

## **Bracknell Town Council**

### Planning [In-person] Tuesday, June 11, 2024

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Time 18:30 - 19:30 Location Council Chamber

Present Cllr Kwabena Adu-Quaye (Chair), Cllr Janet Cochrane, Cllr Jenny Penfold,

Cllr Lucy Young

Apologies Cllr Ellen McHale

Virtual None

Officers Debbie Horton

#### **Minutes**

#### P168 ATTENDANCE

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2024 1. To receive apologies - Cllr Ellen McHale

- 2. Substitution- None
- 3. Co-options None

#### P169 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

/ 2024 To receive declarations of interest from Councillors on items on the agenda. **None** 

To receive written requests for dispensations for disclosable pecuniary interests (if

any). None

To grant any requests for dispensation as appropriate. None

**P170** MINUTES To approve as a correct record the minutes of the last meeting held on Tuesday

21st May 2024

The minutes of the meeting held on the 21st of May 2024 were approved as a correct

record.

**P171** MATTERS ARISING To discuss any matters arising not discussed elsewhere on the agenda.

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P172 TO CONSIDER PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

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24/00243/FUL Town Centre & The Parks 26 High Street

Subdivision of the existing retail unit to create 2 retail units (Retrospective).

**No Objection** 

24/00276/LB Town Centre & The Parks 36 High Street

Listed building consent for the drilling of a hole to accommodate a cable.

**No Objection** 

24/00293/FUL Binfield South & Jennett's Park Richmond House, Oldbury

Reconstruction of existing external fire escape to serve the first floor, as well as the ground floor as at present.

**No Objection** 

24/00298/FUL Priestwood & Garth 31 Makepiece Road

Proposed erection of single storey rear extension.

No Objection

24/00322/PAE Priestwood & Garth RSA House, Western Road

Application for Prior Approval for the proposed change of use from Commercial. Business and Service (Use Class E) to dwellinghouses (Use Class C3) to form 53 apartments.

No Comment at this stage in the application.

24/00291/FUL Great Hollands 61 Ashbourne

Proposed single storey extension to the front following the demolition of the existing. **No Objection** 

24/00296/FUL Great Hollands 112 Vandyke

Proposed rear facing box dormer at first floor level.

**No Objection** 

24/00299/FUL Priestwood & Garth 19 Albert Road

Proposed erection of front porch extension, erection of part single storey rear / part 2 storey rear extensions plus internal and fenestration alterations.

**No Objection** 

24/00302/FUL Easthampstead & Wildridings 48 South Lynn Crescent

Proposed erection of part single storey part two storey side extension plus conversion of existing garage into habitable accommodation.

**No Objection** 

24/00303/FUL Harmans Water and Crown Wood Yorkdale, London Road

Proposed two storey side and rear extension and single storey rear extension with 2 roof windows.

**No Objection** 

24/00304/FUL Great Hollands 82 Wroxham

Proposed erection of single storey rear extension.

**No Objection** 

24/00307/FUL Priestwood & Garth 24 Makepiece Road

Proposed erection of single storey front porch extension, part single storey part two storey rear and first floor side extensions.

**No Objection** 

#### 24/00309/FUL Hanworth

Royal County of Berkshire Racquet and Health Club

Application for two padel courts, ancillary terrace area and associated floodlighting.

- **B.T. Councillors recommend refusal on several accounts:**
- B.T.C encourage leisure activities but not at the expense of surrounding residents, a suitable solution should be sought,
- 1) Loss of privacy the residents already suffer from this due to all the vegetation between them and the health club being removed by the B.F.C as part of their programme to improve the type of vegetation planted in their woodland areas. New padel courts will mean the residents have even less privacy.
- 2) Disturbance Due to the growing popularity of padel tennis, B.T.C have concerns for the residents about the constant noise of the padel racquets and competitors, the Club is open until 11.00pm. Councillors feel this is too late for nearby residents and suggest and earlier finishing time for these courts. Acoustic fencing with a suitable height and density would be a good solution to protect residents from too much sound/noise.
- 3) The courts will need lighting from 3-4pm in the winter hours, another consideration for surrounding residents on the time the lights should be turned off.
- 4) The application states 2 padel courts, the amended plan 03/06/2024 now seems to show 3 padel courts, increasing the number of competitors.

# **24/00224/3** Priestwood & Garth Larchwood 10 Portman Close Replacement of existing 2.1m high fence and gates with a 2.4m high anti-climb fence and gates.

**No Objection** 

**24/00310/FUL** Town Centre & The Parks 3 Friendship Way Retrospective application for change of use from amenity land to parking space. **No Objection** 

# 24/00345/OBS Town Centre & The Parks Hampshire Water Transfer and Recycling Project Hampshire RG12 1JD

Please make any comments to the Consulting Authority. Contact details as follows.

**Consulting** Southern Water, Southern House, Yeoman Road, Worthing, **Authority** BN134 3NX

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Noted by Councillors for their comments to Southern Water.

#### P173 DECISION NOTICES

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**Address** BFB **BTC Comments** Application no Decision 24/00099/FUL Elm Cottage, **Approval** No Objection 21 Folders Lane 24/00173/FUL 106 Approval No Objection Staplehurst 24/00192/FUL 64 Lingwood Approval No Objection 23/00736/FUL 41 Redvers No Objection Approval Road 24/00217/FUL 5 High Street No Objection Approval 22/00590/FUL 20 **B.T Councillors recommend** Withdrawn Anneforde refusal for the following Place reasons: 1) Parking, road safety and access problems A) This property can only supply one parking space for this property which falls way below the BFC parking standard of 3 spaces. This street already suffers from parking congestion particularly on this bend where properties have no access to provide driveways. B) There is no direct vehicle access to the site so any demolition or building materials will be taken via the half garage space at the rear of the property causing complete disruption and blocking vehicle access to residents' garages. The local allotments also share vehicle access through the garage block, they are in constant use in all seasons this would also block entry to the allotment's car parking area. Alternatively, this already busy street will be blocked preventing residents parking or approaching their properties, either solution impacts on road safety. 24/00203/FUL Meadow **Approval** No Objection Vale Primary School

24/00232/FUL	23 Meadow Way	Approval	No Objection
24/00246/FUL32	Longwater Road	Approval	No Objection

P174	APPLICATIONS FOR PRIOR APPROVAL					
/ 2024	24/00322/PAE Road	Priestwood & Garth	RSA House, Western			
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		Town Centre and the Parks tion for proposed change of use from three 1 bed flats (Use Class C3).	<b>12 High Street</b> rom Commercial, Business and			
P175 / 2024	NOTICE OF APPEALS A	APPEAL - APP/R0335/W/24/33401	65 - 23/00533/FUL - 36 Ardingly			
P176 / 2024	<b>DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING</b> Tuesday 2nd July 2024 at 6.30pm in the Council Chamber. <b>Noted</b>					
Sign:						
Date:						