

Present: Cllr K O'Brien, D. Elwell, A. Marriott, D. Flack Asst Clerk Mrs J Mullett.

126/03/23 Apologies for Absence

126/03/23- Cllr Mrs L. Campbell-Daley

127/03/22 Approval of Minutes

127.1/03/23 - **RESOLVED** - The minutes of the meeting of **15th February 2023** were *approved* and *signed* as a true record of the meeting by the Chairman.

128/03/23 **Declarations of Interest 128.1**/03/23 None

129/03/23 **Public Participation on items on the Agenda 129.1**/03/23 No public attended.

130/03/23 Planning Applications

130.1/03/23 Members *considered* the below applications:

23/00115/FUL – 21 Crouch Avenue, Hullbridge, SS5 6BS. First floor rear extension. *No Objection.*

To note the following planning application has been reported to the Development Committee on 28th February 2023 and Members to note the outcome:

23/00928/FUL – 66 Ferry Road, Hullbridge. Variation/removal of conditions numbers 2 (use of building as applicant only) and 4 (hours of operation) of Application Reference 17/00665/COU to allow for additional opening hours and for the training of an additional person. *The Development Committee decision: Agreed. Hullbridge Parish Council has no objections.*

131/03/23 Breach of planning – updates

131.1/03/23 Members noted that there were no updates

132/03/23 Street Lighting

132.1/03/23 Members noted the update from the street lighting meeting held on 2nd March 2023. Members noted that we are waiting on a report from the street lighting contractor before any recommendations can be made at a future meeting. <u>ACTION</u>: <u>Assistant Clerk to chase Street lighting contractor for report.</u>

132.2/03/23 Members discussed whether the removed broken streetlight from 23 Creekview Avenue which was removed on 21.02.2023 should be replaced at a cost of £5600 ex VAT (£1800 for light, £1800 for UK Power Networks to connect, approx. £2000 for traffic light management for installation as road is too narrow for work to be carried out as normal). As the existing light was situated in a suspected soakaway which was full of surface water the street Light engineer/contractor recommended (only if necessary) to replace the light in a different location. Members recommend that that the street light is not replaced but must be disconnected by UK Power Networks.

ACTION: Clerk to write to occupants of number 23 Creekview Avenue and residents either side of no.23 and opposite for their consultation on this.

133/03/23 **Enforcement Update**

133.1/03/23 Members noted that there were no updates.

134/03/23 **Infrastructure**

134.1/03/23 Members noted the new Highways and Footpaths defects.

135/03/23 **HCA Access**

135.1/03/23 Members noted the update from Cllr O'Brien.

136.1/03/23 Barratt David Wilson Homes Noticeboard

136.1/03/23 Members noted the update.

137/03/23 **Date of the Next Meeting**

137.1/03/23 Members to forward any items for the next agenda by 20th March 2023.
137.2/03/23 Date of the next meeting 7pm Wednesday 29th March 2023 the *Parish Office*.

Meeting Closed at 8pm Julie Mullett

Chairman Signed: _____ Date _____