

Stratfield Mortimer Parish Council

Members of the Planning Committee are summoned to attend the Committee Meeting to be held in the Mortimer Methodist Hall, 7 West End Road, Mortimer RG7 3TE on Thursday 25 April 2024 at 18:45

Members of the public and press are welcome to attend

Part I

- 23/0182 Public Questions
- 23/0183 Apologies

To receive apologies for absence.

23/0184 To receive any declarations of interest

To receive from Members at this point or at any point during the meeting, in respect of any items included on the agenda, disclosure of any interests in line with the Parish Council's Code of Conduct and gifts and hospitality in line with Government legislation.

Members are reminded that if they declare an interest they may have to leave immediately after having made representations, given evidence, or answered questions and before the debate starts unless he/she has obtained a dispensation.

23/0185 Minutes of last meeting

To receive and APPROVE the Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on Thursday 11 April 2024.

23/0186 Chairman's remarks

23/0187 Items to be taken into private session

To determine which items, if any, of the Agenda should be taken with the public excluded.

23/0188 Policies

To consider any Policies within the ambit of the Committee requiring consideration, amendment or proposal to Full Council.

23/0189 Current Projects

To receive updates on current projects and consider any recommendations for resolution as reported:

- a Tower House Farm;
- b Mortimer to Burghfield Footpath/Cycleway.

23/0190 Schedule of Applications

To consider the following applications.

24/00262/HOUSE: 16 The Crescent Mortimer Common Reading RG7 3RU

Single storey rear extension, garage conversion and front extension to garage to provide covered car port with associated fenestration and new chimney flue.

24/00395/HOUSE: 5 Briar Lee Road Mortimer Common RG7 3SA

Side Extension revised from previous approval with Gable roof and Dining area extended by 500mm.

24/00455/HOUSE: 17 Damson Drive Mortimer Reading RG7 3WZ

Retrospective: Application for the erection of 2 no. outbuildings in the rear garden of the house to be used for storage and chicken coop

24/00604/TPW: Ravensworth House Ravensworth Road Mortimer West End Reading RG7 3UD

T1 - Beech: tree next to garage in major decline, possibly fully dead. Dismantle and fell to ground, as poses a risk to the road side and garage

T2 - Oak: tree located on the road side. Remove major deadwood due to the risk of the footpath and road, carry out slight crown lift on road side for carriage way clearance of 4m, clean dead ivy from tree and carry out aerial inspection

T3 - Conifer (Leylandi): reduce in height by 3m - 4m and shape sides just to manage tree in its location and keep as a low level screen/understory for the road. Tree may not be covered by TPO.

23/0191 Applications for Future Consideration

To note any further new applications, which will become meeting agenda items in due course:

24/00405/HOUSE: 14A Stephens Close Mortimer Common Reading RG7 3TX

Two storey rear extension.

24/00482/HOUSE: 6 Orchard Road Mortimer RG7 3QN

Demolition of conservatory and two storey rear extension.

23/0192 National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF)

To review the revised version of NPPF published by the government on 19 December 2023.

23/0193 Items for information only

To note:

- a Decisions received from West Berkshire Council
- b Minor matters for information.

23/0194 Communications

To identify any items for communicating.

23/0195 Future Agenda Items

To identify future agenda items.

Part II (if needed)

23/0196 Exclusion of Public and Press

To pass a resolution to exclude members of the press and public from the meeting at Part II, items identified at 23/0172 on the Agenda, due to the confidential nature of the information being discussed.

Mrs L Hannawin, Clerk 19/04/2024