MINUTES of a MEETING of the **DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE** of WINSLOW TOWN COUNCIL held on **Tuesday 16th May 2023**, at 7pm at the Council Offices, 28 High Street, Winslow

Present: Cllrs Cawte, Bishopp, and Cawdell Absent: Cllrs Slevin and van de Poll Clerk: S Carolan

PRELIMINARY MATTERS

Election of Chairman:

D23/44 Cllr Cawte was elected to the Chair for the council year 2023-24.

Apologies for Absence: Cllrs Slevin and van de Poll

D23/45 The Committee RESOLVED to accept Cllr Slevin's and Cllr van de Poll's apologies.

Declarations of Interest and Applications for Dispensation: None

Minutes of Previous Meeting:

D23/46 The Committee RESOLVED that the minutes of its meeting on Tuesday 25th April 2023 be signed as a

true record.

Matters Arising: None

Items Delegated by Council: None

PLANNING CONSULTATIONS

23/01231/APP, Land Adj 13 Burleys Road: Erection of dwelling.

D23/47 The Committee RESOLVED to oppose the application which: (a) provides insufficient off-street space for parking two cars, and (b) may lead to congestion at the adjacent junction.

23/01234/APP, 31 Verney Road: Removal of existing conservatory and erection of single storey rear extension (involving reconfiguration of roof over existing extension).

D23/48 The Committee RESOLVED not to oppose the application.

23/01371/CPE, The Pizza Station, 1 Horn Square: Certificate of lawfulness application for existing use as a restaurant and hot food takeaway with delivery service.

D23/49 The Committee RESOLVED to oppose the application. To the best of our knowledge the property has not been used as a hot food takeaway in any material sense during the past 10 years, except during the relaxation of PD rights during the Covid-19 pandemic. Furthermore, the property has insufficient off-street parking for use as a hot food takeaway, which is leading to unacceptable congestion in the adjacent streets.

23/01392/APP, 1 Chiltern Court: Raised roof to facilitate living accommodation within the roof and extension of driveway (amendment to 23/00584/APP).

D23/50 The Committee RESOLVED to oppose the application, which: (a) fails to provide the necessary three offstreet parking spaces required by VALP policy T6 - NB the internal garage does not meet the standards set out in VALP Appendix B and cannot be counted as an off-street parking space, and (b) in increasing the height of what is already the highest building in the street may be overbearing on the adjacent properties.

PLANNING MATTERS

Winslow Neighbourhood Plan: Members noted that Buckinghamshire Council formally 'made' the revised WNP on 11th May 2023, and will now proceed with any necessary minor corrections.

D23/51 The Committee RESOLVED to delegate agreement of any minor corrections to Cllrs Bishopp and Slevin.

CONSULTATIONS

Buckinghamshire Council re 'vision and objectives for development and transport in Buckinghamshire': The Committee noted the consultation, and that those members who wish to respond will do so individually.

PLANNING MATTERS

Buckinghamshire Council Winslow & Villages Rural Economy Task & Finish Group re consent for High Street decorations.

D23/52 The Committee RESOLVED that the Clerk should ask Buckinghamshire Council's Planning & Development Department for guidance on what decorations and other adornments are permitted in the streets in general and the conservation area in particular, and what authorisations are required for them.

Resident re PV installation at The Bell:

D23/53 The Committee RESOLVED that the Clerk should reply to the resident emphasising that the enforcement process is entirely under the control of Buckinghamshire Council.

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

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The Committee's next meetings are scheduled for 7pm, Tuesdays and 6 th and 27 th June 2023.		
The chairman closed the meeting at 7:44pm.		
Signed:	(Chairman) at a Meeting held on	6 th June 2023