

A meeting of the
Development & Environment Committee
will take place on **Monday next, 9th February 2009**,
commencing at **9.00 p.m.** in the Council Chamber.

AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence:** To receive apologies for absence.
2. **Declarations of Interest:** Members to Declare Interests in any items on the Agenda.
3. **Minutes:** of the meeting held on 27th November 2008, copies of which have been previously circulated to all Members.
4. **Public Questions:** If any.
5. **Planning Applications:** A list of Planning Applications previously considered by the Council and showing District Council's decision/current situation is enclosed for Members information. (Encl. 1).
6. **Bus Services:** Do Members have any bus service issues they wish to be raised with the Transport Authority or Bus Companies?
7. **Highway Matters:** a) Do Members have any Highway matters they wish to be raised with the Highway Authority?

b) **Market Square and Sun Street;** As a result of the continuing discussion regarding the status of the Market Square and Sun Street, Trevor Baker (ECC Highways) has forwarded a copy of the Order converting that part of the highway into footpaths or bridleways. A copy is enclosed for Members information which clearly shows that the area from the junction of Sun Street with Quaker Lane to the junction of Market Square with Leverton Way was converted into Footpaths or Bridleways. There are permitted vehicle uses which are listed including delivery or collection of goods and merchandise to or from shop premises fronting Market Square hatched black on the plan (the turning circle) and for the delivery and collection of equipment or goods and merchandise by market traders on market days. I believe this definition confirms that police action can be taken against cyclists when necessary. (Encl. 2).

c) **Honey Lane M25 Junctions;** Following our request ECC Highways have agreed to investigate implementing parking restrictions in the area of Honey Lane between the M25 junctions and a copy of Trevor Baker's letter is enclosed for information. I can add that the Highways Dept is supporting our request to District Council to make this section of Honey Lane a 'non'consent street'. (Encl. 3).

d) **Essex Speed Management Strategy;** This document was recently circulated either by email or in hard copy to all Members for consideration. Do any Members wish to make comment on the Strategy?

8. **Street Cleaning:** Do Members have any street cleaning issues they wish to be raised with the District Council?
9. **Status List:** To be circulated to the meeting.
10. **Any Other Business:** Items which the Chairman may allow for discussion only.

TO: Cllr. A.B. Clark (Chairman)
Cllr. Mrs. S.A. Stavrou (Deputy Chairman)
Cllr. Mrs. P.C. Brooks
Cllr. J.F. Collier
Cllr. Mrs. R. Gadsby
Cllr. S.C. Pryde
Cllr. W.J. Pryor
Cllr. A.P. Watts

All Other Members for information.
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