

# MARLOW TOWN COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE PLANNING ENVIRONMENT AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE  
MEETING HELD ON 2<sup>nd</sup> JUNE 2009 IN THE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICES,  
COURT GARDEN, MARLOW

**Present**

**Chairman**  
**Deputy Chairman**

**Cllr R Wilson**  
**Cllr Ms S Brown**

Councillors

Mrs J Coleridge  
I Coleman  
F Sweatman  
N Marshall – Ex Officio  
R Scott

H B Bellairs – Town Clerk  
Mrs M Walker – Admin Officer

**P89.08**      APOLOGIES

There were no apologies for absence.

**P90.08**      DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Scott declared a non-pecuniary interest in application number 09/05936/CAC at Unicorn Bridge House, Mill Road, Marlow and did not take part in any of the discussions.

**P91.08**      MINUTES

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2009 were presented by the Chairman and agreed and signed as a true record.

**P92.08**      DECISIONS MADE BY WYCOMBE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Decisions made by Wycombe District Council since the last meeting were circulated to members and noted. The Chairman suggested that in future officers should circulate the total number of decisions received before each Full Planning Meeting, so that a percentage of conflicting views between Marlow Town Council and Wycombe District Council can be recorded

**P93.08**      CONSIDERATION OF PLANNING SHEETS

Current planning applications covered by planning sheets 02/08, 03/09 and 04/09 were considered and noted by Members.

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**P94.08**      DEDMERE RISE – HOUSING ASSOCIATION

The Town Clerk reported that he had been in contact with the Housing Officer at Wycombe District Council to ask for his support to strengthen the case for the Town Council’s Planning Application when it is re-submitted. The Housing Officer had responded that he could not support the Town Council against Wycombe District Council Policy. In order to progress the possibilities of development, Members felt that approaches should be made to a number of Housing Associations.

**RESOLVED:**      THAT APPROACHES BE MADE TO HOUSING ASSOCIATIONS SEEKING EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST IN DEVELOPING THE LAND.

**P95.08**      FREE PARKING DAYS

As last year, the Cabinet at Wycombe District Council had agreed that Marlow, Princes Risborough, High Wycombe and Bourne End should be offered free parking for three separate days within the financial year (April to March). It was reported that Marlow Chamber of Trade & Commerce had asked for Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2009 to be considered to coincide with a weekend event they were organising to try and bring people to the town. Members suggested that the two other days should be Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December and asked officers to respond to Wycombe District Council with the suggestions and to write to Great Marlow, Little Marlow and Marlow Bottom Parish Councils for their comments about the dates.

**RESOLVED:**      THAT OFFICERS WRITE TO WYCOMBE DISTRICT COUNCIL TO SUGGEST SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JULY, WEDNESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER AND WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER AS THE THREE DATES FOR FREE PARKING AND ALSO TO WRITE TO GREAT MARLOW, LITTLE MARLOW AND MARLOW BOTTOM PARISH COUNCILS FOR THEIR COMMENTS ABOUT THE DATES.

**P96.08**      DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2009 at 7.00pm – Plans Only**

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2009 at 7.00pm – Full Planning**

**Chairman.....**

**Date.....**