# **Planning Committee Meeting**

## Online Meeting, Virtual Meeting Platform Thursday, 04 March 2021 at 18:00

The Planning Committee deals with planning applications,

planning enforcement, public rights of way and certain highway matters. If you wish to come to the meeting please arrive in good time. Usually, only one person for and one person against each application is permitted. Attendance between <u>5.30pm</u> and <u>5.45pm</u> will greatly assist in enabling the meeting to start promptly.

## Information for Members of the Public

Access to information and meetings

You have the right to observe all meetings of the Council, its Committees and Cabinet including those which may be conducted online such as by live audio or video broadcast / webcast. You also have the right to see the agenda (the list of items to be discussed at a meeting), which is published on the Council's website at least five working days before the meeting, and minutes once they are published. Dates of the meetings are available here: https://colchester.cmis.uk.com/colchester/MeetingCalendar.aspx.

Occasionally certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual have to be considered in private. When this is the case an announcement will be made, the live broadcast will end and the meeting will be moved to consider in private.

Have Your Say!

The Council welcomes contributions and representations from members of the public at most public meetings. Planning Committee meetings, other than in exceptional circumstances, are subject to one representation in opposition and one representation in support of each application. Representations can be a statement or questions of no longer than three minutes when spoken (maximum 500 words) submitted by noon on the working day before the meeting date. Please register by emailing <u>democratic.services@colchester.gov.uk</u>

In addition a written copy of the representation will need to be supplied for use in the event of unforeseen technical difficulties preventing participation at the meeting itself.

If you would like to speak at a meeting and need to find out more, please refer to the Have Your Say! arrangements here:

https://colchester.cmis.uk.com/colchester/HaveYourSay/HYSPlanning.aspx.

### COLCHESTER BOROUGH COUNCIL Planning Committee Thursday, 04 March 2021 at 18:00

#### The Planning Committee Members are:

Councillor Cyril Liddy Councillor Lyn Barton Councillor Helen Chuah Councillor Pauline Hazell Councillor Brian Jarvis Councillor Derek Loveland Councillor Jackie Maclean Councillor Philip Oxford Councillor Martyn Warnes Chairman Deputy Chairman

#### The Planning Committee Substitute Members are:

All members of the Council who are not members of this committee and who have undertaken the required planning skills workshop training:-

Councillors:

- Christopher Arnold Nigel Chapman Robert Davidson Dave Harris Sue Lissimore Beverley Oxford Lesley Scott-Boutell Tim Young
- Kevin Bentley Peter Chillingworth Paul Dundas Theresa Higgins A. Luxford Vaughan Gerard Oxford Lorcan Whitehead
- Tina Bourne Nick Cope Andrew Ellis Mike Hogg Sam McCarthy Chris Pearson Dennis Willetts
- Roger Buston Simon Crow Adam Fox Mike Lilley Patricia Moore Lee Scordis Julie Young

## AGENDA THE LIST OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED AT THE MEETING (Part A - open to the public)

#### Please note that Agenda items 1 to 6 are normally dealt with briefly.

An Amendment Sheet is published on the Council's website by 4:30pm on the day before the meeting and is available to view at the bottom of the relevant Planning Committee webpage. Please note that any further information for the Committee to consider must be received no later than 5pm two days before the meeting in order for it to be included on the Amendment Sheet. With the exception of a petition, no written or photographic material can be presented to the Committee during the meeting.

#### Live Broadcast

Please follow this link to watch the meeting live on YouTube:

#### (107) ColchesterCBC - YouTube

#### 1 Welcome and Announcements (Virtual Meetings)

The Chairman will welcome members of the public and Councillors to the meeting and remind those participating to mute their

microphones when not talking. The Chairman will invite all Councillors and Officers participating in the meeting to introduce themselves. The Chairman will, at regular intervals, ask Councillors to indicate if they wish to speak or ask a question and Councillors will be invited to speak in turn by the Chairman. A vote on each item of business will be taken by roll call of each Councillor and the outcome of each vote will be confirmed by the Democratic Services Officer.

#### 2 Substitutions

Councillors will be asked to say if they are attending on behalf of a Committee member who is absent.

#### 3 Urgent Items

The Chairman will announce if there is any item not on the published agenda which will be considered because it is urgent and will explain the reason for the urgency.

#### 4 Declarations of Interest

Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the agenda about which they have a disclosable pecuniary interest which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the item or participating in any vote upon the item, or any other pecuniary interest or non-pecuniary interest.

#### 5 Have Your Say! (Virtual Planning Meetings)

At meetings of the Planning Committee, members of the public may make representations to the Committee members. These Have Your Say! arrangements will allow for one person to make representations in opposition and one person to make representations in support of each planning application. Each representation will be for no longer than three minutes (500 words). Members of the public may register their wish to address the Committee members by registering by 12 noon on the working day before the meeting date. In addition, a written copy of the representation will need to be supplied for use in the event of unforeseen technical difficulties preventing participation at the meeting itself. The Chairman will invite members of the public to make their representations at the start of the meeting. These speaking arrangements do not apply to councillors who are not members of the Committee who may make representations of no longer than five minutes each.

These speaking provisions do not apply to applications which have been subject to the Deferral and Recommendation Overturn Procedure (DROP).

#### 6 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The Committee are asked to confirm that the minutes of the meeting held on 4 February 2021 are a correct record.

#### 7 Planning Applications

When the members of the Committee consider the planning applications listed below, they may decide to agree, all at the same time, the recommendations in the reports for any applications which 7 - 12

no member of the Committee or member of the public wishes to address the Committee.

#### 7.1 201048 Mersea Caravan Centre, Waldegraves 13 - 34 Holiday Park,West Mersea

Use of the site for the stationing of 57 No. static caravans in lieu of 117 caravan pitches and associated landscaping and access works.

#### 8 Applications determined in accordance with Officer Scheme of 35 - 36 Delegation

See report by the Assistant Director, Place and Client Services giving details of the applications which have been determined since the last meeting in accordance with the revised scheme of delegation agreed at the Committee's meeting on 21 January 2021

#### 9 Exclusion of the Public (not Scrutiny or Executive)

In accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the public, including the press, from the meeting so that any items containing exempt information (for example confidential personal, financial or legal advice), in Part B of this agenda (printed on yellow paper) can be decided. (Exempt information is defined in Section 100I and Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972).

## Part B (not open to the public including the press)