# **Upper Saxondale Parish Council Minutes**

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Monday 20th November 2023 Upper Saxondale Village Hall 7.00pm

#### **Present**

### **Cllr Storey Chair**

Cllr G Moore (taking minutes) Cllr K Kupfer Cllr C Ridge

Also present Cllr D Soloman (Rushcliffe Borough Council) and 13 members of the public

- 80. Apologies for Absence. Iris Morgan...accepted
- 81. Declarations of Interest. None
- **82.** Chairman's Announcements. Cllr Storey introduced the meeting and explained the limitations under which we can object to the planning decision of the 9<sup>th</sup> November
- 83. Open Session for Members of the Public to Raise Relevant Matters. Members of the public and Cllr D Soloman raised the following:
  - Thanks were given to DS and IS for speaking at the BC planning meeting
  - Question whether the PC could have engaged with DWH beforehand
  - Whatever we do will not change the result as there is no appeal, only judicial review
  - Suggested that RBC Code of Conduct not followed, possible indirect bias
  - Highways assessment was poorly done
  - Suggested registering the complaint with RBC
  - Planning meeting was not steered well
  - Benefit to the local community not discussed at meeting
  - Key issues on material planning not discussed at meeting
  - Development plan policies were not mentioned at meeting
  - Travel plan was backtracked on at meeting
  - Sustainable transport not dealt with at meeting
  - Time wasted at meeting on discussion concerning overnight stays which were not in the application and should not have been allowed to be discussed
  - Time to have an open conversation with the scouts and move forward
- **84.** Discussion took on place to agree to make representations to RBC following the planning meeting of 9<sup>th</sup> November and a proposition was put forward and seconded

# **PROPOSITION**

To agree to make representations to RBC following the planning committee meeting on 9 November, and to respond to local residents accordingly Vote...All in favour PASSED

85. Discussion took place to agree to communicate to DWH concerns about the use and maintenance of the church and a proposition was put forward and seconded

## **PROPOSITION**

To agree to communicate to DWH concerns about the use and maintenance of the church.

Vote ;2 in favour 2 against with Chair's casting vote in favour PASSED

Meeting closed at 19.46