#### Minutes of a meeting of Frome Town Council's Planning Advisory Group

Date: Thursday 31st October 2019

Time: 7.00pm

Venue: Frome Town Hall, Christchurch Street West, Frome BA11 1EB

Present:

Frome Town Councillors: Anita Collier, Andy Palmer, John Nelson (Vice Chair) and Paul Horton

Mendip District Councillors: Helen Kay

In attendance:

Members of the public: 4

Jane Llewellyn, Planning and Development Manager

Hannah Paniccia, Finance Administrator

| Minute Ref | Agenda Item   | Action |
|------------|---|--------|
| 2019/029P  | 1 QUESTIONS, COMMENTS AND INFORMATION FROM THE PUBLIC                             |        |
|            | None  |        |
| 2019/030P  | 2 DECLARATION OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS AND TO AGREE THE MINUTES OF                   |        |
|            | THE PREVIOUS MEETING  |        |
|            | APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE   |        |
|            | Rich Ackroyd  |        |
|            | Lizzie Boyle  |        |
|            | Mark Dorrington   |        |
|            | Sheila Gore   |        |
|            | Steve Tanner  |        |
|            | DECLARATION OF MEMBERS INTERESTS  |        |
|            | None  |        |
|            | MINUTES   |        |
|            | The minutes of the Planning Advisory Group meetings held on 10 October 2019 were  |        |
|            | agreed and signed by the Chair.   |        |
| 2019/031P  | 3 TO CONSIDER THE MAJOR PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED – APPENDIX 1               |        |
|            | ID 150  |        |
|            | ID 152  |        |
|            | ID 153  |        |
|            | ID 154  |        |
|            | ID 159  |        |
|            | ID 162  |        |
|            | ID 164  |        |
|            | ID 165  |        |
|            | ID 167  |        |
| 2019/032P  | 4 DATE OF NEXT MEETING  |        |
|            | The next meeting will be at 7pm on 21 November 2019 in the Council Chamber, Frome |        |
|            | Town Hall, Christchurch Street West, Frome BA11 1EB                               |        |

The Chair closed the meeting at 8.30pm.



| 150 | 2019/2362/<br>FUL | Land At Adjacent To 71 Feltham Drive Frome Somerset BA11 5AQ       | Frome<br>Keyford  | Mr<br>Corcoran<br>and Miss<br>Potts | Erection of an attached dwelling with associated access and parking.   | Josh<br>Cawsey      | Full Application               | Objection - The proposed dormer window is out of keeping with the surrounding properties and will result in overlooking to 37 Stonewall Terrace and the property opposite. The scale of the proposed dwelling will be overbearing. There is no detail to show the proposed boundary treatments or provision for refuse collection. The adjoining properties have their refuse collected from the rear of the properties. There is also concern about the drainage and how it will impact on no 37 Stonewall terrace and the wider area. |
|-----|-------------------|--|-------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| 151 | 2019/2480/<br>TCA | Catherine Hill<br>House 3<br>Catherine<br>Street Frome<br>BA11 1DA | Frome<br>Market   | Dr Rycroft                          | Proposed works to tree/s in a Conservation Area: T1 (Sycamore) Reduce the lateral branches on the south side by up to 2 metres and west side by up to 2.5 metres and remove the sub-dominant branch on the drive side. | Bo<br>Walsh         | Works/Felling<br>Trees in a CA | No objection  |
| 152 | 2019/2535/<br>FUL | The Ring Of Bells 75 Broadway Frome Somerset BA11 3HD              | Frome<br>Oakfield | Pang<br>Properties<br>Ltd           | Proposed conversion and change of use of former public house to six dwellings.   | James<br>U'Dell     | Full Application               | No objection, however we would prefer to see timber windows and not UPVC  |
| 153 | 2019/2454/<br>FUL | 21-22 Ground<br>Floor Bath<br>Street Frome<br>BA11 1DJ             | Frome<br>Market   | Mr<br>Marcus<br>Squires             | Proposed alterations to shop frontage, and inclusion of partition at ground floor level.   | Carlton<br>Langford | Full Application               | No objection  |



