Kendal Town Council

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Minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on Monday, 17 May 2021 at 6pm via Zoom.

Cllr J Cornthwaite	Present	Cllr M Miles	Present
Cllr P Gibson	Present	Cllr D Rathbone (chair)	Present
Cllr H Ladhams (vice chair)	Present	Cllr C Rowley	Present
Cllr D Miles	Apologies	Cllr G Vincent	Present

In attendance: Town Clerk

P1/21/22 Apologies

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr D Miles.

P2/21/22 Declarations of Interest

None

P3/21/22 Exclusion of Press and Public (Public Bodies Admission to Meetings

Act 1960) No issues.

P4/21/22 Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The Council received the minutes of the meeting held on 4 May 2021.

Resolved: To accept them as a true record.

P5/21/22 Delegation of Powers

The Committee considered the arrangements for ensuring that Planning Applications could be effectively commented upon during the period in which the Council has suspended committee meetings. It was noted that the next few meetings of the Committee would be as a non-statutory Working Group, making recommendations to the Clerk, who would be delegated the power to make the observations on behalf of the Council. The scheme of delegation would require the Clerk to consult the Chair and Vice-chair, who would consult the committee members through the non-statutory Working Group. It was envisaged that this scheme of delegation would be required until at least the first week in July, when the Council is scheduled to hold face-to-face meetings and Coronavirus restrictions are anticipated to be lifted.

Resolved: That the scheme of delegation be adopted for as long as required.

The meeting closed at 18.05.