

**Minutes of Handforth Parish Council Planning and Environment
Committee held on 16th January 2013 7:00 m at the Youth Centre, Old
Road, Handforth.**

Present: Cllrs Barnes, Page, and Thompson.

Also present Mr J Brooks Parish Clerk.

13/04/1 To elect a Chair of the Planning and Environment Committee.

It was

unanimously agreed that Cllr Thompson act as Chairman for this meeting.

13/04/2 To receive apologies for absence.

None.

13/04/3 To note declarations of Members' Interests.

None.

13/04/4 Open Forum

Cllr Pincombe suggested that all members of HPC might benefit from planning training.

13/04/5 To consider a response to planning application reference 13/0071M
20 Plumley Road, Handforth.

Cllr Barnes raised a query about how well this proposed development was advertised, as a resident who lived above the shops had not received a notice from CEC. The Clerk was asked to contact CEC to discover which properties had been informed about the proposed development.

Cllr Thompson **proposed** that the application be approved with reference being made to concerns about loss of privacy/security for immediate neighbours. RO2RD

Resolved: Unanimously.

Chairman.....

13/04/6 To approve the expenditure of up to £150 on planning related text books.
Cllr Thompson **proposed** that expenditure up to £150 be approved to purchase planning related text books.

Resolved: Unanimously.

The Clerk was asked to investigate what planning related training was available to councillors.

13/04/7 To set the date and time of the next Planning and Environment Committee meeting.

The next meeting of the Planning and Environment Committee is to take place on 24th January 2013, 7:00 at the Youth Centre.

The meeting closed at 7:20.

Chairman..... Date.....