Agenda



West Area Planning Committee

This meeting will be held on:

Date: Tuesday 8 December 2020

Time: **3.00 pm**

Place: Zoom - Remote meeting

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- may register in advance to speak to the committee in accordance with the <u>committee's rules</u>
- may record all or part of the meeting in accordance with the Council's protocol

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Committee Membership

Councillors: Membership 9: Quorum 5: substitutes are permitted.

Councillor Colin Cook (Chair)	Jericho and Osney;
Councillor Michael Gotch (Vice-Chair)	Summertown;
Councillor Tiago Corais	Littlemore;
Councillor Alex Hollingsworth	Carfax;
Councillor Richard Howlett	Carfax;
Councillor Dan Iley-Williamson	Holywell;
Councillor Richard Tarver	Iffley Fields;
Councillor Louise Upton	North;
Councillor Elizabeth Wade	Wolvercote;

Apologies and notification of substitutes received before the publication are shown under *Apologies for absence* in the agenda. Those sent after publication will be reported at the meeting. Substitutes for the Chair and Vice-chair do not take on these roles.

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	relating to applicati	ions, full plans, and supplementary information ons on the agenda, please <u>click here</u> and enter the Reference number in the <u>search</u> box.	
		mation received following the publication of this ported and summarised at the meeting.	
1	Apologies for a	bsence and substitutions	
2	Declarations of	interest	
3	19/02601/FUL: OX1 2DH	Frewin Quad, New Inn Hall Street, Oxford,	19 - 60
	Site address:	Frewin Quad, New Inn Hall Street, Oxford, OX1 2DH	
	Proposal:	Demolition of existing music practice rooms, stone wall and garden store; refurbishment of Grade II* Listed Building and associated works and landscaping; and the erection of building with basement, landscape and associated works, to provide additional bedspaces and social/study spaces for a C2 residential institution.	
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	the section 106 legal agreement referred to dissue the planning permission.	
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Site address:	Frewin Quad, New Inn Hall Street, Oxford, OX1 2DH	
Proposal:	Internal and external works to Frewin Hall including investigations to inform refurbishment works, reconfiguration of floorplan, new entrance lobby extension. Demolition of boundary walls, music room, lean-to and shed. Dismantling and reconstruction of entrance archway on New Inn Hall Street and east boundary stone wall. (Amended description).	
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6	19/02 OX1		e Hill House, 9 New Road, Oxford,	129 - 144
	Site a	ddress:	Castle Hill House, 9 New Road, Oxford, OX1 1LT	
	Propo	osal:	Alterations to east wall of Canal House including demolition of adjoining building and construction of new building abutting up to east wall of Canal House. (Amended plans)	
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7	19/02	2723/FUL: 20 Ble	nheim Drive, Oxford, OX2 8DG	145 - 184
	Site a	ddress:	20 Blenheim Drive, Oxford, OX2 8DG	
	Propo	osal:	Demolition of existing dwellinghouse. Erection of 2 x 5-bed dwellinghouses and 3 x 3-bed dwellinghouses (Use Class C3). Provision of car parking, shared access	

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drive with infrared-controlled on-site traffic signals, bin and cycle stores. Associated landscaping. (Amended plans and description; additional information)

Recommendation:

The West Area Planning Committee is recommended to:

- 1. **approve the application** for the reasons given in the report, subject to the findings of the archaeological field evaluation and subject to the required planning conditions set out in section 12 of the report and grant planning permission; and
- 2. **agree to delegate authority** to the Head of Planning Services to:
 - consider and deal with the submitted archaeological report following the field evaluation including deciding whether it is necessary to refer the application back to the committee prior to issuing the permission and to add conditions required in connection with the archaeological field evaluation;
 - finalise the recommended conditions as set out in the report including such refinements, amendments, additions and/or deletions as the Head of Planning Services considers reasonably necessary; and
 - issue the planning permission.

8 20/00994/CT3: East Oxford Community Centre, Princes Street, Oxford, OX4 1DD

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Site address:	East Oxford Community Centre, Princes Street, Oxford, OX4 1DD
Proposal:	Partial demolition, refurbishment and extension to the community centre and erection of 12 residential dwellings formed of 7 one-bedroom and 5 two-bedroom apartments, with associated access and landscaping. (Amended Plans)
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The West Area Planning Committee is recommended to:

1. **approve the application** for the reasons given in the report and subject to the required planning conditions set out in

section 12 of the report and grant planning permission subject to:

- the completion of a 21 day consultation period (closing on 10th December 2020) required due to the submission of amended plans.
- confirmation from the Lead Local Flood Authority that they remove their objection following the review of amended documents.

