

COPYTHORNE PARISH COUNCIL
Copythorne Parish Hall – 12 June 2012
(7.00 p.m. – 9.00 p.m.)

PRESENT: Councillor S Bullen-Jarvis (Chairman); Councillors J Goodwin, Lady Kara Hawks, G James, M Moriarty, J Reilly and C Riddoch

15. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

During this session members of the public spoke on various planning matters (caravans in Cadnam Lane and planning application 12/97476 (Kents Farm House, Winsor Road)) (see minute 17).

16. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Councillors Bullen-Jarvis and James declared a non-prejudicial interest in planning application 12/97476 (Kents Farm House, Winsor Road).

17. PLANNING MATTERS

Caravans etc in Cadnam Lane: During public participation, local residents referred to various caravans and other structures on land in Cadnam Lane. Notwithstanding enforcement action already taken by the NPA, a number of caravans etc remained on various sites, and residents were anxious to ensure that planning laws were applied uniformly to all.

The Chairman reported that he had met with a resident to discuss the position and had taken photographs of the alleged breaches. It was agreed that details of the relevant sites would be passed to the NPA for enforcement action. The Chairman and Councillor Goodwin would also ascertain grid references for the sites to aid identification.

The NPA had also advised that a mobile home in Cadnam Lane, which had been the subject of injunctive action (case 08/0008), had now been removed.

New applications: Members agreed the following responses to current applications:

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| 12/97426 | Swallow Field Cottage, Blackhill Road, Furzley (Application for a Certificate of Lawful Development for existing use of land and building as single dwelling house, garden and access). (5) |
| 12/97446 | Warrawee Duck Farm, Pollards Moor Road (Extension to existing manege). Object (4) |
| 12/97454 | Rivermeade, Romsey Road, Ower (Single storey rear extension). Support (3) |
| 12/97476 | Kents Farm House, Winsor Road, Winsor (Two single storey outbuildings). Support (3) (The applicant spoke in favour of the application) |

Decisions: Members noted recent decisions as shown in the list tabled at the meeting (appendix 1 in the minute book).

Land adjacent to Copperfield, Pollards Moor Road: Members had been supplied with a copy of the latest hydrology report prepared by Ramboll. The NPA had requested any comments by 22 June. An e-mail from Councillor Goodwin on various aspects of the report was also tabled. It was agreed that a meeting be arranged with local residents to discuss the report and agree a joint response (Tuesday 19 June, 7 pm – venue to be agreed). Councillor Goodwin agreed to prepare a list of key issues.

18. RE-TENDERING OF SUBSIDISED BUS SERVICES

Members gave further consideration to proposals for the re-tendering of subsidised bus services in the Romsey, Totton and Waterside areas. Agreed, that comments be submitted regarding services 10 and 11 suggesting that these be combined to offer a unified service to and from Southampton for a single fare.

19. FINANCE MATTERS

Payments: Agreed, that the following payment be authorised:

Cheque no

848 TLC Online (Website maintenance, April to June 2012) £90.00

20. THE QUEEN'S 2012 DIAMOND JUBILEE

A letter from Roy Farmers thanked the Jubilee Committee for organising the Jubilee celebrations and for inviting him to open the event. The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Council had also written to the Committee, on the Parish Council's behalf, congratulating Committee members on their efforts.

The Parish Hall Committee had also submitted an invoice for £110 for the use of Parish Hall facilities over the Jubilee weekend. Members agreed the principle of the Parish Council meeting the cost, to be confirmed at the next meeting.

21. OTHER MATTERS

Footpath 9: A resident had complained about the overgrown condition of footpath 9 from Cadnam Green to the A3090. Agreed, refer to Rights of Way.

Bartley crossroads: Agreed that a further meeting with Highways officials be held on Friday 29 June at 3.30 pm.

Media policy: Discussion took place on the need for a Council media policy and expansion of the Council's website. Agreed, further discussion to take place at the next meeting in the context of the appointment of committees etc for 2012/13.

First Responders: Councillor Moriarty raised again the possibility of First Responder training for members of the public at the Parish Hall. Previous enquiries had not received a positive response. Sylvie Atkinson (in the public gallery) offered to assist once she had completed her own training. In the meantime she would enquire whether another trainer could provide facilities.

It was also suggested that basic first aid training could also be provided, with Parish Council funding, possibly through the Red Cross or St John Ambulance.

CHAIRMAN _____ DATE _____