

**WESTON AND BASFORD PARISH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF EXTRAORDINARY MEETING
HELD 25TH FEBRUARY 2014**

PRESENT	Councillor J Densem (Chairman) Councillor J Cornell (Vice Chairman) Councillors J Chambers, E Dickenson and M Jones
APOLOGIES	Councillors J Chamberlain, T Eatough, L Gill and T Gill

141 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members were invited to declare their interest in any item on the Agenda.
No declarations were made.

142 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining item of business on the grounds that the business to be transacted is of a confidential nature and the public interest would not be served by the disclosure of the information to be presented

143 LOCAL PLAN UPDATE

The Chairman of the Planning Committee reported on further meetings held with Mr A Fisher and Councillor J Hammond. The Strategic Planning Board was to consider the draft Local Plan on 26th February prior to its submission to full Council on 28th February 2014.

A six week period for representations would then be allowed with any comments being passed to the Secretary of State. It was anticipated that an Examination in Public would be held around September time.

The Chairman of the Planning Committee was to speak at the Strategic Planning Board and invited Members 'comments on the approach which he proposed to take.

Members also considered the need to appoint Planning Consultants to assist the Parish Council in detail as to how the problem of the linkage of Village A with Basford East might best be resolved.

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY:

(a) That the statement which the Chairman of the Planning Committee had prepared for the meeting of the Strategic Planning Board meeting be approved.

(b) That the appointment of Planning Consultants be approved with the financial constraints now agreed.

CHAIRMAN