presented the plans
- Access to lay wreaths on the cross at the present location is difficult and consideration should be given to disabled people and those with limited mobility
- The Heritage Statement supports the move

Mr R Saywell – Diversion of ZFI

- Representing Faversham Footpaths Group
- Liaising with KCC since September 2020
- Bretts excavated the lagoons at end of WW2 therefore diverting the footpath
- The Creekside path is now King Charles II Coastal Path and problems with users sharing it with heavy traffic going to EKR
- The group supports the proposed diversion