| 154 | 2019/2455/<br>LBC<br>2019/1942/<br>LBC | 21-22 Ground Floor Bath Street Frome BA11 1DJ Frome Foyer 16 Bath Street Frome BA11 1DN | Frome<br>Market<br>Frome<br>Market | Mr<br>Marcus<br>Squires<br>Mr Dave<br>Bonstow | Proposed alterations to shop frontage, and inclusion of partition at ground floor level.  Relocate an existing Gas meter from internal laundry room to external box. | Carlton<br>Langford<br>Felix<br>Charteris | Listed Building<br>Consent  Listed Building<br>Consent | No objection  No objection   |
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| 156 | 2019/2217/<br>TCA                      | 14 Nunney<br>Road Frome<br>Somerset BA11<br>4LA   | Frome<br>Oakfield                  | Mrs<br>Douglas                                | Proposed works to trees in a conservation area:- T1 - Willow - Fell. T2 - Eucalyptus - Reduce x 2m.  | Bo<br>Walsh                               | Works/Felling<br>Trees in a CA                         | No objection   |
| 157 | 2019/2103/<br>HSE                      | 5 Grange Road<br>Frome<br>Somerset BA11<br>2HN  | Frome<br>College                   | Mr<br>William<br>Robinson                     | Proposed single storey rear extension.   | Lorna<br>Elstob                           | Householder<br>Application                             | No objection   |
| 158 | 2019/2106/<br>LBC                      | Mendip House<br>Welshmill<br>Road Frome<br>Somerset BA11<br>2LA                         | Frome<br>Market                    | Mr Lee<br>Hopkins                             | To replace velux windows in annex to main house with conservation windows.   | Jayne<br>Boldy                            | Listed Building<br>Consent                             | No objection   |
| 159 | 2019/2359/<br>HSE                      | 1 Nursery Villas Dommetts Lane Frome BA11 4JD   | Frome<br>Oakfield                  | Kim<br>Kearney                                | Demolition of rear UPVC conservatory. Erection single storey rear extension. Proposed PV panels to roof.   | Charlotte<br>Rogers                       | Householder<br>Application                             | No objection in principle, however we wold want to see the use of high quality materials. We are concerned that the location of the solar panels set behind the chimney stack will impact on their effectiveness |
| 160 | 2019/2388/<br>HSE                      | 24 Bath Road<br>Frome BA11<br>2HH   | Frome<br>College                   | Giles &<br>Suzanne<br>Padfield &<br>Whitelock | Proposed single storey rear extension.   | Charlotte<br>Rogers                       | Householder<br>Application                             | No objection   |



| 161 | 2019/2395/         | 17 Laurel Close        | Frome    | Mrs         | Proposed works to trees                                | Во     | Works/Felling of | No objection                                  |
|-----|--------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|--|--------|------------------|---|
|     | TPO                | Frome                  | College  | Brockhurs   | under tree protection order                            | Walsh  | TPO Trees        | ,   |
|     |                    | Somerset BA11          | Ü        | t           | M1151:- T1 - Ash tree,                                 |        |                  |   |
|     |                    | 2UT                    |          |             | reduce by 3-4m.  |        |                  |   |
| 162 | 2019/2492/         | 119 Broadway           | Frome    | Mrs Sue     | Proposed works to tree/s                               | Во     | Works/Felling of | Objection - No satisfactory justification has |
|     | <u>TPO</u>         | Frome                  | Oakfield | Westlake    | subject to a Tree                                      | Walsh  | TPO Trees        | been given for the removal of this tree.      |
|     |                    | Somerset BA11          |          |             | Preservation Order:                                    |        |                  |   |
|     |                    | 3HQ                    |          |             | Hornbeam (T1 - M1348)                                  |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | Fell.  |        |                  |   |
| 163 | <u> 2019/2392/</u> | 22 Victoria            | Frome    | Mr & Mrs    | Demolition of existing                                 | Josh   | Householder      | No objection                                  |
|     | <u>HSE</u>         | Road Frome             | Keyford  | John &      | conservatory & single                                  | Cawsey | Application      |   |
|     |                    | BA11 1RR               |          | Becka       | storey extension to the                                |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          | Harrison    | rear of the house and                                  |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | construction of new single                             |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | storey rear and side infill                            |        |                  |   |
|     | , ,                | _                      |          |             | extension.   |        |                  |   |
| 164 | <u>2019/2358/</u>  | Land At                | Frome    | Somerset    | The erection of 9 No. units                            | James  | Full Application | Objection – Please see comments below the     |
|     | <u>FUL</u>         | 377314 147167          | Keyford  | County      | comprising assisted living                             | U'Dell |                  | table   |
|     |                    | Cherry Grove           |          | Council     | accommodation (to                                      |        |                  |   |
|     |                    | Frome                  |          |             | include staff  |        |                  |   |
|     |                    | Somerset               |          |             | accommodation) in                                      |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | association with Cherry                                |        |                  |   |
|     | //                 | Caustan I adaa         | Гиана    | I in a Mant | Trees  | I      | Tiesad Duilding  | NI altiantian IAI fully assessed the          |
| 165 | 2019/2403/         | Garston Lodge          | Frome    | Live West   | Full reinstatement and                                 | Jayne  | Listed Building  | No objection - We fully support the           |
|     | <u>LBC</u>         | Garsdale<br>Frome BA11 | Market   | Housing     | remedial works including                               | Boldy  | Consent          | reinstatement of this building                |
|     |                    | 1RX                    |          |             | replacement of roof                                    |        |                  |   |
|     |                    | IVV                    |          |             | trusses, repairs and like-<br>for-like replacements to |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | features of external                                   |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | elevations, repairs and                                |        |                  |   |
|     |                    |                        |          |             | elevations, repairs and                                |        |                  |   |



