

**MINUTES OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER,
SILSDEN TOWN HALL ON Thursday 21st July 2005**

Commenced 7.32pm

Concluded 9.13pm

Present: Cllrs Elsmore, Edwards, Garrett & Atkinson Cllr Trainor in attendance.
of BMDC Highways Ward Cllr Mallinson Public (1)

Keith Escritt

Cllr Elsmore in the Chair

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.- Cllrs Philips, Walton, Bottomley, Coward, Naylor and Savage
2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST- None
3. Highways Dept - BMDC. Mr Escritt gave the council an over view of how the highway department works and what rules and procedures have to be adhered to. The council were told of the two proposals, which are currently going through for traffic calming in Silsden. (1) Elliot Street looking at traffic calming measures and in negotiations with the fire services at the moment, also looking to define a crossing area, which will be used by those approaching the school. (2) Bolton Road looking to place permanent vehicle activation sign. Cllrs requested the following information:
Sight of the comparison of the traffic flow through the Town prior to the opening of the Bingley Bypass and now. (Cllr Edwards).
Bell Sq Mini roundabout (Cllr Atkinson).
Upgrade of crossing to Pelican (Cllr Atkinson)
7 ½ Tonne weight limit
Look at the safety aspect of Skipton Rd / Woodside Road junction
Destination survey for the HGV's
4. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING –will be deferred until the next meeting.
5. MATTERS ARISING from 4 - None.
6. SILSDEN METHODIST CHURCH – A presentation was given by members of the church committees to keep the councillors informed of their planning proposals. Council not able to comment at this stage but have invited the church back when more councillors are present and after they have presented their ideas to their own church. RE scheduled meeting for 15/9/05
7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS-

05/03861/ful	11 Millfields	porch to front
05/04529/ful	Ghyll grange house, Brunthwaite lane	porch & bedroom
05/04560/pn	Moorgate Fm, Green Ln	GP agricultural building
05/04732/ful	Haygill Fm, Bank Ln	Conversion & extension
05/04960/pn	Haygill Fm, Bank Ln	GP agricultural building

No objections were raised on the above
All list of consents and refusals were read out.
8. OTHER PLANNING MATTERS –
STC have asked Mr G Arrowsmith to look at the UDP response on our behalf.
Moorcroft can trade 4 days per year without need for COU – noted 4 days this May
9. RED TELEPHONE KIOSK – Proposal by Cllr Atkinson that we apply for listed building status, seconded by Cllr Elsmore resolved to do by majority vote. Clerk to deal
10. PUBLIC ADJOURNMENT-None.
11. ANY OTHER MATTERS – Clerk to try and find out if the co-op have any opening hours restrictions placed when planning consent was passed. Also to ask whether planning permission has been granted a new house near High Cross Moor Farm.

Confirmed Date Of Next meeting to be 15th September 2005 at 7.30pm

BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIR CLOSED THE MEETING AT 9.13pm

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Chair 15.9.05