HEBDEN ROYD TOWN COUNCIL

MEETING of the TOWN COUNCIL (Development, Environment and Amenities) held WEDNESDAY 10th JANUARY 2007

MINUTES

PRESENT: - Councillors; E Ward(Chair), J T Allison, Mrs C I Bampton Smith, Beacroft-Mitchell, S Brown, P Coles, R Dixon, M Elder, J Frederiksen G Gabbi, P Monahan, Mrs M L Murty, S Press, N J Yorke and D K Young

Also present Deputy Chair of Planning Committee, Cllr Grenville Horsfall and Beverley Smith from Calderdale MBC, Ward Cllr Janet Battye and 1 member of the

Press

369. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs; Mrs Beacroft-Mitchell, N Fekri and Dr M Smith and for lateness from Cllr Beacroft-Mitchell,

370. Members' Interests relating to agenda items for this meeting.

None declared at this point
It was moved by Cllr Mrs Ward
Seconded by Cllr Young and

RESOLVED: to note the information

371. MINUTES OF THE TOWN COUNCIL (Development, Environment and Amenities) held 13th December 2006

It was moved by Cllr Mrs Ward Seconded by Cllr Monahan and

i) RESOLVED: that the minutes of meeting held 13th December 2006 be accepted as a correct record

It was moved by Cllr Elder

Seconded by Cllr Young and

ii) RESOLVED: to receive regular updates on progress with the Central Street project

372. Matters Arising from meeting held 13th December 2006 not itemised on this Agenda

There were no matters arising

373. PLANNING DECISIONS

Deputy Chair of Planning Committee, Cllr Grenville Horsfall and Beverley Smith from Calderdale MBC attended and addressed concerns re variances on planning recommendations and decisions reached at Calderdale MBC. Members expressed appreciation for the contact established and looked forward to the opportunity for training on planning procedure and law

374. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

a) Application 06/02229/LBC (list dated 10.12.06) for installation of double glazing; replacement of doors; replacement and repair of guttering at 59 BRIDGE LANES, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Elder Seconded by Cllr Monahan and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval – subject to the use of

traditional materials, i.e. timber

b) Application 06/02287/CAC (list dated 10.12.06) for demolition works to allow relocation of existing medical centre car park (Conservation Area Consent) at OLD C.W.S. PENNINE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, VALLEY ROAD, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Allison Seconded by Cllr Young and RESOLVED:

Recommend Approval – subject to satisfactory highway report and reuse of significant stoneworks, i.e. date-stone and

arch

c) Application 06/02316 (list dated 10.12.06) for formation of ancillary parking and pavement following demolition at OLD C.W.S. PENNINE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, VALLEY ROAD, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Allison Seconded by Cllr Young and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval – subject to

satisfactory highway report and reuse of significant stoneworks, i.e. date-stone and

arch

d) Application 06/02405 (list dated 10.12.06) for new terrace and access ramp at MOYLES HOTEL, 4-10 NEW ROAD, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Monahan Seconded by Cllr Young and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval – request use of local

stone and barrier to end level with left-hand

window jamb

e) Application 06/02398 (list dated 10.12.06) for conversion of agricultural building to dwelling at BARN 15 N-WEST, STAKE FARM, STAKE LANE, CRAGG VALE.

It was moved by Cllr Elder

Seconded by Cllr Mrs Ward and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

f) Application 06/02331/LBC (list dated 17.12.06) to complete gutting and total internal refurbishment and new windows to match existing, new matching rain water goods (Listed Building Consent) at 15 OLD GATE, HEBDEN BRIDGE

It was moved by Cllr Young Seconded by Cllr Frederiksen and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval - subject to the use of

traditional materials, i.e. timber

g) Application 06/02457 (list dated 17.12.06) for demolition of garage and increase in roof height to create first floor extension to rear and two dormers to front at 9.-11 FALLINGROYD, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Elder Seconded by Cllr Mrs Ward and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

h) Application 06/02439 (list dated 17.12.06) for demolition of existing buildings and construct four dwellings (Conservation Area Consent) at SITE OF BRUNSWICK JOINERY WORKS, MELBOURNE STREET, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Monahan Seconded by Cllr Elder and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

i) Application 06/02299 (list dated 17.12.06) for four dwellings at SITE OF BRUNSWICK JOINERY WORKS, MELBOURNE STREET, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Monahan Seconded by Cllr Elder and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

Note

Cllr Allison and Cllr Beacroft-Mitchell, as governors, declared a prejudicial interest in the next item only and withdrew from the Chamber

j) Application 06/02397 (**list dated 17.12.06**) for extension and refurbishment of school at SCOUT ROAD, JUNIOR AND INFANT SCHOOL, SCOUT ROAD, MYTHOLMROYD.

