

Friday, 26 January 2024

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DEVELOPMENT CONTROL COMMITTEE

You are summoned to a meeting of Development Control Committee, which will be held in Committee Rooms 1 & 2, Council Offices, Woodgreen, Witney, Oxfordshire OX28 1NB on **Monday, 5 February 2024 at 11.00 am.**



Mr. Giles Hughes
Chief Executive

To: Members of the Development Control Committee:

Councillors: Julian Cooper (Chair), Michael Brooker (Vice-Chair), Alaa Al-Yousuf, Lidia Arciszewska, Hugo Ashton, Andrew Beaney, Rachel Crouch, Colin Dingwall, Phil Godfrey, Andy Goodwin, Jeff Haine, David Jackson, Nick Leverton, Dan Levy, Andrew Lyon, Lysette Nicholls, Rosie Pearson, Rizvana Poole, Andrew Prosser, Harry St John, Dean Temple, Mark Walker, Adrian Walsh and Alistair Wray.

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AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**
To receive any Apologies for Absence from members of the Committee.
2. **Declarations of Interest**
To receive any Declarations of Interest from Members of the Committee, on any items to be considered at the meeting.
3. **Minutes of Previous Meetings (Pages 3 - 12)**
To approve the minutes of the previous meetings, held on Monday 27 March 2023 and Wednesday 24 May 2024.
4. **Botley West Solar Farm - Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) - Response to Statutory Pre-Application Consultation. (Pages 13 - 40)**
Purpose:
To agree a response to the Botley West Solar Farm (BWSF) statutory consultation, and notification of the BWSF pursuant to Section 42 of the Planning Act 2008.

Recommendations:
That the Development Control Committee Resolves to:
 - 1) Endorse the contents of the draft consultation response;
 - 2) Agree submission of the consultation response by the consultation deadline.
5. **Frequency of Sub-Committee Meetings (Pages 41 - 44)**
Purpose:
To allow the Development Control Committee to consider the frequency of Sub-Committee meetings.

Recommendations:
That the Development Control Committee Resolves to:
 1. Agree that the frequency of sub-committee meetings in 2024/25 will be either:
 - a) 4-weekly; or
 - b) monthly.
6. **Notification Policy**
Purpose:
To consider the current notification policy including any feedback from Members.
The Chair of the Development Control Committee has requested that this item be added to the meeting agenda as a discussion item.

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