EASTON PARISH COUNCIL

A Parish Council was advertised and held on 19th October 2016 in St Peter's Church, Easton.

Apologies:

none – all councillors present.

As many residents were present the chairman opened the meeting and proposed that agenda item planning application 16/01365/FUL and additional item planning application 16/02137FUL be discussed first as these were the items of most interest for the public in attendance and for their views to be heard.

Application: 16/01365/FUL The siting of up to 10 caravans, some to be initially allocated on a long-term contract for senior construction staff of the A14 project for the duration of the project. The application also includes details of the black waste removal and recycling waste removal from the site.

Location:

West Farm, The Lane, Easton, Huntingdon PE28 0TY.

This application has been withdrawn

Application: 16/02137/FUL This temporary siting of up to 6 caravans for senior staff on working on the A14 project for the fixed term of the project. The application also includes details of black waste removal and recycling waste removal.

Location:

West Farm, The Lane, Easton, Huntingdon PE28 0TY.

The Chairman outlined the application and asked for comments: many views were expressed, the consensus being this should be refused on the same grounds as the previous application for ten caravans. Mr Baker advised that as this is a new application any views or comments have to be submitted to the District Council with reference to this application. It was agreed that Mike Baker and Steve Thomason should draft the comments of the Parish Council for submission to the Huntingdonshire District Council by the due date.

It was agreed that this should be circulated by email to residents for their information and this should be the responsibility of the Parish Council and not rely on the helpfulness of Brian Davis' neighbourhood watch newsletter; email addresses were requested for this purpose. A reminder was made to check the village website which Steve Thomason has designed.

Favourable comments were made regarding the new 30mph road markings and suggestions that more traffic calming would be welcomed particularly in the bus stop area. It was suggested and agreed that the community speedwatch scheme be investigated and several people offered to participate as volunteers.

Mr Baker thanked those for all their comments and views on the various subjects and continued with the meeting.

Declaration of financial or personal interest: to receive members' declarations as to personal and/or prejudicial interests and the nature of those interests in relation to any agenda item. Mr Baker declared an interest in agenda items: Freedom of Information request and renewal of Playing Field Lease

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