It was moved by Cllr Frederiksen Seconded by Cllr Elder and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval – have some concerns

re land contamination and stability

Note Cllrs Allison and Beacroft-Mitchell returned to the Chamber

k) Application 06/02252 (list dated 24.12.06) for two-storey rear extension to replace existing garden store at THE BARN HOUSE, 5 BIRCHCLIFFE, SANDY GATE, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Elder

Seconded by Cllr Frederiksen and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

l) Application 06/02494 (list dated 24.12.06) for proposed metal cantilevered balcony over River Calder at 9 KING STREET, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Elder Seconded by Cllr Dixon and

RESOLVED: Recommend Approval

It was moved by Cllr Mrs Ward Seconded by Cllr Young and

RESOLVED: that the recommendation on the above planning applications are sent to the Environmental Services Department, Calderdale MBC. When the Chair or Deputy Chair cannot attend, Ward members be authorised to represent the view of Hebden Royd Town Council at meetings of the Planning Committee at Calderdale MBC.

375. APPLICATIONS FOR PLANNING PERMISSION GRANTED BY CALDERDALE MBC

The Clerk reported on planning Notices received from the Chief Town Planning Officer **GRANTING PLANNING PERMISSION** to applications previously considered.

It was moved by Cllr Young Seconded by Cllr Brown and RESOLVED:- to note the information

376. APPLICATIONS FOR PLANNING PERMISSION REFUSED BY CALDERDALE MBC

The Clerk reported on planning Notices received from the Chief Town Planning Officer **REFUSING PLANNING PERMISSION** to applications previously considered.

It was moved by Cllr Young Seconded by Cllr Brown and RESOLVED:- to note the information

377. TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – APPEAL TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

Appeal by 3045 Group against Calderdale MBC's decision to refuse planning permission for the construction of ten semi-detached dwellings.

At Site on LAND OFF ROSE GROVE, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

It was moved by Cllr Young

Seconded by Cllr Brown and

RESOLVED: to ask Cllr Elder to attend the inquiry to be held at Halifax Town Hall, on Tuesday 20th February 2007

378. THE PLANNING INSPECTORATE

Application 05/02402 – development for fourteen apartments

Land adjacent to: ROSE VILLAS, HEPTONSTALL ROAD, HEBDEN

BRIDGE

Summary of Decision: The appeal has been allowed, and planning permission granted subject to conditions set out in the formal Decision.

It was moved by Cllr Young Seconded by Cllr Brown and

RESOLVED: to note the information

379. CALDERDALE MBC – Meeting Notification

Application 06/01981 for demolition of two dwellings and construction of four pairs of semi detached houses at 9 – 11 CALDERSIDE, HEBDEN BRIDGE.

Application considered on 2nd January 2007 at Halifax Town Hall.

It was moved by Cllr Young

Seconded by Cllr Brown and

RESOLVED: to note the information

380. PARKS & PATHS

The Clerk gave a verbal report of the site meeting has been held on 8th January re the Phase III improvements in Calder Holmes Park.

Concern was voiced re the planned lighting columns as opposed to the original low level lighting and a request was made for a low energy system It was moved by Cllr Young

Seconded by Cllr Elder and

RESOLVED: to ask the Project Officer to report

381. CCTV

The Clerk reported that there had been no progress on funding of the system by Calderdale MBC

It was moved by Cllr Frederiksen Seconded by Cllr Mrs Ward and

RESOLVED: to note

382. ALLOTMENTS

Enquiry for allotment from Elaine Proctor

It was moved by Cllr Young

Seconded by Cllr Frederiksen and

RESOLVED: to note the enquiry and form a Working Party comprising Cllrs; Beacroft-Mitchell, Brown and the Clerk to meet with Bernadette Livesy re correspondence item h) re Hebden Royd Town Council taking control of some local services

383. CORRESPONDENCE

a) Air Quality Management Area No. 3 – reply and copy letter sent to Dr Mackay from Tommy Moorhouse, CMBC.

- b) Seasons Greetings and Christmas period advertisement arrangements from Calderdale MBC
- c) Letters from B Mowforth, CMBC re Marina & Memorial Gardens
- d) Yorkshire Local Councils Association re Consultation Changes to Planning Obligations. If replying by email please include words 'consultation response' responses to: planning.obligations@communities.gsi.gov.uk by 28.1.07
- e) YLCA re new Planning Policy Statement on Development and Flood Risk
- f) Place Names email from Richard Binks re Bridge Gate Car Park
- g) Email from Richard Binks re Sun dial in Square
- h) Email from Bernadette Livesey re Calder Holmes Park and Recreation Areas in Hebden Bridge
- i) Highways Agency Motorway Access Management M1/M62
- j) Notice of Untimely death of Jane Toye
- k) Emails from Cllr Bampton Smith re Christmas Tree Lights at Mytholmroyd Memorial Gardens

Cllr Monahan requested sight of documents relating to Item a) Item c) remained unresolved

In respect of Item f) the Clerk reported that there would be a meeting of the Twinning Ctte on Wednesday 17th January at 6:30 pm

Cllr Allison commented with regret on Item j)

It was moved by Cllr Young

Seconded by Cllr Brown and

RESOLVED: to note the remaining items

Meeting closed at 9:20 pm