

Droitwich Spa Town Council

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You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the **PLANNING COMMITTEE** to be held in The Council Chamber, St Richard's House, Victoria Square, Droitwich Spa, WR9 8DS on Monday 30 July 2018 at 6.00pm.



Mark Keld
Town Clerk

Please review Planning Applications in advance by going online at http://www.e-wychavon.org.uk/wychavon/plan_search/search.html

PUBLIC SESSION

Members of the public are invited to attend the committee meeting. Time is set aside at 5.45pm to receive views or questions on issues on this agenda, or raise issues for future consideration before the start of the Committee meeting. Notice of these should be lodged with the Town Clerk by 1pm that same day at the latest. Members of the public may not take part in the committee meeting.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence
2. Declarations of Interests
3. To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 2 July 2018 *[enclosed]*
4. (a) Planning applications *[schedule attached]*
(b) Amended planning applications
Ref -18/00599/HP –Mr Lindon Powell, 72 Stalls Farm Road, Droitwich Spa, WR9 8JL. – Amendments to single storey rear extension and two storey front/side extension. Dated 13 July 2018.
5. Decisions of the Local Planning Authority:-
 - a Approval Notices: Wychavon District Council, the Local Planning Authority, has issued 5 approval notices, all of which did accord with the recommendations of the Town Council.

- b Refusal Notices: One refusal notice has been issued which did accord with the recommendation of the Town Council.

6. Vehicle Activated Signs -

The Town Council has acquired and currently maintains 5 Vehicle Activated Speed Warning Signs. These have been funded by County Councillor Divisional Funds over recent years and are the responsibility of the Town Council for positioning, maintenance and insurance purposes. Two signs are in fixed locations on Lyttleton Road and Primsland Way powered from the street lighting infrastructure with permission granted from WCC Street Lighting. The remaining three signs are battery operated and intended for temporary rotation between various assessed and approved locations in the Town. These 3 signs have been in place on Westwood Road, Westwood Way and Celvestune Way for some considerable time. Councillor WT Moy recently arranged for an additional location on Tagwell Road to be authorised with the Highways Officer .Thereafter the sign from Westwood Way has been moved across to Tagwell. Subsequently a complaint has been raised by a member of the public that the Westwood Way sign has been removed.

This sign has been in place continually at Westwood Way for over 3 years. As more requests for different locations are now being received the Officers recommendation is to maintain a logged rotation system to accord with the servicing regime for all three portable signs between various requested sites with a minimum three month change over interval. This would also introduce some greater effectiveness whereby motorists do not become used to the signs in the same location. The suggested 3 month period for each location would give reasonable consideration towards balancing the additional costs, work and time required to change locations, over and above the existing fortnightly battery changes.

- 7. Worcestershire County Council – Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Bromgrove Road/ Queen Street, Droitwich Spa – Confirmation of the existing and proposed waiting restriction works order plan. Councillor Brookes has confirmed that WCC/ Ringway contractors are due to install double yellow lines as part of the current resurfacing works for Bromsgrove Road on the section of Chapel Bridge. This matter was raised as a concern for attention at the Town Meeting on 19 March 2018 and is duly recorded in the minutes.

[for information purposes – see attached WCC work order plan]

Distribution:

All Members of the Planning Committee

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