MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE **PLANNING COMMITTEE** HELD ON **TUESDAY 4th FEBRUARY 2020** AT 2.00 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, THE TOWN HALL, 9 DEVON SQUARE, NEWTON ABBOT

PRESENT: Councillors D Howe (Chairman) Presiding

M Joyce (Vice Chairman)

Councillors R Hayes C N Parker

M Hocking M Pilkington
Mrs A Jones Mrs L Sheffield

By Invitation: Mr Eric Collar - Tree Warden

Officers in attendance: Phil Rowe - Town Clerk

Sally Henley – Town Development Manager Alex Robinson – Committee Administrator

395. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Mrs Carol Bunday, Mrs Karen Crout, Richard Jenks and Mike Ryan.

396. INTERESTS

None.

397. **MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 14th January 2020 were received and signed as a correct record.

398. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None.

399. CONSIDERATION OF LOCAL PLAN & NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The Committee reaffirmed their recommendation that applications for all new build properties and where appropriate refurbished sites, give regard to the policies included in the Newton Abbot Neighbourhood Development Plan 2016-2033 (NANDP) which contributes to the District Local Plan. In particular, to the inclusion of renewables within the development as per Policy 1 NANDP and given the rise in electric vehicles, that any such application with an off-street parking space, consider the installation of an electrical vehicle charging point as per Policy 2 NANDP.

400. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

BRADLEY

1. 19/01301/ADV Gary Crawford BRADLEY - Entrance to Icehouse Copse, Stover, Newton Abbot

Banner attached to advertising hoarding

THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED REFUSAL ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE ADVERTISING HOARDING WOULD BE DETRIMENTAL TO THE LISTED BUILDING. THE COMMITTEE NOTED THAT THE DEVON GARDEN TRUST SUPPORTED REFUSAL

2. 19/02543/FUL Gary Crawford

BRADLEY - 1 Emblett Drive, Newton Abbot

Detached dwelling

THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED REFUSAL ON THE FOLLOWING GROUNDS: THE ADVERSE AFFECT ON THE STREET SCENE; OVER DEVELOPMENT; ACCESS AND DEPARTURE FROM THE SURROUNDING PROPERTIES.

THE CHAIRMAN NOTED THAT THE WARD MEMBER FOR BRADLEY WOULD CALL IN THE APPLICATION.

3. 20/00070/LBC

BRADLEY - Bradley Manor, Totnes Road, Newton Abbot. Repairs to the end beams in the pound barn cider shed NO OBJECTION

4. 19/01637/FUL Kelly Grunnill

BRADLEY - 1 Forches Cross, Newton Abbot

Construction of a storage building (Class B1)

THE COMMITTEE RAISED NO OBJECTION BUT REQUESTED THAT THE APPLICANT GIVE CONSIDERATION TO THE INSTALLATION OF SOLAR PANELS

5. 20/00139/MOD Kelly Grunnill

BRADLEY - Land at NGR 285451 72391 Whitehill, Exeter Road, Newton Abbot

Modification to Section 106 on 16/01968/MAJ

THE COMMITTEE NOTED THE MODIFICATION AND RAISED NO OBJECTION

6. 20/00128/TPO Mark Waddams

BRADLEY - Land at NGR 285390 72235 Whitehill, Exeter Road, Newton Abbot

Works to trees along drive itemised in submitted report

IN NOTING THAT NONE OF THE TREES WERE TO BE FELLED, THE COMMITTEE RAISED NO OBJECTION IN PRINCIPLE SUBJECT TO ENSURING THE PROTECTION OF THE LOCAL ECOLOGY AND IT FURTHER RECOMMENDED THAT THE DISTRICT AUTHORITY SEEK THE VIEWS OF NATURAL ENGLAND

