

Vale and South Oxfordshire  
**Neighbouring Parish Councils Joint Committee**

**Agenda – Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2023 @ 10:00am**

**1. Apologies for absence**

**2. Approval of minutes of the last meeting**

**3. Recent Developments since last meeting**

- a) 'Pre-Inquiry Meeting' 17<sup>th</sup> July (CPOs & SROs) – Hearings scheduled 31<sup>st</sup> October – 12 days
- b) Planning & Reg. Committee Hearing 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> July – Rejection of Application (7-2)
- c) Call-in by Secretary of State – ref. letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**4. Contributions by Parish Councils to Planning Advisor Fees**

Estimated fee for work (4-5 days preparation on Officers Report and other material £3,750) plus 2 days attendance at Planning Hearing (£1,500). Total fee, discounted to £4,000 for the above and attendance at online meeting of Planning Inspector (CPO & SROs on 17<sup>th</sup> July).

Agreement to approve contributions for Advisor Fees above and travel & subsistence (£200 est.):

Proposed contributions –

- £1,000 contribution each x 4 (Appleford, Burcot & Clifton Hampden, Culham and Sutton Courtenay)
- £250 contribution (Nuneham Courtenay).

**5. Administration – Update**

**6. Next Actions**

- a) Who initiated Call-In – consider implications.
- b) Issues arising from Call-In letter
  - Clause 10 – Statement of Case
  - Can OxonCC present case for the application in light of decision to reject?
  - Should we write to Chief Exec or Cabinet or Council chair?
  - Next OxonCC Council Meeting 12<sup>th</sup> September and Cabinet meeting 19<sup>th</sup> September (>6 weeks period for Statement of Case)
- c) Rule 6 Status / Representation by NPC-JC

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d) Course of Action

**7. Noise Monitoring**

Any interest among parishes? Please refer to your Parish Council?

**8. Next meeting**