DEREHAM TOWN COUNCIL

28th May 2024

At a meeting for **Plans** at the Memorial Hall on **Tuesday 28th May 2024** at **7.00pm**.

Present: Councillors L Monument (Chairman), S Green, C Coleman, R O'Callaghan, H King and Z Flint

Also Present: Town Clerk T Needham, Deputy Town Clerk J Barron and Town Council Officer K Grant.

1. To receive apologies for absence.

Apologies were received from Councillors H Clarke and P Morton.

2. Declaration of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

1. 3PL/2024/0425/O

Land to the rear of 35 Market Place

Outline planning application for 4 no. dwellings with all matters reserved except for access and layout.

The Council Object to this application. With the following points:

- It is within an area designated for retail development so any residential development could inhibit future retail and regeneration plans that Breckland and DTC would like to promote.
- -There was concerns regarding the pedestrian access it was unclear whether this would be from Georges Way and whether a designated footway would be provided.
- -There was concern that any access via Thompsons Way would be far to narrow?
- -Layout is very cramped and is felt unacceptably dense for a such a location.
- -There was concern that the development will reduce parking for shoppers.
- -It was suggested that the Police Architectural Liaison Officer be consulted on the location and any crime prevention measures needed.

Chairman