

Ottery St Mary Town Council

Minutes of the ORDINARY MEETING OF Planning meeting held on **Tuesday 22 April 2025** at **18:33**. The meeting was held in the **Ottery St. Mary Town Council (8 Broad Street, Ottery St. Mary, Devon, EX11 1BZ)**

Present: Ottery St Mary Town Council Admin, Cllrs Vicky Johns (Chair), Richard

Grainger, John Green, Richard Copus (Deputy Chair) and Janice Aherne

Minute Taker: Jane Bushby - Ottery St Mary Town Council Admin

P/25/04/11 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence Apologies received from Cllrs Williamson and Lucas

P/25/04/12 DECLARATIONS AND DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

To receive Declarations of interest for items on the Agenda and receipt of requests for new Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPIs) dispensations for items on the Agenda

Cllr Vicky Johns	No declaration
Cllr Richard Copus	No declaration
Cllr Richard Grainger	No declaration
Cllr John Green	No declaration
Cllr Janice Aherne	No declaration

P/25/04/13 ADMISSION TO MEETINGS

In consideration of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted): to agree any items to be dealt with after the public and press have been excluded

P/25/04/14 REPORTS, CORRESPONDENCE AND ITEMS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE

- 1) 24/0046/TPO Tree preservation order Land at Foxes Oven, 36 Slade Road, Ottery St Mary circulated to the Committee
- 2) Enforcement case 25/F0071 Sign erected on land at Hansford Way circulated to the Committee

P/25/04/15 MINUTES

To receive the Minutes of the Meeting of the Town Council of 1st April 2025 and to approve the signing of the Minutes by the Chair as a correct record

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The minutes of the 1st April 2025 were signed by the Chair as a correct record.

P/25/04/16 **PLANNING DECISIONS RECEIVED**

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24/2576/FUL	Former School Yonder Street Ottery St Mary	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
25/0452/DOC	Cadhay House, Cadhay Lane, OSM, EX11 1QT	DISCHARGE OF CONDITION
24/2553/LBC	Fluxton Farm Fluxton Ottery St Mary EX11 1RJ	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
24/2552/FUL	Fluxton Farm Fluxton Ottery St Mary EX11 1RJ	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
25/0358/FUL	Long Range, Whimple, EX5 2QT	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
25/0371/FUL	Otter Nurseries Gosford Road Ottery St Mary Devon EX11 1LZ	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
25/0473/TRE	The Vicars House, The College, OSM, EX11 1DQ	REFUSED
25/0398/LBC	4 Paternoster Row Ottery St Mary EX11 1DP	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS
25/0221/LBC	25 Silver Street Ottery St Mary EX11 1DB	APPROVAL WITH CONDITIONS

P/25/04/17 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

To assist with the smooth running of the meeting, the Chair will allow members of the public present to submit questions/comments relating to items on the agenda for consideration prior to the application being heard. Individual contributions will be limited to 3 minutes. Where there is a group of objectors or supporters for an application, a spokesperson should be appointed to speak on behalf of the group. The Chair will invite the member of public to speak, after the application has been introduced.

TO CONSIDER AND DETERMINE OBSERVATIONS ON THE P/25/04/18 **FOLLOWING PLANNING APPLICATIONS:**

Refe	erence A	pplicant	Details
1)	25/0700/FUL	Mr Dainton & Mrs Hunter	Proposed demolition of the existing conservatory and outbuildings and the construction of a proposed single storey
			extension.
			Westholm, Mill Street, OSM. EX11 1AE
Tov	vn Council con	nments;	
The	The Town Council support this application and note that the electrical sockets will		
be installed in a suitable place, bearing in mind that the property is in a flood zone. Rain water harvesting provision to be made, as per South West Water recommendations.			
2)	25/0757/AGR	Mr Tom	Poultry Building
	20/07/07/71011	Martin	Holcombe Manor Farm Ltd, Holcombe Lane, OSM, EX11 1PG
A d	A decision had been made on this application by EDDC. The decision was to		
refuse permission.			

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3)	25/0717/VAR	Mr Andrew Whitehouse	Removal of condition 2 (agricultural occupancy) from planning permission 7/45/00/P0940/01309
			Longview House, OSM, EX11 1PJ
Thi	s application w	as discussed 4	th
Tov	vn Council con	nments;	
The	Town Council of	do not support th	is application based on the following;
The	original plannin	ng consent for bu	ilding this property was granted on the basis
that	the property wa	as for workers ac	commodation
The	The building is in open countryside and permission would not have been granted		
without an agricultural tie			
No proof that the property is not viable as an agricultural business. Other			
pro	properties in the area, of a similar size are seen to be viable		
A site of 21 acres is of sufficient size to provide a living.			
4)	25/0779FUL	Dan Rowse	Construction of a single storey rear and side
			extension
			17 Slade Close, OSM, EX11 1SX
This application was discussed 3rd			
Town Council comments;			
The Town Council support this application			

P/25/04/19 TO RECEIVE COUNCILLORS' QUESTIONS RELATING TO PLANNING MATTERS

P/25/04/20 DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING: TBC

A discussion was held regarding availability of a Councillor, to represent the view of the Ottery St Mary Planning Committee, when applications that aren't supported by the Town Council are put forward for approval at the EDDC Planning Committee meeting. It was agreed that Cllr Richard Grainger would attend, where possible.

Meeting concluded at 19.15

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