

Stinsford Parish Council

Record of decisions made under Delegated Powers Monday 10 January 2022

The following decisions were made by the Clerk, following consultation with the Parish Council.

1. Dorset Local Plan

- (i) That the Parish Council accept the request by the Dorset Climate Action Network and CPRE Dorset to join the 'Dorset Deserves Better' campaign for a re-think of the draft Local Plan and co-sign an open letter to Dorset Council.
- (ii) That Mrs Pattison represent the Parish Council at the virtual meeting of the Alliance on 12 January 2022.
- (iii) That the response received from the Head of Planning, Dorset Council to the letter about misrepresentation of the Parish Council's views in the bid for Garden Communities funding in relation to the proposed North of Dorchester development be noted.
- (iv) That a letter be drafted in response reiterating that the Parish Council could not withdraw its support as it was only if the garden communities bid would address all of the grounds for the objection to the North of Dorchester development that this would be supported.
- (v) That a letter of complaint to Dorset Council be drafted regarding the misrepresentation of the Parish Council's 'support' of the Garden Communities Bid and that the Minister had therefore been misled and that the criteria in the government's guidance for such bids had not been complied with as the bid was not supported by all local authorities in the area.
- (vi) That, when these letters are approved by the Council, they be sent to the Dorset Councillor for Charminster St Mary's Ward and Chris Loder MP, explaining the Parish Council's position.
- (vii) That the invitation from Hyas Associates, the consultants tasked with masterplanning for North of Dorchester, to attend a virtual introductory meeting be accepted and possible dates be canvassed.

2. Neighbourhood Plan for Stinsford

- (i) That the response to the Examiner's questions submitted on the previous day be noted.
- (ii) That the Sally Cooke and Jo Witherden be thanked for the colossal amount of work they had done to co-ordinate the response to the questions in the tight timeframe.

3. Road Safety, Traffic Management and Rights of Way

That the Parish Council support the petition being co-ordinated by Puddletown Area Parish Council for a reduction of the speed limit through Lower Waterston.

4. Correspondence

- (i) That clarity be sought from Dorset Council about the weight limit for Bockhampton Bridge.
- (ii) That a letter be sent to the landowner of the fields at the end of Bockhampton Lane including this information and requesting that his agricultural contractors not transport heavy loads through the village and over the bridge during harvest.
- (iii) That a follow-up letter be sent in August before harvest commences.

Kirsty Riglar

Clerk to Stinsford Parish Council