SCOTTER PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting of the Planning Committee held on 14th December 2009

Present: Councillor M. Brown(Chairman), Councillors N. Altoft, B. Billam and J. Fillingham, M. Brown (Clerk).

With no members of the public present, the meeting commenced at 7.07pm.

P61 2009/10 : To elect a Chairman for the meeting

In the absence of Councillor Rayner, it was **RESOLVED : That Councillor Brown will chair the meeting**.

P62 2009/10 : To receive and approve apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Councillor Rayner who is unable to attend due to a work commitment and from Councillor Capes who is away.

RESOLVED : To accept the apologies from Councillors Rayner and Capes.

<u>P63 2009/10 : To receive declarations of interest in accordance with the Local Government</u> <u>Act 2000</u>

Councillor Brown declared an interest in respect of the application under consideration due to his acquaintance with the applicant and stated his intention to abstain from voting on the matter.

<u>P64 2009/10 : To approve notes of the Planning Committee Meeting held on 7th December</u> 2009 as the Minutes of that meeting

RESOLVED: To approve the notes of the Planning Committee Meeting held on 7th December 2009, as circulated, as the Minutes. These were signed by the Chairman.

<u>P65 2009/10 : To consider what comments should be made to the planning authority in</u> relation to the following application:

The Committee discussed the application and at the conclusion of its deliberations and with the exception of Councillor Brown who abstained,

RESOLVED: That the following observation be made to the planning authority:

026353 1a Colins Walk, Scotter – a planning application to reduce the height and spread of an ash tree, T1 of Scotter 1997.

No objection. The Clerk is to submit the following comment in support of the application : "My Council fully supports the application. The tree is extremely large and over-bearing and any action that will reduce the likelihood of it endangering persons or property is welcomed. As a point of clarification only, the tree is not on the bank of the River Eau. It is on the Dar Beck."

The Chairman declared the meeting closed at 7.17pm.

Clerk:

Chairman:

Date:

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