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Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting held in The Memorial Hall, Bovingdon on Monday 17th February 2025 starting at 6.30 p.m.

Present:

Councillor Graham Barrett (Chairman) Councillor Nic Leon Councillor Hugh Schneiders Councillor David Stent Councillor Philip Walker

Also present:

The Parish Clerk

Press: 0

Residents: 3

1.	Apologies for absence
	There were apologies for absence received by, Councillor Pauline Wright
2.	Declaration of Interests linked to any of the items
	None
3.	Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 27 th Janurary 2025
	It was agreed by those present, that the minutes of the meeting held on 27 th Janurary
	2025 were a true representation of the meeting and were signed by Councillor
	Barrett.
4.	Matters arising from the Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 27 th Janurary 2025
	There were no matters arising.
5.	To consider the Parish Council's response to the following Planning Applications:
5.1	25/00097/LDP - Woodcote, Hempstead Road - Construction of a single storey side
	extension and construction of 2x outbuildings for ancillary use.
	No Objection

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5.2	24/02433/FUL - Bovingdon Kebab And Pizza 8 High Street - Single Storey Rear
	Extension to takeaway, to extend and improve the existing kitchen area of the
	takeaway
	No Objection
5.3	25/00169/LDP - 19 Claverton Close - Proposed Outbuilding The proposed
	outbuilding is designed to provide a functional and versatile space,
	accommodating a gym and an office/play area. Positioned at the rear of the
	property, the structure is intended to enhance the usability of the outdoor space
	while adhering to permitted development regulations. The outbuilding will measure
	8.5 metres in width by 3 metres in depth, offering sufficient space for its intended
	purposes while maintaining an appropriate scale in relation to the property. Key
	features of the proposal include: Roof Height: The maximum roof height is limited to
	2.5 metres, ensuring compliance with permitted development guidelines. Materials:
	To meet Building Regulations and ensure fire safety, the outbuilding will be
	constructed using high-quality, fire resistant, and non-combustible materials such as
	brick and blockwork. This is particularly important as the structure is positioned
	within 2 metres of the property boundary. Replacement of Existing Structure: The
	new outbuilding replaces a previous structure that had significantly deteriorated due
	to issues such as damp, mould, and structural rot. This replacement ensures a safe,
	durable, and visually improved solution for the space. Intended Use: The outbuilding
	is intended solely for purposes incidental to the enjoyment of the main dwelling,
	aligning with the requirements of permitted development regulations. Location: The
	outbuilding is situated to optimise the use of the garden area while minimising the
	impact on neighbouring properties. This proposal ensures the new outbuilding is a
	practical, compliant, and visually appealing addition to the property, addressing the
	shortcomings of the previous structure and providing a high-quality, purpose-built
	solution.
	No Objection
5.4	25/00195/LDE - The New Forge Maple Farm Shantock Lane - To confirm that
	planning permission 21/04467/FUL has been implemented and remains extant
	No Comment
5.5	25/00181/FHA - 19 Claverton Close - Single storey side extension.
	No Objection
5.6	25/00196/LBC - 86 High Street - External works including: re-roofing, removal of
	modern impermeable paint to walls and application of lime render.
	Support
5.7	25/00194/FUL - Bovingdon Brickworks Ltd Leyhill Road - Replacement of crushed
	brick surfacing with Bitumen Planings
	No Comment
5.8	25/00221/NMA - Greymantle, Hempstead Road - Non material amendment to
	planning permission 22/00882/FHA.
	No Comment

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5.9	24/01909/LBC - Whelpley Ash Farm Chesham Road - Proposed conversion of existing	
	curtilage listed detached barn into a two-bedroom dwelling including lifting of the	
	roof, alterations and refurbishment works.	
	Support	
5.10	24/01908/FUL - Whelpley Ash Farm Chesham Road - : Proposed conversion of existing	
	curtilage listed detached barn into a two bedroom dwelling including lifting of the	
	roof, alterations and refurbishment works.	
	Support	
5.11	24/02942/RES - Grange Farm Phase 2 Green Lane - Reserved Matters Application	
	pursuant to Condition 2 of planning permission 23/02034/MFA (matters relating to	
	Appearance, Landscaping, Layout and Scale) for the residential development of 129	
	residential units, community buildings, open space and associated works.	
	After the BPC Planning Committee meeting held on 27 th January 2025 TW Homes represented by James Smith from Ridge and Partners LLP supplied revised drawings in respect of the N2 apartment buildings. These detail a reduction in height to two storeys in respect of the rear flanked extension. Weatherboard	
	cladding has also been added to the upper floors to soften the appearance. The	
	Planning Committee further considered this application at their meeting held on	
	17 Th February 2025. It subsequently resolved to remove their objection and fully	
	support the application providing drawing numbers 22/1077 – SK343 rev D, SK344	
	rev B, SK345 rev B, SK346 rev B are accepted as the revised elevations for	
	apartment type N2.	
6.	To note the outcome of planning applications considered by Dacorum Borough	
	Council:	
6.1	24/02750/LDE - Rainhill Spring , Stoney Lane - Use of the land for mixed equestrian	
	and agricultural purposes and siting of caravan as a permanent structure. – DBC	
	Refused - (BPC Object)	
6.2	24/02343/FHA - Hill House, Hempstead Road - Demolition of existing attached shed,	
	single storey rear extension and disused stack and construction of new double	
	storey, rear, infill extension – DBC Refused	
6.3	25/00124/TPO - 63 Green Lane - Works to tree – DBC Grant (BPC No comment)	
7.	To note dates for Appeals / Forthcoming Inquiries / Forthcoming Hearings – all	
7 1	previously reported to the Planning Committee:	
7.1	Appeals Lodged:	
7.1.2	APP/A1910/D/23/3327021 – Greymantle, Hempstead Road - Construction of two	
712	outbuildings - Local Planning Authority Ref: 23/00736/FHA	
7.1.3	APP/A1910/W/24/3354130 - End Oak Water Lane - Demolition of existing	
	dwellings and stable/storage buildings and redevelopment with three detached	
744	dwellings: 24/00787/FUL	
7.1.4	APP/A1910/D/24/3357369 - Cherry Tree Cottage Long Lane Bovingdon -	
1	Construction of additional storey to 7.9 metres 24/02112/UPA	

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