2. agree to delegate authority to the Head of Planning Services to:

- consider and deal with any further representations received during the remainder of the consultation period including deciding whether it is necessary to refer the application back to the committee prior to issuing the permission and to add any conditions required in connection with those representations;
- finalise the recommended conditions as set out in the report including such refinements, amendments, additions and/or deletions as the Head of Planning Services considers reasonably necessary; and

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• issue the planning permission.

9 20/01298/CT3: East Oxford Games Hall, 5 Collins Street, Oxford, OX4 1XS

Site address:East Oxford Games Hall, 5 Collins Street,
Oxford, OX4 1XSProposal:Demolition of games hall and erection of 14
residential dwellings formed of 8 one-
bedroom and 6 two-bedroom apartments,
with associated access and landscaping.
(Amended plans)

Recommendation:

The West Area Planning Committee is recommended to:

- 1. **approve the application** for the reasons given in the report and subject to the required planning conditions set out in section 12 of the report and grant planning permission subject to:
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19/00608/FUL 8AL	: Jurys Inn, Godstow Road, Oxford, OX2		
20/01337/FUL	: Site Of Millway Close, Oxford, OX2 8BJ		
20/02480/FUL Street, Oxford	: 1-5 Broad Street And 31 Cornmarket , OX1 3AG		
20/00549/LBC	: Town Hall, St Aldate's, Oxford, OX1 1BX		
19/02815/FUL Oxford, Oxford	: Land Between 45 And 51 Hill Top Road, Ishire	Called in	
19/02816/FUL Oxford, Oxford	: Land Between 45 And 51 Hill Top Road, Ishire		
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20/01314/FUL: Unit 1 & Unit 2, Botley Road, Oxford, OX2 0HA
19/02926/FUL: Land Adjacent The Old School, Gloucester Green, Oxford, OX1 2BU
20/02303/FUL Peacock House, Baynhams Drive, Oxford, OX2 8FN
20/02471/FUL: Tinbergen Building, South Parks Road, Oxford, OX1 3PS
20/01276/FUL: Land At Jericho Canal Side And Community Centre, 33A Canal Street, Oxford, OX2 6BX
20/01277/LBC: Land At Jericho Canal Side And Community Centre, 33A Canal Street, Oxford, OX2 6BX
20/02434/VAR: Dragon School, Bardwell Road, Oxford,OX2 6SS
20/01567/FUL: 7-9 Blue Boar Street, Oxford, OX1 4EE
20/02651/FUL: 152 Godstow Road, Oxford, OX2 8PG
20/02884/VAR: Site Of Oxford University Science Area, South Parks Road, Oxford

12 Dates of future meetings

Future meetings of the Committee are scheduled on:

2021
19 January
9 February
9 March
13 April

Public access to this meeting and members of the public speaking

Remote meetings will be held on Zoom.

Public access to remote meetings

- 1. You can watch the meeting remotely by clicking on the link in the comments section or under 'media' sited just above the agenda items.
- 2. The live link will appear on this page just as the meeting starts. This will launch a YouTube video of the live meeting. If it does not, then follow the link to the council's YouTube channel where the video will be playing.

Registering to speaking

- 3. Members of the public can register to speak at a meeting in accordance with the Procedure Rule within Council's Constitutions.
- 4. For this committee you must register to speak before noon on the working day before the meeting, giving the application name/number and whether you are supporting or objecting. You must also supply an email address and phone number.
- 5. Members of the public registering to speak are recommended to submit their contribution in writing to <u>democraticservices@oxford.gov.uk</u> not less than 24 hours before the meeting is due to start. This will ensure that their contribution can be taken into account and, where necessary, responded to, in the event that the connection is poor or they are otherwise unable to join the meeting. Members of the public who register to speak will be advised of any word limit for their written submission.

Public attendance and speaking at remote meetings

- 6. Members of the public viewing the meeting should do this through the weblink to the live stream as above.
- 7. Members of the public may register to speak at the meeting in accordance with the procedure rules (see 4 and the notes at the end of the agenda frontsheet)
- 8. Those registering to speak will be provided with joining instructions and guidance on public participation in remote meetings by the Committee and Member Services Team.
- 9. When the meeting starts, or during the agenda item before the one they are speaking on, they should follow these instructions and join the meeting. When joining a meeting members of the public with a right to speak must ensure that they can be identified as a registered speaker otherwise their access to the meeting will be blocked.
- 10. They will be held as an 'attendee' and be able to see and hear the

meeting but not take part.