BUCKLAND & MILBER

7. 20/00027/FUL Eve Somerville

BUCKLAND & MILBER - 26 Laburnum Road, Newton Abbot

Demolition of attached garage and construction of granny annexe incorporating Juliet balcony THE COMMITTEE RAISED NO OBJECTION SUBJECT TO ANCILLARY USE ONLY AND IT FURTHER RECOMMENDED THE APPLICANT CONSIDER THE INSTALLATION OF SOLAR PANELS

8. 19/02481/FUL

BUCKLAND & MILBER - 19 St. Luke's Road, Newton Abbot

Loft conversion including rear dormer, single storey side extension and extension to parking area

NO OBJECTION

9. 20/00064/FUL

BUCKLAND & MILBER - 68 Aller Brake Road, Newton Abbot

Rear extension and front porch

NO OBJECTION

10.20/00131/TPO Mark Waddams

BUCKLAND & MILBER - 8 Alder Close, Newton Abbot

Fell six silver birch trees identified as T54-T59 on the submitted plan THOUGH IT WAS NOTED THAT REPLACEMENT TREES WOULD HAVE BEEN PLANTED, THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED REFUSAL ON THE GROUNDS THAT THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE THAT FURTHER TREES REQUIRED REMOVAL

BUSHELL

11.19/02474/FUL Central Team

BUSHELL - 54 Knowles Hill Road, Newton Abbot

Detached garage and retention of gate piers and gates

NO OBJECTION

Appeal Received 12.19/00053/ENFA

BUSHELL - 32 Devon Square, Newton Abbot

Appeal against grounds e and g of Listed Building Enforcement Notice against the unauthorised conversion of the basement into 2 bedrooms with en-suite bathrooms and associated works and the unauthorised installation of windows in the basement.

Appeal Received 13.19/00054/ENFA

NOTED

BUSHELL - 32 Devon Square, Newton Abbot

Appeal against grounds a and b of Enforcement Notice against the unauthorised construction of a raised seating area and the unauthorised construction of a raised flower bed NOTED

14.20/00065/CLDE

BUSHELL - Rear of 39 East Street, Newton Abbot

Certificate of Lawfulness for existing use of building as a dwelling house

NO OBJECTION

15.20/00144/FUL Central Team

BUSHELL- 63 Barton Drive, Newton Abbot New porch and replacement windows to front elevation

THE COMMITTEE RAISED NO OBJECTION SUBJECT TO USING MATERIALS IN KEEPING WITH THE EXISTING STREET SCENE

COLLEGE

Application withdrawn

16.19/02530/TPO Mark Waddams
COLLEGE - Former Wolborough Hospital Development site, Old Totnes Road,

Newton Abbot

Removal of 13 trees of various species as detailed in tree report supplied

NOTED

17.20/00110/CAN Mark Waddams

COLLEGE - Charlecote, 18A Keyberry Park, Newton Abbot

Remove leaning stem of one confer

NO OBJECTION

MILBER

Nil

OTHERS NOT ON LIST

20/00162/CAN Mark Waddams

COLLEGE - Blackridge House, 17 South Road, Newton Abbot

Fell one leylandii

THE COMMITTEE RAISED NO OBJECTION AND NOTED THE APPLICANT'S INTENTION TO REPLACE WITH A SUITABLE TREE OR WITH BEECH HEDGING

401. NAMING OF STREETS AND NUMBERING OF HOUSES

None.

402. TEIGNBRIDGE DISTRICT COUNCIL

None.

403. **DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL**

None

404. PLANNING APPLICATIONS AT VARIANCE WITH TOWN COUNCIL'S OBSERVATIONS

19/02110/FUL - 14 Jubilee Road, Newton Abbot

Single Detached House

The Planning Committee recommended refusal on the grounds of overdevelopment and adverse effect on the street scene, however Teignbridge District Council have approved the application.

NOTED.

405. TREE PRESERVATION ORDER

Referred to under Minute 400 (6) and (10) above.

406. LATE CORRESPONDENCE

None.

407. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of the Planning Committee would be held at 2.00 p.m. on Tuesday 25th February 2020.

CHAIRMAN