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Minutes of a MEETING of DATCHET PARISH COUNCIL LAND AT MILL PLACE COMMITTEE (LAMP) held in DATCHET PARISH COUNCIL OFFICE, 1 ALLEN WAY, DATCHET on FRIDAY 07TH FEBRUARY 2025, at 3.30pm

Present: 4 Members - Cllr I. Thompson (Chair) Cllr E. Larcombe, Cllr C. Wise, Cllr D. Sanders

In attendance: Mrs S. Masikito (Clerk)

Public: There were 0 members of the public present

- LC24/19 APOLOGIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Clir D. Buckley
- LC24/20 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME None
- LC24/21 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS
 None

LC24/22 MINUTES (paper)

To agree that the minutes of the LAMP Committee meeting held on **17th January 2025** be signed by the Chairman as a true record.

<u>RESOLVED</u>: The minutes of the LAMP committee meeting held on 17th Jan 2025 were approved as an accurate record and were signed by the Chairman. **UNANIMOUSLY AGREED**

LC24/23 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC – PART II

Motion to exclude the Public and Press, in accordance with the public bodies (Admission to meetings) Act 1960, the public and press will be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item (s) due to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted. No Public Present

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LC24/24 COURT HEARING REVIEW

- Discuss the outcome of the recent court hearing. The committee discussed the court hearing held on 27.01.2025. The hearing was adjourned to allow the defendant to submit a Defence. DPC will have the opportunity to respond to the Defence within 14 days of its submission.
- Review Cllr D Buckleys Statement. The statement was reviewed and discussed.
- Review key findings, decisions, and any legal implications for the council. The barrister did an excellent job; the defendant is now unable to apply to the Land Registry to register the land in their name.
- Consider any necessary follow-up actions or next steps.
 ACTION: Clerk to ask the solicitor to confirm if DPC can continue working with the Same barrister.

LC24/25 PROPOSAL

- Discuss and consider the proposal put forward by Cllr I. Thompson.
- Evaluate the potential impact and feasibility of the proposal.
- Determine the next steps and any required actions. Proposal discussed, to be forwarded solicitor.
 ACTION: Clerk to forward the proposal to the solicitor for review and guidance. Defence from Defendant has been received on Monday 03.02.2025
 ACTION: Clerk to speak to Solicitor to see how long we have to respond to reply.
 ACTION: Cllr Thompon to provide a statement.
 ACTION: Cllr Larcombe to provide statement in response to defence.
 ACTION: Clerk to review to defence and submit information to solicitor.

LC24/26 DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING ACTION: To be convened when required.

Meeting closed at 4.45pm

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Chairmans Signature

Date: _____