

**Minutes of Okehampton Town Council Planning Committee Meeting held on
Monday 6th November 2017 at 7pm in the Council Chamber,
Town Hall, Okehampton**

Committee Members Present: Councillor A Leech (Chairman)
Councillor Mrs J Goffey (Town Mayor)
Councillor D Weekes (Chairman, Property)
Councillor Mrs C Marsh (Chairman, Parks)
Councillor R Rush
Councillor Mrs V Cushing
Councillor Dr M Ireland
Councillor Mrs S Parkins

Other Members Present: Councillor Mrs J Carpenter
Councillor Miss C Holt
Councillor P Vachon
Councillor B Tolley

In Attendance: Mrs E James (Town Clerk)

	Action
Declarations of Interest – None	
304 <u>Apologies for Absence</u> – Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Cllr's Cummings and Yelland.	
305 <u>Deferments of Business</u> - There were no members of the public present.	
306 <u>Urgent Items</u> – Cllr Leech reported that he had attended a Dartmoor National Park meeting during which future planning was discussed, and a Highways and Traffic Orders meeting at which road line markings in various locations around the town were agreed.	
307 <u>Members Questions</u> – Cllr Ireland questioned the enforcement of the new road markings and whether any assurances had been made. Cllr Leech advised that no promises had been made.	
Cllr Weekes asked if a meeting to be attended by Cllr Ball and other Officers had been agreed. To be followed up.	Clerk
308 <u>Minutes</u> – Minutes of 9 th October 2017 were approved and signed, having been proposed by Cllr Ireland and seconded by Cllr Weekes.	
309 <u>Planning Applications</u> –	
309.1 3413/17/VAR Variation of condition 7 (delivery hours restriction) following grant of planning permission 0010/2000/OKE at Lidl, School Way, Okehampton. Resolved on the proposition of Cllr Marsh, seconded Cllr Cushing, to support the application.	
309.2 3498/17/FUL Work to an electrical substation in connection with DCC planning application for a new primary school, Land at SX 597 958 Chichacott, Road, Okehampton	

Resolved on the proposition of Cllr Goffey, seconded by Cllr Weekes (vote 7 for, 1 against) to support to the application.

309.3 3102/17/TCA

Cllr's Marsh, Goffey and Ireland declared an interest.

Pollarding of 14 no lime trees to approximately 10 meters in height from ground level at Church Path, Okehampton.

Resolved on the proposition of Cllr Weekes, seconded Cllr Cushing, to support the application, solely for work to the lime trees.

PART TWO ITEMS

It was resolved that under section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 that the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following item as it involves the likely disclosure of sensitive and confidential information. Proposed by Cllr Weekes, seconded by Cllr Ireland.

310 Enforcement Issues – Cllr Leech outlined the situation regarding a town centre property.

On the proposition of Cllr Ireland, seconded Cllr Goffey, it was agreed to exit Part Two and ratify decisions made in Part Two.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 7.25pm.

Councillor Leech
Chairman

Dated