|     |                   |  |                  |                                | like-for-like replacements to features of interior.   |                 |  |              |
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| 166 | 2019/2462/<br>VRC | Eastgate Building 63 Christchurch Street East Frome BA11 1QD | Frome<br>Market  | Mr jasper<br>becker            | Application to vary condition 12 (Hard Landscaping scheme) on Planning Approval 2015/1944/REM.  | James<br>U'Dell | Variation or<br>Removal of<br>Conditions | No objection |
| 167 | 2017/1901/<br>HSE | 34 Foster Road<br>Frome BA11<br>1NZ                          | Frome<br>Keyford | Mrs<br>Eleanor<br>Thompso<br>n | Erection of 2 storey side extension and internal alterations (amended drawings submitted 16.10.2019).   | Lorna<br>Elstob | Householder<br>Application               | No Objection |
| 168 | 2019/2539/<br>TPO | Rowden House<br>2 Vallis Road<br>Frome BA11<br>3EA           | Frome<br>Market  | Mr Steve<br>Cavell             | T27 & T28 - Beech (M347) - Crown lift over adjacent building to create 2m clearance due to existing canopy virtually touching roof of building. | Bo<br>Walsh     | Works/Felling of<br>TPO Trees            | No objection |



| 129 | 2019/2180   | 57 Somerset | Frome    | Mr & Mrs  | Proposed two     | Josh      | Householder | No objection |
|-----|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
|     | <u>/HSE</u> | Road Frome  | Oakfield | Little    | storey rear      | Cawsey    | Application |              |
|     |             | BA11 1HE    |          |           | extension and    |           |             |              |
|     |             |             |          |           | internal         |           |             |              |
|     |             |             |          |           | alterations      |           |             |              |
| 130 | 2019/2178   | 11 Sycamore | Frome    | Mr S Ford | Proposed         | Charlotte | Householder | No objection |
|     | <u>/HSE</u> | Drive Frome | College  |           | side/rear single | Rogers    | Application |              |
|     |             | Somerset    |          |           | storey extension |           |             |              |
|     |             | BA11 2TF    |          |           |                  |           |             |              |



| 131 | 2019/1731 | 1 Long     | Frome    | Mrs      | Proposed ino.     | Lorna  | Full         | Objection - We reiterate the comments of the Civic          |
|-----|-----------|------------|----------|----------|-------------------|--------|--------------|---|
| 131 | /FUL      | Ground     | Keyford  | Cressida | two bedroom       | Elstob | Application  | Society The proposed new house is adjacent to another       |
|     | /I OL     | Frome BA11 | regiora  | Hemming  | coach house       | Listob | ripplication | planning proposal for a separate dwelling through           |
|     |           | 1PJ        |          | S        | dwelling.         |        |              | conversion (2019/1740/FUL) . Although this application      |
|     |           | 111        |          | 3        | (additional       |        |              | is stand alone, the LPA should consider the cumulative      |
|     |           |            |          |          | information rec'd |        |              | impact of granting both applications. Together they         |
|     |           |            |          |          | 29-30.08.2019).   |        |              | would have a significant impact on the conservation area    |
|     |           |            |          |          | 29 30.00.2019).   |        |              | and the Grade II Listed 'Keyford Elms' building facing the  |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | site on Locks Hill. By virtue of the raised ground and      |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | prominent corner plot the new house will have a             |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | significant impact.   |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | Long Ground is inadequate as a means of access. The         |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | existing house opens directly to a narrow lane, designed    |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | for handcarts. By current highway standards this lane       |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | should be closed as it is unsafe for vehicles and           |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | pedestrians, having no footway. Any additional vehicle      |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | movements, access and parking should be resisted unless     |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | the lane is widened with a footway.                         |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | The siting and design of the proposed dwelling is           |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | suburban and not subordinate or in character with the       |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | conservation area. The proposed north west elevation        |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | with large areas of glazing, a first floor terrace          |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | overlooking Locks Hill and an ugly gable end facing onto    |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | Locks Hill, with no landscaping proposals on the Locks      |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | Hill frontage, will create significant harm to the          |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | conservation area and to the setting of the listed building |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | opposite.   |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | This application should not be determined until             |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | application 2019/1740/FUL is determined or vice-verse in    |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | order to safeguard the public amenity from the              |
|     |           |            |          |          |                   |        |              | cumulative effect of these two applications.                |
|     |           |            | <u> </u> |          |                   |        |              | cumulative effect of these two applications.                |



