

**MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD FOR BEETLEY & EAST BILNEY IN THE
VILLAGE HALL ON THURSDAY 12th January 2023 AT 7.30 P.M.**

Present Councillor L. Cissell (Chair)
Councillor J. Baldwin
Councillor T. Scott
Councillor R. Richmond
Councillor P. Minchin

In Attendance A. Leigh Clerk
District Councillor R. Atterwill
District Councillor Duffield
18 members of the public

- 1. To Consider apologies for absence.** Parish Councillor M. MacArthur, County Councillor Mark Kiddle-Morris. Both apologies were accepted.
- 2. To receive Declarations of Pecuniary Interest.** Councillor J. Baldwin. Item 3.1. Declaration type A.
- 3. Planning Applications.**
 - 3.1. 3PL/2022/1414/F** The Shrublands Gressenhall Road Beetley & Gressenhall. Residential Development of 12 no. dwellings to include affordable homes and over 55's specialist housing.

Councillor J. Baldwin left the meeting.

The Chair read out the details of the application.

The Chair asked if there were any comments from the public. Several comments were made, the Chair passed a hard copy of the Local Plan call for sites showing details of up to 25 dwelling on this site. The majority of the public were against this application. Councillor Scott confirmed that Beetley Parish Council are consultees only and it is Breckland Council that make the planning decisions. The Parish Council discussed the application and it was proposed by Councillor Scott and seconded by Councillor Minchin to object to this application, all were in favour. The Clerk will submit the comments of the Parish Council onto Breckland's planning portal which all Parishioners are able to read. The Parishioners were encouraged to submit their own individual comments onto the Breckland portal.

Councillor J. Baldwin returned to the meeting.

The Chair congratulated District Councillor R. Atterwill on receiving the British Empire medal.

3.2. 3PL/2022/1365/F Land to the South of School Road NR20 4DB. Erection of 2 no. dwelling houses. The Chair informed the meeting of the details concerning this application, she asked if there were any comments from the public. Several points were raised by the public. The Parish Council discussed the application and it was proposed by Councillor Scott and seconded by Councillor Cissell that the Parish Council object to this application. All were in agreement. The Clerk would place the comments of the Parish Council onto Brecklands Planning portal.

The meeting closed at 20.15.

Signed as a true and accurate record.....

Date signed.....