

Determination of Planning and related Applications

Planning Committee

Date: 12th January 2016

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| Author: | Head of Planning and Regulatory Services |
| Wards: | All Wards |
| Locality Affected: | All Locality Area |
| Parishes Affected: | All Parish Area |

1. Purpose and Reasons

- 1.1 To determine the planning and related applications in the Committee reports that follow this report in the Committee Agenda, as may be amended by the additional information sheet circulated before the meeting

2. Recommendations

The Committee is recommended to:

- 2.1.1 determine the applications set out in the Committee agenda in accordance with the recommendations set out in the reports, including, where relevant, the additional information.

3. Alternative Options

- 3.1 The Committee could choose not to determine the Planning applications

4. Implications, Diversity Impact Assessment and Risk Management

Financial and Procurement Implications

- 4.1 There would be financial implications if, following a refusal to grant planning permission or the grant of conditional permission, costs are awarded against the Council on appeal. However, this would only happen if the Council was adjudged to have acted unreasonably

Legal and Human Rights Implications

- 4.2 There are no staffing implications. No comments have been received from relevant trade unions, unless specified in the attached schedule.
- 4.3 Human Rights considerations have been taken into account in compiling the reports. It is considered that the recommendations of the reports are compatible with Convention rights and that in accordance with the principle of proportionality any interference with the Convention rights of individuals is justified by the overall benefit to the community.

5. Appendices

- 5.1 Appendix 1 - Documents which may be relied on in the preparation of the application reports

Further information on the subject of this report can be obtained from Contact Person, Direct Dial Telephone Number, Employee@swindon.gov.uk.

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- 5.2 Schedule of planning and related applications reported to this Committee for the first time.