

MUCH WENLOCK TOWN COUNCIL

Minutes of an EXTRAORDINARY Planning & Environment Committee meeting held at
The Corn Exchange, Much Wenlock
9:30 am on Tuesday 24 January 2017

PRESENT:

Cllr. Mary Hill (Chairman), Cllr. Graham Edgcumbe Venning, Cllr. Herbert Harper, and Cllr. Paul Laming.

TOWN CLERK:

Sharon Clayton

1) CHAIRMAN’S WELCOME

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2) APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Cllr. Dafydd Jenkins who had a work commitment and Cllr. Milner Whiteman who had another engagement.

3) DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Members were reminded that they are required to leave the room during the discussion and voting on matters in which they have a disclosable pecuniary interest, whether the interest is entered in the Register of Members’ Interests maintained by the Monitoring Officer.

None declared.

4) DISPENSATIONS

None requested.

5) GOODS VEHICLE OPERATOR’S LICENCE

Members considered the implications concerning an application for a change to a Goods Vehicle Operator’s Licence at Coates Lea Quarry, Much Wenlock (Grange Fencing Ltd.). The Committee had hoped to write to the Traffic Commissioner but, after learning that the town council was not able to make a representation because it would not be directly affected and had no statutory rights to object, Members were disappointed that the town council could not comment.

It was **PROPOSED, SECONDED and AGREED** that:

- i. **The situation would be monitored very carefully to see if additional traffic movement would give rise to concerns.**
- ii. **Cllr. David Turner should be informed that the Committee had looked very thoroughly at how to object to the application and was unable to make any representation or objections, although Shropshire Council could as a statutory authority.**

6) DATE OF NEXT MEETING

It was **NOTED** that the next meeting would take place on Tuesday 31 January 2017 at 09:30.

The meeting closed at 10:12.

Signed.....
Chairman

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