

## **APPEALS COMMITTEE**

### **MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY 27 MAY 2022**

**Present:** Cllrs Paul Harrison (Vice-Chairman), Mike Barron, Howard Legg and Emma Parker

**Apologies:** Cllrs Bill Pipe and Paul Kimber

**Also present:**

**Officers present (for all or part of the meeting):**

Vicky Diaz (Transport Team Manager), Becky Woolmington (Senior Casework Officer, School Admissions), Megan Rochester (Democratic Services Officer) and George Dare (Senior Democratic Services Officer)

#### **75. Election Of Chairman**

In the absence of the Chairman, Vice-Chair, Cllr Paul Harrison chaired the meeting.

#### **76. Apologies**

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Bill Pipe and Cllr Paul Kimber.

#### **77. Declarations of Interest**

No declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests were made at the meeting.

#### **78. Public Participation**

There was no public participation to report.

#### **79. Urgent Items**

There were no urgent items

#### **80. Exempt Business**

Proposed by Cllr Emma Parker and Cllr Howard Legg.

#### **Decision**

That the press and the public be excluded for the following item(s) in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph 1 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

**81. Transport Appeals**

The Committee considered a number of appeals against the Council's refusal to provide pupils with school transport support

**School Transport Appeal 1**

- a) 1. The appeal on behalf of RH, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and St John's Primary School, be refused.

**School Transport Appeal 2**

- b) 2. The appeal on behalf of EM, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and The Dorset Studio School, be refused.

**School Transport Appeal 3**

- c) 3. The appeal on behalf of IM, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Lytchett Minster School, be refused.

**School Transport Appeal 4**

- d) 4. That the appeal on behalf of LT, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Damers First School, be granted until 31st July 2022.

**School Transport Appeal 5**

- e) 5. That the appeal on behalf of TT, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Dorchester Middle School, be granted until 31st July 2022.

**Duration of meeting:** 10.00 am - 12.07 pm

**Chairman**

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