

## MORETON SAY PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting of Moreton Say Parish Council held at The Clive Hall, Moreton Say  
on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at 7.30 pm

**Present:** Councillors C Dutton, C Wellon, R Hughes and G Turner and Unitary Councillor P Wynn,  
also present Mrs J Evans (Clerk).

**Apologies:** Councillors H Podmore, P Duffy and P Nuttall

1. **Welcome / Present / Apologises** – Councillors present as listed above.
2. **Declarations of Interest** – None
3. **Public Session** – There were 13 members of the public present including the applicant and his contractor who has installed the biomass combined heat and power system. The members of the public, mostly from the Bletchley area, expressed their objections to this planning application on health, wellbeing and quality of living, as the biomass system was close to the centre of the hamlet of Bletchley, quoting CS6 and also complaining about the smell from the chicken sheds. The applicant explained about his reasons for installing the biomass system, stated that the reports on the system showed it was within current government guidelines and his contractor went on to explain exactly how the system worked.
4. **Planning** – The following re-submitted planning application was discussed :
  - a. **17/02123/FUL** - Application under Section 73a of the Town and Country Planning Act for the erection of a new agricultural building including the installation of a solid biomass combined heat and power (CHP) system - Vantage Farm, Bletchley Road, Bletchley, Market Drayton, Shropshire, TF9 3RZ. This was a re-consultation due to an amendment to the planning application being submitted. After the full discussion during the public session Cllr Wellon proposed that the Parish Council object to this application as the location was contrary to Planning SC6 and also not all the information was available, Cllr Turner seconded this provided that it was stated that the Parish Council were generally supportive of renewable energy initiatives, Cllr Wellon agreed. Cllr Hughes abstained from voting and therefore the proposal was carried.

There being no other business the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 9.00 pm

Approval of the Minutes held on 5<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Minutes accepted and approved by Moreton Say Parish Council at a meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Signed by the Chairman  .....