



Planning Management Committee 23 July 2020

Section 106 Agreements and Delegations to Head of Planning Services - Update Report

Purpose of report

To provide Members of the Planning Management Committee with an update on current Section 106 agreements where a deadline was imposed for completion and on applications where matters relating to the decision were delegated to the Head of Planning Services.

Attachment(s)

Appendix 1: Table itemising current Section 106 (S106) agreements

Appendix 2: Table itemising delegated applications

1.0 Background

- 1.1 At previous meetings of the Development Control Committee held in 2012, it was agreed that a standard item be added to future agendas so that the Head of Planning Services could report on progress with regards to the drafting of S106 agreements in cases where the Committee had previously resolved to grant planning permission.
- 1.2 Such progress reports are subject to the prior finalisation of such an agreement and on the wording of conditions or reasons for refusal in cases where delegated authority had been given at the previous meeting
- 1.3 In those situations where the process of drafting the agreement has taken longer than expected, it may be necessary for the Head of Planning Services to request an extension of time, with reasons for the delay, to enable Officers to continue negotiations accordingly. Appendix 1 indicates where this will be necessary.
- 1.4 The need to secure such extensions has arisen because the drafting process for recent S106 agreements has been completed within a few days of the deadline date.

2.0 Summary Tables

- 2.1 Appendix 1 includes details of current S106 agreements on hand, setting out progress to date and whether additional time may be required. Appendix 2 includes details of applications which had been delegated and sets out progress to date

3.0 Equality and Diversity Implications

- 3.1 There are no equality and diversity implications arising from this report.

4.0 Legal Implications

- 4.1 S106 agreements and Conditions must be legally robust as regards to appropriateness and enforceability.

5.0 Risk Management

- 5.1 These applications were previously considered by the Planning Management Committee, where any associated risks would have been considered.

6.0 Financial Implications

6.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report, however there are restrictions in respect of how and when Section 106 monies can be spent. Whilst these are not specifically detailed within this report, Members should be mindful of this position when reviewing the information appended to this report.

7.0 Privacy Impact Assessment

7.1 There are no privacy implications.

8.0 Constitutional Implications

8.1 There are no Constitutional Implications

9.0 Implications for our Customers

9.1 There are no implications for our customers.

10.0 Corporate Outcomes

10.1 The key corporate outcomes relevant to this report are high quality service delivery, sustainable development and strong communities.

11.0 Recommendation

11.1 Members are requested to:

- a) note the contents of this report;
- b) approve extensions to time limits where necessary with reference to S106 agreements as detailed in Appendix 1; and
- c) note the progress of the delegations to the Head of Planning Services as detailed in Appendix 2.

Legal	Power: Town and Country Planning Act 1990				
	Other considerations:				
Background Papers: None					
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Appendix 1: Current S106 Agreements

Application Ref	Site	Deadline date for completion	Current position	Extension requested?	Reason for extension
10/00857/OUT	Land between Wellingborough Road and Finedon Road Irthlingborough (Irthlingborough West)	31/08/20	Work progressing to establish available options to progress the planning application	No	
18/01648/OUT	Land South East of Ferrers School Higham Ferrers	31/08/20	Legal agreement being circulated between parties for comment / amendment	No	
19/01092/FUL	'Rushden Living' Land West of Rushden Lakes Ditchford Lane Rushden	12/08/20	Legal agreement being circulated between parties for comment / amendment	Yes – 31/08/2020	To allow comment / amendments to continue between parties.
19/01777/FUL	Rushden Memorial Clinic Hayway Rushden	12/08/20	Legal agreement being circulated between parties for comment / amendment	No	
19/01392/OUT	Land off Huntingdon and Market Road Thrapston	23/09/20	Negotiations ongoing between ENC and applicant in relation to healthcare s106 obligation	No	
19/01355/OUT	Land Between St Christophers Drive And A605 Oundle Bypass Oundle Northamptonshire	01/07/2020	Legal agreement being circulated between parties for comment / amendment	Yes – 14/08/2020	A further extension of time has been agreed with the applicant until 14 th August 2020 to allow for the S106 to be agreed and circulated.

Appendix 2: Delegations to Head of Planning Services in Conjunction with Chair/Vice-Chair and Ward Members

Application Ref	Site	Proposal	Delegation detail	Progress
15/00119/VAR	Priors Hall	735 dwellings	Wording of conditions	Unlikely to proceed – a new planning application has been received .
19/01024/OUT	Mike Wells Cars Montague Street Rushden	11 dwellings	Wording of refusal reason in the event that outstanding drainage matter cannot be resolved in agreed timeframe	Negotiations ongoing between ENC, Lead Local Flood Authority and applicant.
19/01092/FUL	'Rushden Living' Land West of Rushden Lakes Ditchford Lane Rushden	Full application for the erection of retail units, restaurant units, office floorspace, physiotherapy / leisure floorspace, ancillary storage floorspace, and an outline application for the erection of employment units. Plus a new link road between Ditchford Road and Rushden Lakes	Consideration of retail matters and construction management condition	Legal agreement being circulated between parties for comment / amendment.
19/01872/FUL	TL01257 90298 Benefield Road Glaphorn Northamptonshire	Change of use from agriculture to equestrian; Erection of stable block and hay barn; Creation of all weather outdoor arena; Temporary equestrian workers dwelling; Access, parking, landscaping and associated works	Wording of conditions	Discussions still ongoing regarding wording of conditions.
20/00148/FUL	Manor Farm, Cotterstock Road, Glaphorn, Northamptonshire	The removal of a modern agricultural building and construction of 1 No. 3 bedroom self-build residential dwelling to enhance the setting of the adjacent Listed Manor House	Wording of conditions	Wording of conditions agreed. Awaiting approval from Chair Vice Chair and Ward Member(s).
19/01238/FUL	OP0061 SP9676 Addington Road Woodford Northamptonshire	Erection of 2 No. Dog kennel buildings; an Exercise/training barn; a Quarantine unit; a Maintenance garage/workshop together with	Wording of refusal reasons	Wording being drafted and will be circulated to Members.

		associated new site access from Addington Road		
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