



North Luffenham Parish Council

Minutes of the Planning Committee held at
The Hub, St Mary's and St John's Primary School at 11 am, 24th
January 2018.

Present: Cllr Smith (Chairman), Cllr Burrows, Cllr Inman.

There was one member of the public present.

- 1. Introduction:** Cllr Smith stated that the Parish Council did not grant applications. This was done by Rutland County Council, but was a statutory consultee, and gave an either an opinion of support, objection or neither to the application.
- 2. Apologies:** Cllr Sewell
- 3. Declarations of interest:** none
- 4. Planning Application: 2018/0006/CAT,** Misty Hill, 7A, Digby Drive, North Luffenham, OAKHAM, Rutland, LE15 8JS – **proposal:** Fell 6 No. Pine Trees. Reduce crown of 1 No. Oak Tree by 1m. Remove 3 No. lowest branches of 1 No. Sycamore Tree.
- 5.** Cllr Smith advised that Cllrs Smith, Inman and Burrows had visited the site and that the Planning Proposal had been reviewed. The Planning Officer had been contacted and advised that in view of the number of trees the Forestry Officer of R.C.C. would visit the site.
- 6.** Comments were invited from the member of the public, who was the applicant, and explained the reasons for the application. Written comments from the public, one in support and one against, were viewed. There was discussion about the proposed removal of each tree and the reduction on the other trees
- 7.** The committee agreed to await the report of the Forestry Officer before making a decision. Action: Cllr Smith to contact R.C.C..

The meeting was closed at 11.45 am.