

DEVELOPMENT CONTROL COMMITTEE

BURNLEY TOWN HALL

Thursday, 11th November, 2021 at 6.30 pm

PRESENT

MEMBERS

Councillors S Chaudhary (Chair), A Kelly (Vice-Chair), G Birtwistle, F Cant, S Cunliffe, S Graham, S Hall, J Harbour, A Hosker, J Inckle, K Ingham, M Payne and A Royle

OFFICERS

Paul Gatrell – Head of Housing & Development Control

Alec Hickey – Planning Team Manager

Emma Barker – Principal Legal Officer - Litigation & Regulation

Imelda Grady – Democracy Officer

48. Minutes

The Minutes of the last meeting held on 14th October 2021 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

Speakers

The following members of the public attended the meeting and addressed the Committee under the Right to Speak Policy.

Ms Nazia Shah – FUL/2021/0474 – 36 Station Road Padiham

Mr Anthony Stephenson – FUL/2020/0321 – Butchers Farm, Ormerod Street, Worsthorne

49. Apologies

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Phil Chamberlain, Mohammed Ishtiag and Neil Mottershead.

50. FUL/2021/0474 - 36 Station Road, Padiham

Decision

That planning permission be refused for the following reason

The intensification of the use of the dwelling house for up to seven occupants would result in a material increase in noise and disturbance for neighbouring residents and future occupiers. The proposal is therefore contrary to Policies SP4 and SP5 of Burnley's Local Plan (July 2018) which seek to secure high quality development that is of an appropriate type and scale that respects local context and maintains acceptable levels of neighbouring amenity.

As the decision was contrary of officer recommendation a named vote was taken as follows:

To refuse FUL/2021/0474 - 36 Station Road, Padiham (Resolution)		
Councillor Saeed Chaudhary	Abstain	
Councillor Anne Kelly	For	
Councillor Gordon Birtwistle	For	
Councillor Frank Cant	For	
Councillor Scott Cunliffe	For	
Councillor Sue Graham	For	
Councillor Sarah Hall	For	
Councillor John Harbour	For	
Councillor Alan Hosker	For	
Councillor Jacqueline Inckle	For	
Councillor Karen Ingham	For	
Councillor Mark Payne	For	
Councillor Ann Royle	For	
Carried		

51. FUL/2020/0321 - Butchers Farm, Ormerod Street, Worsthorne

Decision

That planning permission be refused for the following reason:

The proposed development fails to demonstrate that it would incorporate sufficient measures to minimise energy and water consumption or to provide opportunities for on-site energy supply from renewable and low carbon energy sources which are necessary to secure a high standard of sustainability in development and recognised as a factor in tackling climate change, contrary to Policy SP 5 1(a) and (c) of Burnley's Local Plan (July 2018)

As the decision was contrary to office recommendation a named vote was taken as follows:

FUL/2020/0321 - Butchers Farm, Ormerod Street, Worsthorne (Resolution)		
Councillor Saeed Chaudhary	Against	
Councillor Anne Kelly	Against	
Councillor Gordon Birtwistle	For	
Councillor Frank Cant	Against	
Councillor Scott Cunliffe	For	
Councillor Sue Graham	Against	
Councillor Sarah Hall	For	
Councillor John Harbour	Against	
Councillor Alan Hosker	For	
Councillor Jacqueline Inckle	For	
Councillor Karen Ingham	For	
Councillor Mark Payne	For	
Councillor Ann Royle	Against	
Carried		

52. Decisions taken under the Scheme of Delegation

Members received for information a list of decision taken under delegation for the period 5 October to 2 November 2021.