

MINUTES of the meeting of the PLANNING COMMITTEE held at Mountfield, Bridport on Monday 22 June 2026 at 6.00pm.

PRESENT Cllr Jonathan Bourbon (in the chair)

Cllrs: Sarah Carney Bev Thornton
 Kelvin Clayton David Worthington
 Anna Killick

ALSO PRESENT: Jo Hughes (Ward Clerk) and Claire Peters-Way (Property Manager).

PUBLIC FORUM

There were no members of the public present.

12. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Ian Bark, Nigel Amor, Paddy Mooney, Anne Rickard and Dave Rickard.

13. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Cllr Anna Killick declared a personal interest in planning applications A2 P/HOU/2026/02697 and A3 P/LBC/2026/02698 on the agenda for 69 South Street, Bridport due to her acquaintance with the applicant. Councillor Killick stated that she would leave the meeting during consideration of the application and would refrain from the discussion or voting.

14. MINUTES

RESOLVED: that the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 1 June 2026 were confirmed as a true and correct record and signed by the Vice Chairman.

Cllr David Worthington arrived at the meeting at 6.02pm.

15. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Having declared an interest in planning applications A2 P/HOU/2026/02697 and A3 P/LBC/2026/02698 for 69 South Street, Councillor Anna Killick left the meeting at 6.13pm and returned at 6.15pm. Cllr Killick took no part in the discussion or voting on these applications.

RESOLVED: that the recommendations set out in column 4 of the attached [Schedule A](#) be forwarded to Dorset Council.

16. PLANNING DECISIONS

The Chair reported for information, the planning decisions received relating to applications previously considered by the Committee, ENCL: 4142.

RESOLVED: that the planning decisions be noted.

17. PUBLIC CONSULTATION - VARIOUS ROADS, BRIDPORT 20mph

On 25th June 2026 Dorset Council plans to commence a formal Public Consultation on the schemes included in the application process to be considered for 20mph speed limits and zones this includes several schemes for Bridport.

RESOLVED: that the update be noted.

18. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF EXISTING CURRENT DOUBLE YELLOW LINES, JESSOPP AVENUE

Consideration was given to a report of the Town Clerk and option 4 of the proposed area, ENCL: 4143.

RESOLVED: that the proposal identified at Appendix 1 be approved.

19. COMMUNICATIONS AND ONGOING ISSUES

Cllr Jonathan Bourbon raised concerns in regard to the lack of progress in relation to the West Allington pinch point. He requested a site visit with the Town Surveyor, Dorset Council Officers and Cllr Sarah Carney to address safety concerns.

The meeting closed at 6.41pm.

The next meeting of the Committee will be held on 20 July 2026

Appendix 1

