

# Ringwood Town Council

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## PLANNING, TOWN & ENVIRONMENT

Dear Member

4 September 2008

A meeting of the above Committee will be held at "Greenways" on **Friday 12 September** at 2.00 pm\* or at the conclusion of the public participation session at 2.10 pm and your attendance is requested.

T R Simpson  
Town Clerk

### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

\*The meeting will be preceded by a public participation period of up to 10 minutes at 2.00pm. If no member of the public wishes to speak to the Council, the meeting will start at 2.00pm.

Members of the public are also entitled to speak during the meeting on individual items on the public agenda in accordance with the Council's public participation scheme.

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### Prior to the meeting, to receive:

1. Apologies for absence
2. Declarations of Interest

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## AGENDA

### 1. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 15 August 2008.

### 2. Planning Applications

To consider applications received for the periods ending 13 August, 20 August, 27 August and 3 September 2008 (*schedule attached*).

### 3. Country Towns Initiative – Southampton Road Environmental Improvements

- i) To receive an update on this initiative;
- ii) To nominate two members to represent the Town Council to assist in progressing the initiative.

### 4. Planning Appeal

To note that Mrs Mitchell has submitted an Appeal against New Forest District Council's decision to refuse Planning Application No 08/92502 for new access at 97 Hightown Road, and consider making representation to the Secretary of State (*Grounds of Appeal attached*).

## 5. Town Access Plan

- i) To receive notes of Introductory Session held on 14 August (*attached*);
- ii) To appoint one member to sit on the Steering Group (note that the first meeting will be held at 9.30am on 1 October 2008).

## 6. South East Plan

To consider the Town Clerk's report on the Secretary of State's proposed changes to the draft Regional Spatial Strategy for the South East (*attached*).

## 7. Hampshire County Freight Strategy

To consider responding to the consultation draft (*summary attached*). It is suggested that members may wish to support the County Council's proposals to achieve the aims and objectives of the draft strategy.

If you would like further information on any of the agenda items, please contact Jo Stannard, Deputy Town Clerk, on (01425) 473883 or email [jo.stannard@ringwood.gov.uk](mailto:jo.stannard@ringwood.gov.uk).

### Committee Members

Cllr N R G Clarke (Chairman)  
Cllr M A Steele (Vice Chairman)  
Cllr J Terry  
Cllr B Woodifield

Cllr N J Chard  
Cllr D R Cole  
Cllr Mrs A Wiseman

### Ex Officio Members

Cllr B H Terry (Mayor)  
Cllr L C Ford (Deputy Mayor)

### Student Advisors

Rachel Giles  
Ashley Finch

Copied to other members for information.