MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SILSDEN TOWN COUNCIL'S PLANNING COMMITTEE HELD ON THURSDAY THE *20th November 2008*

Commenced: 7.30pm Concluded:8.45pm

Present: Cllrs Edwards, Trainor, Brown, Elsmore, Walton & Naylor. Public [1]

Cllr Edwards in the Chair

1. Apologies for absence were received from Cllrs Bottomley & Coward.
2. No declaration of interest on items on the agenda.
3. No public adjournment requested.
4. Minutes of the last meeting 16/10/08 were signed as true.
5. Comments on applications:
   08/06616/PNT Drabble Hse Fm, Hawber Ln 15metre column, antenna, dishes.
   Objections were raised on the following grounds:
   - Proximity to a footpath clearly marked on the definitive plan. Site approx 3 meters from this path which was not recognised in the planning application as stated in report 1.3.
   - Visual amenity the height of the structure makes it visible from many areas in Silsden as it will be at least 5 meters higher than any of the mature tree lines.
   - Perception of fear as been highlighted to this council as residents are concerned about the unknown dangers from the radiation output.

   Council also noted a letter of objection to this application received from members of the public.
   List of BMDC decisions was read out.
6. Confirm date of the next meeting to be January 22nd 2009.

Being no further comments the chair closed the meeting at 8.45pm

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Chair
22/01/09