## **DUNSTABLE TOWN COUNCIL**

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF PLANS SUB-COMMITTEE

# HELD AT GROVE HOUSE, 76 HIGH STREET NORTH, DUNSTABLE

#### **ON TUESDAY 20 AUGUST 2019**

Present: Councillors Liz Jones (Chairman), Phillip Crawley (Vice-Chairman), Greg

George, John Gurney and Lee Roberts

Apologies: Councillor Mark Cant, Alan Corkhill and Cameron Restall (for whom Cllr

Roberts was substituting)

In Attendance: David Ashlee (Town Clerk and Chief Executive)

Public: One

## 1. SPECIFIC DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no specific declarations of interest.

## 2. PLANNING APPLICATIONS – RECEIVED UP TO 9 AUGUST 2019

The Sub-Committee considered all planning applications submitted to Central Bedfordshire Council in respect of Dunstable between 13 July and 9 August 2019.

**RESOLVED**: that the following comments be forwarded to Central Bedfordshire Council in respect of the applications indicated:

CB/19/00273/TRE 16 Hawthorn Close

**Proposal:** Works to trees protected by a tree preservation order reduction of

protected ash tree all over by 2m and tree crown is lifted to a height

of 3.5m above ground level.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/00277/TCA Street Record, High Street South

Proposal: Works to trees within a conservation area as per application and

tree survey.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/00297/TRE 4C Brook Close

**Proposal:** Work to TPO Sycamore tree (SB/TPO/01/0009)

- 1. Crown reduction by 25-35% to stop tree overgrowing it's location and remove weight extremities from the branches.
- 2. Crown clean to remove dead wood to mitigate risk of potential damage caused by falling branches.
- 3. Crown thin to reduce wind load upon the limbs of the tree and to reduce shading.
- 4. Crown lift approx. 5m to increase light penetration under the tree and remove obstruction from vehicles.

Observations: No objection

CB/19/00319/TCA West Street Christian Centre

Proposal: Works to trees protected by a Preservation order: Prune trees

overhanging into May Pole Yard car park and prune church side

too.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/01670/FULL 30 Falcon Close

**Proposal:** Retrospective: Replacement of timber windows with white UPVC

on 3<sup>rd</sup> floor flat.

Observations: No objection

CB/19/01767/FULL 16 Leston Close

Proposal: Ground floor front extension, partial garage conversion and

replacement roof over garage.

Observations: No objection

CB/19/01824/FULL 85 Princes Street

**Proposal:** Single storey rear and side extension. Dormer window extension to

front and rear.

Observations: No objection

**CB/19/01920/FULL** 264 West Street

Proposal: Dropped kerb across full frontage of property, removal of small

brick wall at front and hardstanding.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/01946/OUT 21 High Street North

Proposal: Conversion of upper two floors into 4 one bed flats, plus attic

extension to create an additional one bed flat including new rear

extension.

**Observations:** No objection but Members were keen to stress the importance for

these types of developments to have adequate refuse collection

arrangements put in place.

**CB/19/01961/FULL** 32 Wilbury Drive

**Proposal:** Detached timber cabin to the rear (retrospective)

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/01963/FULL 32 Mardale Avenue

**Proposal:** Replace front porch extension.

**Observations:** No objection

**CB/19/01967/FULL** 50 Beacon Avenue

Proposal: Single storey side and rear extension with front bay window. Loft

conversion with front and rear dormers.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/01984/FULL Unit 3, Lawrence Way

**Proposal:** Installation of new cladding to front elevation of Unit. Full removal

of existing asbestos cement sheet roof with new profile sheet.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/02000/FULL 16 Southfields Road

**Proposal:** Single storey rear/side extension.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/02016/FULL 36 Holliwick Road

Proposal: First floor side extension.

**Observations:** No objection

CB/19/02124/FULL 19 Keswick Close

Proposal: First floor front and side extension, two storey rear extension and

garage conversion.

**Observations:** No objection

# 3. PLANNING DECISIONS

Members noted the decisions of Central Bedfordshire Council in respect of recent planning applications.

# 4. LICENSING APPLICATIONS

No licensing applications had been received.