- 11. The Meeting Host will 'enable' their microphone when they are called to speak, or may admit them to the meeting. They must not speak until are invited to do so by the Chair. Speeches are timed from the first words of the speech: there is no penalty for delays caused by the technology.
- 12. The member of the public may remain as an attendee or in the meeting to hear the remainder of the agenda item. Once their contribution has been heard the Meeting Host will mute their microphone and it must remain muted for the remainder of the meeting unless the Chair invites them to speak again, at which point the microphone will be enabled again.
- 13. At the end of the agenda item, the Chair may ask speakers attending for that item to disconnect from the remote meeting and the Meeting Host may remove their access to the meeting. Members of the public may continue to observe the meeting by watching the live stream accessed via a link on the Council's meetings webpages.
- 14. If a member of the public exercising their right to speak at a remote meeting loses connectivity during their contribution, they should immediately dial back in to the meeting using the telephone number provided in the joining instructions.
- 15. If a member of the public exercising their right to speak at a remote meeting loses connectivity and is unable to re-join the meeting their previously submitted written contribution will be considered (it will be read out by an officer who will keep strictly to the allocated time limit). If no written contribution has been submitted the meeting will proceed without considering their contribution.

Press access to remote meetings

- 16. Journalists wishing to attend a remote meeting are advised to inform <u>pressoffice@oxford.gov.uk</u> not less than 24 hours before the meeting is due to start to be issued with joining instructions.
- 17. Journalists in remote attendance are asked to keep their microphone muted and their video camera turned off.
- 18. Alternatively journalists can access meetings by viewing the live stream as set out in 1 and 2 above.

Information for those attending regulatory committees -

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Remote meetings guidelines

Regulations passed in April 2020 enable the Council to hold meetings without some or all Members being physically present together in a room. To ensure the smooth running of remote meetings the Council has agreed a Protocol for Remote Meetings and everyone is asked to follow these guidelines which are based on that Protocol.

Attendance at remote meetings

Members (councillors) are "in attendance" provided that they can hear and be heard by the other participants. Any loss of visual connection does not give rise to non-attendance but a loss of audio connection does.

Should you lose connection to the meeting try to reconnect immediately. If you cannot immediately re-join the meeting by video link, please dial in to the meeting using the telephone number provided in the joining instructions.

If a Councillor loses connectivity to this meeting they will be prohibited from participating in the debate and voting on that agenda item unless the discussion is paused for the period of their non-attendance.

If other participants lose connection, this does not affect the debate or vote.

Remote meetings etiquette

All participants are asked to:

- Stay visible on camera while your video feed is on. Turn the camera off if you stand up or leave your seat.
- Keep your microphone muted unless speaking. Un-mute / mute your own microphone before and after speaking.
- Use the "raise hand" icon to indicate a wish to speak. This is located in the "Participants" tab. Please be patient, the Chair will call you to speak and has absolute discretion to determine the order in which participants speak. Please lower your virtual hand after speaking.
- Not speak over other participants.
- Keep contributions relevant and concise.
- Councillors and officers must use the Chat function only to assist with the smooth administration of the meeting, e.g. to alert officers to a loss of audio connectivity.

Voting at remote meetings

When determining an application the voting will be by a roll call.

When called by the Clerk, Councillors are asked to state how they are voting on the proposal (e.g. "for", "against" or "abstain"). Any Member who has not been in attendance to hear the full presentation and debate on an agenda item will be required to abstain from voting on that matter.

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Information for those attending

Recording and reporting on meetings held in public

Members of public and press can record, or report in other ways, the parts of the meeting open to the public. You are not required to indicate in advance but it helps if you notify the Committee Services Officer prior to the meeting so that they can inform the Chair and direct you to the best place to record.

The Council asks those recording the meeting:

- To follow the protocol which can be found on the Council's website
- Not to disturb or disrupt the meeting
- Not to edit the recording in a way that could lead to misinterpretation of the proceedings. This includes not editing an image or views expressed in a way that may ridicule or show a lack of respect towards those being recorded.
- To avoid recording members of the public present, even inadvertently, unless they are addressing the meeting.

Please be aware that you may be recorded during your speech and any follow-up. If you are attending please be aware that recording may take place and that you may be inadvertently included in these.

The Chair of the meeting has absolute discretion to suspend or terminate any activities that in his or her opinion are disruptive.

Councillors declaring interests

General duty

You must declare any disclosable pecuniary interests when the meeting reaches the item on the agenda headed "Declarations of Interest" or as soon as it becomes apparent to you.

