COUNTY BOROUGH OF BLAENAU GWENT

REPORT TO: THE CHAIR AND MEMBERS OF THE PLANNING

COMMITTEE

SUBJECT: PLANNING COMMITTEE - 5TH OCTOBER, 2023

REPORT OF: DEMOCRATIC & COMMITTEE SUPPORT OFFICER

PRESENT: COUNCILLOR L. WINNETT (CHAIR)

Councillors P. Baldwin (Vice-Chair)

C. Bainton

J. Holt

E. Jones

C. Smith

W. Hodgins

G. Humphreys

J. Thomas

D. Wilkshire

WITH: Service Manager Development & Estates

Team Manager – Development Management Team Leader – Development Management

Planning Officer (x2)

Team Manager – Built Environment

Engineer – Highways

Solicitor

Press and Communications Officer

DECISIONS UNDER DELEGATED POWERS

ITEM	SUBJECT	ACTION
No. 1	SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION It was noted that no requests had been received for the simultaneous translation service.	

No. 2	APOLOGIES	_
	An apology for absence was received from Councillor L. Parsons.	
No. 3	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATIONS	
	No declarations of interest or dispensations were raised.	
No. 4	PLANNING APPLICATIONS REPORT	
	Consideration was given to the report of the Team Manager Development Management, whereupon:-	
	Application No. C/2023/0097 67 Marine Street, Cwm, Ebbw Vale Conversion of existing dwelling to create 4 self-contained flats (Resubmission)	
	Upon a vote being taken, it was unanimously	
	RESOLVED that Planning permission be GRANTED subject to conditions detailed in the application.	
	Councillor G. Humphreys did not take part in the vote.	
No. 5	APPEALS, CONSULTATIONS AND DNS UPDATE SEPTEMBER 2023	
	Consideration was given to report of the Service Manager Development & Estates.	
	RESOLVED that the report be accepted and the information contained therein be noted.	

No. 6	PLANNING APPEAL UPDATE: SPRINGFIELD COTTAGE, QUEEN VICTORIA STREET, TREDEGAR	
	Consideration was given to the report of the Planning Officer.	
	RESOLVED that the report be accepted and the appeal decision for planning application C/2022/0301 as attached at Appendix A be noted.	
No. 7	LIST OF APPLICATIONS DECIDED UNDER DELEGATED POWERS BETWEEN 24TH AUGUST 2023 AND 21ST SEPTEMBER 2023	
	Consideration was given to report of the Business Support Officer.	
	RESOLVED that the report be accepted and the information contained therein be noted.	
No. 8	DEVELOPMENTS OF NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)	
	Consideration was given to the report of the Service Manager Development and Estates.	
	RESOLVED that the report be accepted and the information contained therein be noted.	
No. 9	REVISED PRACTICE ADVICE NOTES (PANS)	
	Consideration was given to the report of the Service Manager Development and Estates.	
	RESOLVED that the report be accepted and the Planning Committee adopted the revised PANs appended to this report (Option 2).	

No. 10 AREAS FOR MEMBER BRIEFINGS AND TRAINING

The Chair reported that mandatory training on the material considerations and decision making had been scheduled for 6th November, 2023.

It was also reported that the Section 106 training would be held in the New Year.