

MINUTES OF WOORE PARISH COUNCIL

MONDAY 14th APRIL 2014

HELD AT WOORE VICTORY HALL

PRESENT

Cllr Clifford, Cllr Hammersley, Cllr Allison, Cllr Helen Blake, Cllr Malcolm Blake, Cllr Ford, Cllr Lightfoot, Cllr Moore and Cllr Woodcock.
SC Cadwallader.
The Clerk Mr S W Knobbs.

13201 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence received from Cllr Cartwright due to work commitments, this apology for absence was accepted.

13202 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made.

13203 DRAFT LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER

The draft letter to the Prime Minister as drafted by Cllr Moore was discussed.

It was agreed by all to allow SC Cadwallader to speak on the subject.

The Clerk read the draft letter out to all at the meeting, Cllr Cadwallader thought that the letter was well written, he said the current system is spurious and what is the point of having local involvement when "they are blown out of the water".

Cllr Hammersley said the letter is basically good but is not really asking for anything and could appear to be just a "rant". Cllr Moore agreed and said the letter is missing what we want and what we want is what we were promised - i.e. localism.

Cllr Allison said we should request that the Prime Minister rescinds all planning applications since the implementation of the NPPF.

The Chair thought that control should be given to local areas and perhaps outline planning applications approved since the implementation of the NPPF could be reviewed.

It was agreed by all Councillors present that the letter would be revised by Cllr Moore in the style and tone of the rest of the letter with a final paragraph adding outlining what is requested and then re-circulated to all Councillors for agreement. Once letter agreed, to be signed by the Chair and the Clerk on behalf of the Parish Council with all Councillors names listed as being in agreement with the letter.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING 12th MAY 2014

MEETING CLOSED AT 9.05 P.M.

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