| 132 | 2019/2163<br>/FUL<br>2019/1470 | 85 Oakfield<br>Road Frome<br>Somerset<br>BA11 4JH       | Frome<br>Oakfield<br>Frome | Mr<br>Richard<br>Lock<br>Mrs | Proposed change of use of existing shed building to B1(c) business.  | Lorna<br>Elstob | Full Application Householder             | We are concerned about the potential impact of this proposal on the neighbouring properties and would want to ensure that Environmental protection are happy with this. If any consent is issued it should be personal to the business  No objection |
|-----|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|-----------------|--|--|
|     | <u>/HSE</u>                    | Court Frome<br>BA11 2SJ                                 | College                    | Tanya<br>Labno               |  | Rogers          | Application                              |  |
| 134 | 2019/2122<br>/VRC              | 8 Sheppards<br>Barton<br>Frome BA11<br>1EL              | Frome<br>Market            | Mrs Diana<br>Smith           | Application to vary condition 2 (drawing no.s), 3 (external facing materials) of planning approval 2017/1752/HSE to install 1no. rooflight to extension and reconstruct shed to be used as a garden store. | Jayne<br>Boldy  | Variation or<br>Removal of<br>Conditions | No objection   |
| 135 | 2019/2128<br>/HSE              | 1 Nursery Villas Dommetts Lane Frome BA11 4JD           | Frome<br>Oakfield          | Kim<br>Kearney               | New entrance<br>gates vehicular &<br>pedestrian  | Lorna<br>Elstob | Householder<br>Application               | No objection   |
| 136 | 2019/1914<br>/TPO              | Shelsey<br>House<br>Welshmill<br>Road Frome<br>BA11 2LA | Frome<br>Market            | Mr<br>Richard<br>Perkins     | Proposed works to<br>a tree covered by<br>a Tree<br>Preservation<br>Order M1358 - T1   | Bo Walsh        | Works/Fellin<br>g of TPO<br>Trees        | No objection   |



|     |                   |  |                  |                          | - Dawn Redwood<br>- Fell.   |                 |                                      |   |
|-----|-------------------|--|------------------|--------------------------|---|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| 137 | 2019/2211<br>/TCA | 35<br>Fromefield<br>Frome BA11<br>2HE                    | Frome<br>College | Mrs<br>Feldwick          | Proposed works to<br>a tree in a<br>conservation<br>area:- T1 - Willow<br>Tree - Remove to<br>ground level.   | Bo Walsh        | Works/Fellin<br>g Trees in a<br>CA   | No reason has been given for felling the tree |
| 138 | 2019/220<br>6/HSE | 30B The<br>Butts Frome<br>BA11 4AA                       | Frome<br>Park    | Mr<br>Nicholas<br>Carter | Installation of two 55x1180 Velux windows into the rear portion of the roof.  | Josh<br>Cawsey  | Householder<br>Application           | No objection                                  |
| 139 | 2019/1025<br>/ADV | The Olive Tree 6 Christchurch Street West Frome BA11 1EQ | Frome<br>Market  | Miss Clare<br>Atkin      | Erection of 2no. Facia illuminated signs. 1no. hanging illuminated sign. 1no. hoarding non-illuminated sign. 2no. hoarding illuminated signs. 3no. other illuminated signs. (amended description and drawings). | Lorna<br>Elstob | Application<br>to Display<br>Adverts | No objection to the amended plans             |



Response for application 164 2019/2358/FUL

Objection

Whilst we fully understand the need for addition assisted living accommodation, we cannot support this application for the following reasons.

This land forms part of the Marston Trading Estate, at the beginning of the Local Plan Part 2 process this site was included within the boundary of the Protected Employment land for the Trading Estate. It is not clear why this was subsequently removed.

There has been no marketing of the site in line Mendip's Marketing and Business Evidence SPD to support the loss of an existing employment site. We are aware that the adjoining business has an interest in this site to expand their business.

The noise impact assessment acknowledges unacceptable noise impact at unsocial hours. This will have a detrimental and unacceptable impact on the adjoining business and employment land.

