

**MINUTES OF GT BARTON PARISH COUNCIL PLANNING MEETING**  
**MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2020**

Members present : Councillor Maggie Dunn chaired the remote meeting with Councillors Matthew Parker, Steve Todd, Declan Gallagher, Philip Reeve and Peter Fisk.

6 members of the public were present.

1. No declarations of interest were received.
2. There were no requests for dispensation. Apologies had been received from Councillor Diana Boys who is unable to attend remote meetings. Participants were advised that the meeting was being recorded.
3. Items (d) and (e) will be carried forward to the next Parish Council meeting on 15/6/20 to await the tree officers report for item (d) and clarification that the position of the tree is within the boundary of 48 Conyers Way, for item (e). It was noted by the planning committee that re-consultation information had been received on 8/6/20 for item (d) under the same reference number, but changing the location to White Lodge, The Park and changing the proposal to 'Fell 1 Sycamore'

<b>d)</b>	18 Downing Drive	DC/20/0663/TPO	TPO 370(1974) Tree Preservation Order - 1 Sycamore Fell and 1 Ash Fell
<b>e)</b>	48 Conyers Way	DC/20/0814/TPO	TPO 033 (1961) Tree Preservation Order - 1 Ash remove limb overhanging boundary and prune tree by up to 4 metres over boundary line

<b>c)</b>	Barton Court, School Lane	DC/20/0816/TPO	TPO 341(1973) - Tree Preservation Order - 1 Monterey Cypress - fell
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The planning committee decided not to comment on this application but to advise West Suffolk Council that work had already been undertaken on the Cypress tree at Barton Court. The Clerk will forward photographs.

<b>f)</b>	The Oaks, School Road	DC/20/0584/TPO	TPO 446(2006) Tree Preservation Order - 1 Oak overall crown reduction by between 1.5 metres and 2 metres and crown raise to 4 metres all round
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The planning committee objected to the crown reduction aspect of this application as it will spoil the shape of a specimen tree. They agreed to the raising of the crown.

<b>b)</b>	High Trees, The Park	DC/20/0783/TPO	TPO 370(1974) 3 sycamore trees – fell
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The planning committee supported this application with the suggestion that a condition to replant replacement trees, as soon as possible, is included.

a)	Land Adj to High Trees, The Park	DC/20/0755/FUL	(i) 1 two storey, self build dwelling (ii) detached single garage with store (previous application DC/19/1117/FUL)
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There were extensive discussions on this application, including access, design of the proposed building, the setting and plot size of High Trees, the wooded setting of The Park, implications to wild life, comments on the previous application from West Suffolk Council and comments relating to West Suffolk Council's policies DM2 and SC3.

The planning committee voted to support the application with 4 Councillors voting for, 1 against and 1 abstaining.

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Sign, date and print name

CHAIRMAN OF THIS MEETING

Minutes signed as confirmation that they are a true record.