

Present

Cllr Chris Barrett, Cllr Bryan Futers, Cllr Gerry Price, Cllr Chris Cuthbert, Cllr Angie Scott, Cllr Dot Dickinson, Cllr Jane Johnson, Cllr Jonathan Wheeler, Cllr Ignasious Varghese

Shirley Ann Gaut (Clerk)

PCW2223/124 Welcome by Chair

Meeting opened by Cllr Chris Barrett.

PC2223125 Apologies for Absence

Cllr Carol Stephenson, Cllr Tracy Gilmore, Cllr Kiran Bell, Cllr Glenn Simpson

PCW2223/156 Declarations of Interest

Cllr Angie Scott as a Member of the NCC Tynedale Local Area Committee (Planning), declared a non-pecuniary interest in all planning applications and took no part in the consideration of any of the applications.

PCW2223/127 Dispensations

None to approve.

PCW2223/128 Public Participation

No items of public participation had been received.

PCW2223/129 Draft Minutes of the Ordinary Meeting, including the Planning, Contracts and Works Committee held on 15th December 2022.

It was **AGREED** to receive the minutes as a true record.

PW2223/130 Planning Matters

Planning Applications requiring a response

To receive and agree a response to the following Planning Applications, received since 15th December 2022 (*click on the link to open the application on the NCC Planning Portal*):

[22/04600/FUL Newlands Eastwood Villas, West Wylam, Prudhoe, Northumberland NE42 5NQ](#)

Proposed double storey side extension with first storey rear and new porch entrance.

It was **AGREED** to support the application.

[22/04633/FUL Hillcrest Eastwood Villas, West Wylam, Northumberland NE42 5NQ](#)

Single storey rear extension, replace existing veranda roof and balcony rails and install new patio doors to veranda.

It was **AGREED** to support the application.

Northumberland County Council (NCC) Planning Decisions and Notifications

To agree to receive, if any, the NCC Planning Decisions and any other notifications, received since 15th December 2022.

None received.

PCW2223/131 Clerk's Report

The Clerk gave the following verbal:-

Christmas Tree Lights

Estimated removal of lights is between 15th -22nd January 2023.

Defibrillator at Spetchells

This had been used over the Christmas period, pads replaced, fault occurred regarding update and new battery required. Arrangements have been made to send device to WEL Medical to be service/updated. A loan device will be sent in the interim, this will be returned once our device has been returned/new battery purchased.

Allotment Association

Arranged to meet representatives at the Gardeners Hut on Saturday 14th January 2023, rehoused Town Show items.

PCW2223/132 Playground Inspection Reports

It was **AGREED** to receive the latest Playground Inspection Reports.

PCW2223/133 Highfield Skatepark

It was **AGREED** further investigation would be needed regarding floodlighting at Highfield Skatepark.

PCW2223/134 Correspondence

To receive any correspondence, and to agree any matters to be added to future agenda.

The following was received after the agenda was circulated:-

- a) Walled Garden – A Visioning Event 2 February 2023, 6.30-8.30pm – Gentoo Homes have invited Prudhoe Community Partnership and various stakeholders to develop ideas and plans. It was **AGREED** the Clerk will attend; Councillors will confirm attendance before 30 January 2023.

Meeting Ended.