

Member Information Service

Decision Made By an Individual Cabinet Member

None.

Committee Meetings

Please note that all meetings start at 7.00 pm in the Council Chamber, unless otherwise stated.

- 30th May – Cabinet Grants Panel @ 4.00 p.m.
- 3rd June – Cabinet @ 4.00 p.m.
- 4th June – Scrutiny Committee for Planning and Economic Development.
- 12th June – Scrutiny Committee for Leisure and Community.
- 18th June – Liquor Licensing Hearing @ 10.00 a.m.
- 18th June – Standards Committee.
- 19th June – Council.
- 25th June – Audit Committee.
- 26th June – Licensing Committee.

PLANNING COMMITTEES

- North East Area Planning Committee – 23rd May.
- South West Area Planning Committee – 30th May.
- District Planning Committee - 13th June @ 2.00 p.m.
- North East Area Planning Committee – 20th June.
- South West Area Planning Committee - 27th June.

Agenda Items

South West Area Planning Committee – 28th May 2013

N.B. Please note that Members can click on the link shown under the application to view all the documents relating to this matter.

PART I - RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

12/03685/COND Paddocks, Keymer Road, Burgess Hill, West Sussex, RH15 0BA
<http://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=MCCOTCKT0A500>

13/01218/FUL 6 Janes Lane, Burgess Hill, West Sussex, RH15 0QR
<http://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=MLAGF9KT0B400>

13/01249/FUL 4 Fry Crescent, Burgess Hill, West Sussex, RH15 8TP
<http://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=MLCQ53KT0B400>

PART II - RECOMMENDED FOR REFUSAL

13/00801/FUL Hurstpierpoint Tennis Club, South Avenue, Hurstpierpoint, West Sussex,
<http://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=MJ8X3AKT0B400>

PART III – OTHER MATTERS

EF/08/0355 Slaugham Garden Nursery, Staplefield Road, Slaugham.

11/03273/SEC52 All England Jumping Course, London Road, Hickstead
<http://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=LT063JKT0A500>

Cabinet Grants Panel – 30th May 2013

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To confirm the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on 27th February 2013.

To receive representations from Members of the Council on any application before the Panel.

Corporate Grant Schemes.

Member Training

Please note the timetable for Member Development for 2013/14. Details for individual sessions will follow.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING CHANGES TO THE TIMETABLE:-

The Planning and CIL Update on 21st May 2013 was cancelled. These sessions have been rescheduled and the details are below:

Date and Time	Training Event
4th June 2013 @ 6:00pm	CIL Update
11th June 2013 @ 6:30pm	Planning and Members Code of Conduct
9th July 2013 @ 6:30pm	Scrutiny Process and Skills and Procedure Rules
1st October 2013 @ 6:30pm	Licensing
26th November 2013 @ 6:30pm	Local Government Finance
4th February 2014 @ 6:30pm	Anti Social Behaviour: New Powers and Tools

The CIL (Community Infrastructure Levy) Update is a refresher session, covering the basis for a Levy and an update on the most recent advice in advance of formal consideration of a proposed submission Charging Schedule at the Scrutiny Committee for Planning and Economic Development on 4th June 2013.

For further details on any of the above training sessions please contact Emma Balmforth on 01444 477225 or e-mail emma.balmforth@midsussex.gov.uk.

Information and News

BETTER CONNECTED –A WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL PROJECT.

You may be aware that West Sussex County Council has been leading a project to help improve rural broadband connections and speeds across the county,

Tom Crowley, CEO of Horsham District Council, has been heading the governing Programme Board for the project. Press releases have been sent to all local newspapers, so residents may see these published next week.

The Better Connected West Sussex Broadband project will provide broadband and infrastructure to over 44,000 premises with superfast speeds of at least 24Mbps by the start of Spring 2016. A contract with BT has now been signed. This will be rolled out within the next three years to around 98% of homes and businesses in West Sussex.

Aims

The increased broadband speeds will mean that local businesses will be better connected, allowing them to be run from home or from more rural areas. This should increase revenue and business opportunities in the County. Users will be able to use multiple bandwidth-hungry applications at the same time, to send and receive large amounts of data more quickly and efficiently, and to ensure computer back up, storage and processing is faster. Individuals will be able to share pictures and videos and enjoy the growing boom in entertainment services available on-line.

Funding

BT is contributing £7.6m towards the overall cost of deployment in “non-commercial” areas while West Sussex County Council is contributing £6.26m, with £6.26m coming from the Government’s Broadband Delivery UK (BDUK) funds.

Rollout

It is inevitable some areas will be able to connect to better, faster broadband before others. The Council will be working closely with BT to take into account many factors including local geography and demographics, planning requirements and engineering issues, to ensure a smooth installation of the technology. All premises within West Sussex to receive a minimum of 2Mbps but with a vast majority achieving speeds well in excess of this.

The West Sussex Better Connected project will not physically connect users to broadband but will provide the infrastructure through which residents and businesses can contract with suppliers to buy broadband services, in the usual way.

If you have any questions, please email them to broadband@westsussex.gov.uk or contact Cathy Weston, Broadband project manager, on 033 022 22121.

News Releases

For further information on or copies of the press releases listed below, please contact the Press Office on 01444 477387 or use the following link:

<http://www.midsussex.gov.uk/8485.htm>

MSDC Member Information Service – 22nd May 2013

PR 1707 - Residents select new adventure playground.