



## **THURLASTON PARISH COUNCIL**

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Due to the unprecedented situation following the Covid-19 outbreak within the UK and subsequent ongoing, updated advices received from Government format change to:

Planning Committee meeting commencing at 7pm, immediately followed by additional Full Council Members statement for approval:

*"In response to the Covid-19 outbreak in the UK and in the event that it is not possible to convene a meeting of the council in a reasonable time, the Clerk shall have delegated authority to make decisions on behalf of the council where such decision cannot reasonably be deferred and must be made in order to comply with a commercial or statutory deadline. The delegation does not extend to matters expressly reserved to the council in legislation or in its Standing Orders or Financial Regulations. Any decisions made under this delegation must be recorded in writing and must be published in accordance with the relevant regulations. This delegated authority ceases upon the first meeting of the council after the council meeting at which the delegation was put in place".*

### **Minutes of THURLASTON PARISH COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

Present: Cllr Paul Holyman (PH) (Chair), Trevor England (TE), Cllr Roni Tinsley (RT), District Cllr Maggie Wright (MW), Clerk Elaine Foxon (EF).

Parishioners: 2

#### **01-17/03/20 Apologies**

Those of Parish Councillor Harrison to be considered specifically to agenda 4.

**Accepted.**

#### **02-17/03/20 Discussion and collaborated response in relation to:**

Application No: 20/0234/FUL Description: Erection of 3 detached dwellings with associated garages and creation of a new vehicular access from Desford Road (Revised Scheme). Location: The Holt Desford Road Thurlaston Village Thurlaston

Following a lengthy discussion with Members and Parishioners present.

**Decision:** PH to provide statement for EF to send opposing application as per Full Council decision on provisional advices 18.02.2020

#### **03-17/03/20 Discussion and collaborated response in relation to:**

Potential Planning Application as advised by Blaby District Council, proposal screening opinion for proposed Solar Farm at Hill Farm, Earl Shilton

EF advised BDC have already decided that and 'Environmental Impact Assessment' is required.

**Decision:** Fully support BDC

**Review of Planning Applications received in addition to those specified above**

None

**04-17/03/20 Exchange**

MW seated as Parish Councillor.

Parish Councillor Harrison apologies as denoted within agenda item 1.

PH as Chair proposed the following:

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**Decision:** Accepted

All communications to be sent electronically to Members and where support required relating to a specific decision, a request via email will be made to Members with each responding as essential for audit purposes.

**Priority whilst quorate for Thurlaston Parish Council:**

VE Day Event

Cost maybe incurred or deposits lost

**Decision:** Cancelled. PH/EF to progress with cancellations of all bookings/orders placed related to the event.

Community Response/Support for the Parish specifically relating to Covid-19

'Good Neighbour' - inline with recent publicity TPC to work in conjunction with the local community to provide support where identified.

**Decision:** Leaflet drop with basic 'in need' or 'able to provide' to be drafted, published and posted by Members. EF to collate responses and provide details to all.

The meeting closed at 8.15pm.

Signed:.....(Chair/Vice Chair) Dated:.....