# PLANNING COMMITTEE



# AGENDA

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# Date: Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2013

# Time: 7.15pm

Venue: Council Chamber, Causeway House, Bocking End, Braintree, CM7 9HB

Councillor J E Abbott	Councillor T J W Foster	Councillor J O'Reilly-Cicconi
Councillor P R Barlow	Councillor P Horner	Councillor R Ramage
Councillor E Bishop	Councillor S C Kirby	Councillor W D Scattergood (Chairman)
Councillor R J Bolton	Councillor D Mann	Councillor L Shepherd
Councillor C A Cadman	Councillor Lady Newton	Councillor G A Spray

# Members are requested to attend this meeting, to transact the following business:-PUBLIC SESSION

# 1. Apologies for Absence

- 2. **Declarations of Interests**. To declare the existence of any interests relating to items on the agenda having regard to the Code of Conduct for Members and having taken appropriate advice (where necessary) before the meeting.
- 3. **Minutes**. To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 8<sup>th</sup> January 2013 (copy to follow).
- 4. Question Time. (See paragraph on Page iii of the Agenda).
- 5. **Planning Applications**. To consider the following planning applications. There are no applications for consideration under Part B.

Part A:- Planning applications:-

# GESTINGTHORPE

Change of use of land to: residential garden associated with the residential use of Ellis Farm; equestrian use associated with the residential use of Ellis Farm. Erection of stable/tack room/store building and fencing, gates and engineering works to reprofile land, Ellis Farm, Church Street. Application No. 12/01574/FUL (Page 1) Recommendation: GRANT Case Officer: Neil Jones

HALSTEAD	(1)	Erection of a food store (Use Class - A1 Retail) and car park with associated landscaping and highway works and provision of new vehicular accesses to the rear of High Street properties, land East of High Street. Application No. 12/01373/FUL (Page 14) Recommendation: REFUSE Case Officer: Susanne Ennos
	(2)	Erection of a foodstore (Use Class - A1 Retail) and car park with associated landscaping and highway works and provision of new vehicular accesses to the rear of High Street properties, land East of High Street. Application No. 12/01374/CON (Page 46) Recommendation: REFUSE Case Officer: Susanne Ennos
	(3)	Removal of 8 no. underground and 1 no. overground air raid shelters, Land East of High Street. Application No. 12/01405/LBC (Page 51) Recommendation: REFUSE Case Officer: Susanne Ennos
STISTED		Erection of 6 no. residential dwellings with associated landscaping, car parking and highway works, Garage Court, Sarcel. Application No. 12/01340/FUL (Page 56) Recommendation: SECTION 106 AGREEMENT Case Officer: Ian Harrison
WITHAM		Erection of 3 no. affordable dwellings with associated landscaping, car parking and highway works, Garage Court and land off Christina Road. Application No. 12/01341/FUL (Page 73) Recommendation: SECTION 106 AGREEMENT Case Officer: James Salmon

**<u>Part B</u>**:- There are no applications for consideration under Part B.

- 6. **Planning and Enforcement Appeal Decisions December 2012**. To consider the attached report. (Page 88)
- 7. **Urgent Business**. To consider any matter, which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered in public by reason of special circumstances (to be specified), as a matter of urgency.
- 8. To agree the exclusion of the public and press for the consideration of the following item for the reasons set out in Part 1 of Schedule 12(A) of the Local Government Act 1972.

At the time of compiling the Agenda, there were no items for inclusion in this part of the Agenda.

## PRIVATE SESSION

9. **Urgent Business**. To consider any matter, which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered in private by reason of special circumstances (to be specified), as a matter of urgency.

## A PEACE

#### Member Services Manager

## NOTE

### (1) Call in Procedure

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## (2) Background Papers Relating to Planning Reports

- Braintree District Local Plan Review
- Braintree District Local Development Framework Core Strategy
- Relevant Government Guidance

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## **QUESTION TIME**

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