What is a disclosable pecuniary interest?

Disclosable pecuniary interests relate to your* employment; sponsorship (ie payment for expenses incurred by you in carrying out your duties as a councillor or towards your election expenses); contracts; land in the Council's area; licenses for land in the Council's area; corporate tenancies; and securities. These declarations must be recorded in each councillor's Register of Interests which is publicly available on the Council's website.

Declaring an interest

Where any matter disclosed in your Register of Interests is being considered at a meeting, you must declare that you have an interest. You should also disclose the nature as well as the existence of the interest. If you have a disclosable pecuniary interest, after having declared it at the meeting you must not participate in discussion or voting on the item and must withdraw from the meeting whilst the matter is discussed.

Members' Code of Conduct and public perception

Even if you do not have a disclosable pecuniary interest in a matter, the Members' Code of Conduct says that a member "must serve only the public interest and must never improperly confer an advantage or disadvantage on any person including yourself" and that "you must not place yourself in situations where your honesty and integrity may be questioned". The matter of interests must be viewed within the context of the Code as a whole and regard should continue to be paid to the perception of the public.

*Disclosable pecuniary interests that must be declared are not only those of the member her or himself but also those member's spouse, civil partner or person they are living with as husband or wife or as if they were civil partners.

Procedure for dealing with planning applications at Area Planning Committees and Planning Review Committee

Planning controls the development and use of land in the public interest. Applications must be determined in accordance with the Council's adopted policies, unless material planning considerations indicate otherwise. The Committee must be conducted in an orderly, fair and impartial manner. Advice on bias, predetermination and declarations of interests is available from the Monitoring Officer.

The following minimum standards of practice will be followed:

- 1. All members of the Committee will have pre-read the officers' report. Committee members are also encouraged to view any supporting material and to visit the site if they feel that would be helpful. (In accordance with the guidance at 24.15 (Planning Code of Practice) in the Council's Constitution).
- 2. At the meeting the Chair may draw attention to this procedure. The Chair may also explain who is entitled to vote.
- 3. The sequence for each application discussed at Committee shall be as follows:
 - (a) the planning officer will introduce it with a short presentation;
 - (b) any objectors may speak for up to 5 minutes in total;
 - (c) any supporters may speak for up to 5 minutes in total;
 - (d) speaking times may be extended by the Chair, provided that equal time is given to both sides. Any non-voting City Councillors and/or Parish and County Councillors who may wish to speak for or against the application will have to do so as part of the two 5-minute slots mentioned above;
 - (e) voting members of the Committee may raise questions (which shall be directed via the Chair to the lead officer presenting the application, who may pass them to other relevant officers and/or other speakers); and
 - (f) voting members will debate and determine the application.
- 4. In determining an application Committee members should not:
 - (a) rely on considerations which are not material planning considerations in law;
 - (b) question the personal integrity or professionalism of officers in public;
 - (c) proceed to a vote if minded to determine an application against officer's recommendation until the reasons for overturning the officer's recommendation have been formulated including the reasons for refusal or the wording of any planning conditions; or
 - (d) seek to re-design, or negotiate amendments to, an application. The Committee must determine applications as they stand and may impose appropriate conditions.

Public requests to speak

Members of the public wishing to speak must notify the Committee Services Officer by noon on the working day before the meeting, giving their name, the application/agenda item they wish to speak on and whether they are objecting to or supporting the application. Notifications can be made via e-mail or telephone, to the Committee Services Officer (details are on the front of the Committee agenda).

Written statements from the public

Any written statement that members of the public or Councillors wish to be considered should be sent to the planning officer by noon two working days before the day of the meeting. The planning officer will report these at the meeting. Material received from the public at the meeting will not be accepted or circulated, as Councillors are unable to give proper consideration to the new information and officers may not be able to check for accuracy or provide considered advice on any material consideration arising. Any such material will not be displayed or shown at the meeting.

Exhibiting model and displays at the meeting

Applicants or members of the public can exhibit models or displays at the meeting as long as they notify the Committee Services Officer of their intention by noon two working days before the start of the meeting so that members can be notified.

Recording meetings

This is covered in the general information above.

Meeting Etiquette

All representations should be heard in silence and without interruption. The Chair will not permit disruptive behaviour. Members of the public are reminded that if the meeting is not allowed to proceed in an orderly manner then the Chair will withdraw the opportunity to address the Committee. The Committee is a meeting held in public, not a public meeting.

This procedure is detailed in the Annex to part 24 of the Council's Constitution as agreed at Council in January 2020.