



HELMDON PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES



Of a meeting of the Planning Committee held in the Reading Room, Church Street, Helmdon on Wednesday 12th June 2024

Present: Cllrs Harris, Marchant, Minshall, Plunkett and Shepherd

1. To elect Chair for 2024/25
Deferred to next meeting
2. To elect Vice Chair for 2024/25
Deferred to next meeting
3. Apologies for absence
None
4. Declarations of Interest
None
5. To approve and sign minutes from 15th May 2024
Minutes approved and signed from 15th May 2024
6. Open Forum
None
7. Matters Arising
None
8. To consider:

A. West Northamptonshire Council (WNC) – Open Space Assessment Consultation

WNC has commissioned TEP, a leading Environmental Consultancy, to prepare an Open Space Assessment for the area, including Daventry, Northampton, Towcester, Brackley and Rural areas. The Assessment will provide a robust evidence base for the use and demand of open space in the area and will allow WNC to prioritise the development of and investment into open space. It will also support the Council in securing funding through the planning system for open spaces. The assessment will provide a robust evidence base for the new West Northamptonshire Local Plan regarding the use and demand for open space in the area, allowing WNC to further develop its policies for open space, including new standards for open space provision.

9. Close

Signed _____

Dated _____

Charmaine Jay
Clerk to Helmdon Parish Council