

Sourton Parish Council

Minutes of a Planning Meeting held at 7.30pm on Monday 22nd October 2018 at Sourton Hall

Members Present: Cllrs S. Daniel, P. Deacon, A.Horn and G. Jury

Also Present: 3 members of the public and M. Leonard (Clerk)

1 Welcome by the Chair

In the absence of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, it was proposed by Cllr Jury, seconded by Cllr Daniel, that Cllr Horn take the Chair for this meeting. All agreed.

2 Members of the Public

The following matters re Item 5 were raised:

- Concern from a neighbour that foul sewage run-off will go down into a stream.
- Assurance from the applicant that only clean water will run off the field, mainly water syphoning out from an old well

3 Declaration of Interests in items on the agenda.

None

4 Apologies

Apologies were accepted from Cllrs Hockridge, Spry and Eberle

5 Planning Application WDBC 3062/18/FUL. Erection of water pump and filtration shed, Bowerland Barns.

In answer to questions from councillors, the applicant replied that the barns are not occupied as they are still being renovated. The borehole, which is approx 120' deep, has been dug. It will not be situated in the proposed shed. While the property does have a mains water connection it is over a very long run, has had a leak and is not financially practical. The water will be for exclusive use for the two barn conversions. Clean water run-off will be onto land. Foul water will run into the sewage system at the back of the barns.

It was proposed by Cllr Deacon that the application be supported, with the condition that the use remains exclusively for the barns. All agreed.

6 The date of the next ordinary meeting was confirmed as 5th November.

The Chairman closed the meeting at 7.50pm