



TATWORTH AND FORTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting of Tatworth & Forton Parish Council Held on 6th February 2025 at 6.30pm at Tatworth Memorial Hall.

**Present: Chairman Councillor P Chapple: Councillors S Adams, K Patay,
E Peadon and R Wardell**

Clerk N Tinley

There was 1 Member of the Public present and No Press

The Member of the Public was invited to address the Council about any matters not already on the agenda, but declined.

AGENDA

08/25 Apologies for absence

Councillor R Down. Calving.

09/25 Declarations of interest

None.

10/25 To approve and sign as a correct record Minutes of the Planning Committee Meeting held on 16th January 2025

Proposed by Councillor E Peadon, Seconded by Councillor K Patay. All in favour.

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the Planning Committee meeting held on 16th January 2025 be signed as a correct record.

11/25 Planning Applications

[25/00046FUL](#) Land off The Drift, Forton

What is proposed? Erection of a proposed agricultural storage building

Although this is a large agricultural building it is not overlooked by anyone.

Proposed by Councillor K Patay, Seconded by Councillor E Peadon. All in favour.

RESOLVED: Tatworth and Forton Parish Council supports this application.

12/25 To approve Councillor Chapple's document to Somerset Planning on "Making Planning Clearer"

Councillor P Chapple introduced his document to the committee explaining the time benefits a few improvements could make.

Proposed Councillor P Chapple, Seconded Councillor K Patay, All in favour.

RESOLVED: The document has been approved; the Clerk will put onto headed paper and forward to Planning South.

13/25 Regarding "Land at Pop Lane. Case ref; 23/00099/ENF" Any response from enforcement officer, authorise referral to the chairman Planning South, Leader of the Council and MP?

The clerk read the recent emails sent to enforcement officer without response.

Proposed Councillor R Wardell, Seconded Councillor S Adams, All in favour

Resolved: The clerk will prepare a report and forward it to the MP, Leader of Council and Chairman Planning South.

14/25 Other planning matters that councillors wish to report

Councillor P Chapple	-	There was an article in 'The Drift' by a resident concerned that the quarry expansion application was being reissued. Councillor Chapple has spoken to Dorset Council, who have confirmed that the recent application was for an extension in time to complete the restoration of land already used. Will put a reassurance in the newsletter.
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15/25 Date of Next Meeting – 6th March 2025

The meeting closed at 6:48pm.