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### **Appeals Committee**

Date: Monday, 20 February 2023

**Time:** 10.00 am

Venue: County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ

#### Members (Quorum )

Bill Pipe (Chairman), Paul Harrison (Vice-Chairman), Rod Adkins, Mike Barron, Dave Bolwell, Tim Cook, Paul Kimber, Howard Legg, David Morgan, Louie O'Leary, Emma Parker, Julie Robinson, John Worth, Molly Rennie and Belinda Bawden

Chief Executive: Matt Prosser, County Hall, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 1XJ

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### **Agenda**

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#### 1. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. MINUTES 3 - 4

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January.

#### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To disclose any pecuniary, other registerable or non-registerable interests as set out in the adopted Code of Conduct. In making their disclosure councillors are asked to state the agenda item, the nature of the interest and any action they propose to take as part of their declaration.

If required, further advice should be sought from the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting.

#### 4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

To receive questions or statements on the business of the committee from town and parish councils and members of the public.

#### 5. URGENTITEMS

To consider any items of business which the Chairman has had prior notification and considers to be urgent pursuant to section 100B (4) b) of the Local Government Act 1972. The reason for the urgency shall be recorded in the minutes.

#### 6. EXEMPT BUSINESS

To move the exclusion of the press and the public for the following item in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph 3 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

The public and the press will be asked to leave the meeting whilst the item of business is considered.

#### 7. TRANSPORT APPEALS

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To consider the School Transport Appeals as set out in the report by the Corporate Director for Education and Learning.

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#### b) Transport Appeal 2

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#### **APPEALS COMMITTEE**

#### MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18 JANUARY 2023

Present: Cllrs Mike Barron, Paul Kimber, Emma Parker, John Worth and

Molly Rennie

Apologies: Cllrs Bill Pipe

Also present:

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

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

#### **Election Of Chairman**

a) In the absence of the Chair and Vice-chair. Cllr Emma Parker was elected to chair the meeting.

Proposed by Cllr Mike Barron and Seconded by Cllr Molly Rennie.

#### 25. Apologies

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Bill Pipe.

#### 26. Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December were confirmed and signed.

#### 27. Declarations of Interest

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

#### 28. Public Participation

There was no public participation to report.

#### 29. Urgent Items

There were no urgent items.

#### 30. Exempt Business

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 3 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

#### 31. Transport Appeals

The Committee considered an appeal against the council's refusal to provide pupils with school transport support.

#### 32. Transport Appeal 1

The appeal on behalf of JH, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Ringwood Upper School, be refused.

#### 33. Transport Appeal 2

The appeal on behalf of KC, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Wareham St Mary Primary School, be approved up until the end of July 2023.

#### 34. Transport Appeal 3

The appeal on behalf of MW, against the Council's refusal to provide school transport between their home and Beaminster Technology College, be refused.

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Duration of meeting: 10.00 am - 12.10 pm

# Agenda Item 7

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# Agenda Item 7a

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# Agenda Item 7b

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