



BUCKINGHAM TOWN COUNCIL

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Town Clerk: Mr P. Hodson

Wednesday, 23 October 2019
Councillor,

You are summoned to an Interim meeting of Buckingham Town Council to be held on **Monday 28th October 2019 at 7pm** in the Council Chamber, Cornwalls Meadow, Buckingham.

Mr P Hodson
Town Clerk

Please note that the Full Council will be preceded by a Public Session in accordance with Standing Order 3.f, which will last for a maximum of 15 minutes.

AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**
Members are asked to receive apologies from members.
2. **Declarations of Interest**
To receive declarations of any personal or prejudicial interest under consideration on this agenda in accordance with the Localism Act 2011 Sections 26-34 & Schedule 4.
3. **Planning Appeal 19/00061/NONDET - Nash Park** **Appendix A**
Members to discuss and consider a response.
4. **Motion – Cllr. Harvey**
To discuss whether and what action the Town Council should take in the light of the events surrounding the tragic death of Harry Dunn outside RAF Croughton a few weeks ago including such possibilities as:
 - 1) writing a letter of sincere condolences to the young man's family and copying in the parish councils of Croughton and Charlton (where he lived)
 - 2) writing to the USAF Base Commander at RAF Croughton to express our great disappointment that the driver suspected of being involved in the incident has used diplomatic immunity to retreat to the USA
 - 3) request that our Town Mayor declines any further invitations to RAF Croughton until this matter has been justly resolved (as attendance might be seen by residents of Buckingham as in some way sanctioning or overlooking what has happened)
 - 4) writing to neighbouring town councils (including Brackley, Bicester, Banbury and Towcester) to explain our actions to them.



Twinned with Mouvaux, France

Members are reminded when making decisions that the Public Sector Equality Duty 2010 requires Members to have due regard to the need to: Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct that is prohibited by the Act, advance equality of opportunity between people who share a characteristic and those who don't, and to foster good relations between people who share a characteristic and those who don't.

All Committee documents can be found on the Buckingham Town Council's website. Alternatively, the Clerk send you a copy of any minutes, reports or other information. To do this, send a request using the contact details set out above.

5. **Motion – Cllr. Stuchbury (referred from Planning Committee min 395.1/19)**

““The Buckingham Vision & Design Statement will reach its 20th anniversary in 2021 and in recognition of this I am proposing the following:

- That Buckingham Town Council, in conjunction with the Buckingham Society, reviews the V&D Statement in line with current planning guidance as part of the preparation of the revised Buckingham Neighbourhood Plan.
- That Buckingham Town Council seeks confirmation of the Buckinghamshire Council's intent to adopt the Buckingham V&D Statement as a Design Guide, replacing the current AVDC SPG.

That Buckingham Town Council, in conjunction with the Buckingham Society and other interested parties, hold a celebration event marking 20 years of the Buckingham Design Guide. “

6. **Motion - Cllr. Cole (Recommendation from Planning Committee 7/10/19 Min 399/19)**

Cllr. Cole **RECOMMENDED** that a motion be taken to the next available meeting of **FULL COUNCIL**, with regard to writing to the Planning Authority over Cllr. McPherson's comments about the planning office at a recent LAF meeting, the motion should include the delays over the new cemetery.

7. **Twinning Association**

To receive and note correspondence between The Town Mayor and Neukirchen-Vluyn's Twinning Association

Appendix B

8. **Chairman's Announcements**

9. **Date of next Meetings:**

Full Council

Monday 18th November 2019

Interim Council

Monday 16th December 2019

To: All Councillors

AYLESBURY VALE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Planning

Please ask for: Appeals Officer
Direct Line: 01296 585679
Switchboard: 01296 585858
Text Relay: prefix telephone number with 18001
Email: AVDCappeals@aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk
Our Ref: Appeal: 19/00061/NONDET Case: 18/01455/APP
Pl. Ref:



27 September 2019

Nash Parish Council

Dear Sir/Madam,

TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 APPEAL UNDER SECTION 78

Site Address: Nash Park Nash Road Great Horwood Buckinghamshire
Proposal: Change of use of land to 13 Gypsy / Traveller pitches with associated works including, 13 no. mobile homes, 13 no. touring caravans, 13 no. day rooms, and 13 no. cesspits
Appeal by: Mr T Reilly
Application Ref: 18/01455/APP **Appeal Ref:** 19/00061/NONDET
Planning Inspectorate Ref:

I am writing to notify you that an appeal has been lodged with the Secretary of State against the Council's decision in respect of the above site.

The **start date** for this appeal is 26 September 2019.

The appeal will be determined on the basis of a hearing to be conducted by an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State. The procedure to be followed is set out in The Town and Country Planning (Hearings Procedure) (England) Rules 2000, as amended. You can view documents relating to the Appeal at <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/search-planning-licensing-applications>. This will include the Council's Statement of Case which will be available to view online 5 weeks after the start date.

If you made any comments on the planning application, a copy will be forwarded to the Planning Inspectorate.

If you wish to add any further comments, please send 3 copies to the Planning Inspectorate **within five weeks** of the **appeal start date**, quoting the Planning Inspectorate reference number (above). You can do so online at: <https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk>. If you do not have access to the internet, you can send your comments to: The Planning Inspectorate, 3 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN.

Any comments made will be forwarded to all parties involved in the appeal. **Please do not send your comments to us.**

When made, the decision will be published online at <https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk>

Yours faithfully,

Appeals Officer
PCCON5

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16.10.2019

Mayor Mark Cole,
Buckingham Town Council
The Buckingham Centre
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Dear Mark,

It is with great pleasure and genuine happiness that I can share the following news with you.

As of last Wednesdays, October 9, 2019, the town council of Neukirchen-Vluyn unanimously voted in favour of an official town twinning with Buckingham. The successful and fruitful official friendship that has existed since 2012 between our two towns and which I have experienced on various occasions in your beautiful town as well as in ours, and that has in recent years, already taken on all the characteristics of a full town twinning can now be officially carried on under that name. This comes after Buckingham Town Council already kindly decided some weeks ago to carry the friendship onto this higher level, a decision that has made us very happy here.

I would be very pleased and honoured to welcome you, dear Mark, and a small delegation from the Buckingham Twinning Association for the official signing of the Twinning Treaty here Neukirchen-Vluyn. The exact dates will yet have to be decided upon in accordance with both ours, and our twinning associations schedules, but I would suggest early in 2020.

I have been told that both our twinning committees are already working on the wording of the treaty and present their proposal to us. It will be very much in the lines of your Twinning Treaty with our common twin town of Mouvaux.

As for today, I am happy to be able to transmit this news to you and am quite certain you will be glad to read it. I am looking forward to hearing from you and to hopefully seeing you soon in Neukirchen-Vluyn,

Sincerely yours,

Harald Lenßen



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Dear Harald,

I am delighted that Neukirchen-Vluyn council has agreed to a town twinning with Buckingham. It is something which our respective Twinning Associations have worked hard to achieve, and I am particularly pleased that this will make it a tripartite agreement involving Mouvaux too.

I would be honoured to come to Neukirchen-Vluyn to sign the agreement early in 2020, preferably before May, as we have local elections, and councillors (and the Mayor) may change! Perhaps we can leave that arrangement with our twinning associations.

We all enjoyed very much meeting you and your colleagues in August, and we saw Christian here again two weeks ago when he was visiting Paul.

Whatever happens with Brexit, this twinning is a positive move to ensure that our relationships with our Europe friends continue far into the future.

Yours sincerely,

Cllr. Mark Cole JP
Town Mayor



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