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SOUTHEND-ON-SEA BOROUGH COUNCIL

Meeting of Cabinet Committee

Date: Thursday, 26th October, 2017
Place: Committee Room 1 - Civic Suite

Present: Councillor T Cox (Chair)
Councillor T Byford (Vice-Chair)

In Attendance: Councillors M Borton, M Butler, T Callaghan, J Garston, D Kenyon
and J Ware-Lane
P Geraghty, T Row, C Hindle-Terry and N Hunwicks

Start/End Time: 6.00 p.m. - 9.35 p.m.

426 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Flewitt (no substitute).

427 Declarations of Interest

Councillor Cox declared a non-pecuniary interest in Agenda Item No. 4 in respect of Application Ref No. 17/00013 on the grounds that he works for Barking & Dagenham Council, which was mentioned in respect of this application.

428 Exclusion of the Public

Resolved:-

That, under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the items of business set out below, on the grounds that they would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

429 Permanent Vehicular Crossing (PVX) - Exceptional Circumstances Application(s)

The Cabinet Committee received a report of Deputy Chief Executive (Place) that appraised Members of the exceptional circumstance applications for permanent vehicle crossings (PVX) as set out in Appendix 1 to the report. Some of the applicants attended the meeting in respect of their own application.

Having considered all the evidence and submissions made and the views of the Traffic & Parking Working Party, it was:

Resolved:

1. That, in view of the extenuating factors in relation to the individual cases, the following PVX exceptional circumstance applications be granted:

Application Ref. No. 17/00066
Application Ref No. 16/00181

2. That the following PVX exceptional circumstance applications be refused:

Application Ref. No. 16/00025
Application Ref. No. 16/00207
Application Ref. No. 17/00041
Application Ref. No. 17/00056
Application Ref. No. 16/00347
Application Ref. No. 17/00013
Application Ref. No. 17/00244
Application Ref. No. 17/00223
Application Ref. No. 17/00217

3. That, on the basis that planning permission had been granted and no new issues have arisen since the highway and safety implications of the proposals were taken into account in assessing the proposal, the Director for Planning and Transport be delegated authority to grant the PVX exceptional circumstance application ref no. 17/00149

Reasons for Decision

To ensure compliance with the statutory duty under Section 184 of the Highways Act 1980 and the current Policy, to ensure safety, free flow of traffic and protection of the local environment.

Other Options

The local highway authority may approve a request with or without modification, or may propose alternative works or reject the request.

Note: This is an Executive function

Not eligible for call-in pursuant to Scrutiny Procedure Rule 15(e)(iv)

Executive Councillor: Cox

Chairman: _____