## Minutes of the Special Meeting of Great Lumley Parish Council

Held Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 6.30 pm Great Lumley Community Centre

Present:

Cllr Phil Heaviside (Chairman)
Cllr Alan Bell (Vice Chair)
Cllr Carol McAllister
Cllr Hyleen Wood
Cllr Stuart Wood

Cllr Anne Lambton Cllr Jeremy Whiting Parish Clerk Christine Colledge

In Attendance:

6 members of the public

1. Apologies

Apologies for absence were submitted from Cllr Neil Bains, Cllr Tim Robson and Cllr Hayley McAllister

2. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest

3. Public Comments

A member of the public asked if the PC would consider holding an extraordinary meeting regarding the proposal of the Bellway site. It was raised that Kevan Jones (MP) had informed them that the PC need to act on the public's behalf and the objections for the proposed development. There was a lengthy discussion surrounding the objections which included: access, traffic, safety, narrow paths and the increased population having an affect on the doctors surgery and schools. Cllr Phil Heaviside explained that the PC would input their views before the Planning Committee, this has been said and minuted at previous PC meetings. Cllr Alan Bell said that any development needs to look at public services and for the development to be stopped there needs to be planning policy reasons (this has also been explained at previous meetings). The PC keep a check on all views submitted onto the planning portal. Cllr Hyleen Wood suggested having an item on the agenda for next meeting and to decide if an extraordinary would take place.

## 4. Accounts

4.1 The paperwork for the 2021/2022 Audit was approved by all and signed ready to be submitted.

5. Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on 11th July, 6.30pm at the Community Centre

Signed:

Date: 11.7.22

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