

**APPEALS AND REVIEWS COMMITTEE  
30TH SEPTEMBER 2019**

PRESENT: The Chair (Councillor Capleton)  
The Vice Chair (Councillor Howe)  
Councillors Charles, K. Harris and Needham

M. Birch (Objector)

Team Leader Natural & Built Environment  
Senior Ecological Officer  
Principal Solicitor (KH)  
Democratic Services Officer (LS) and Democratic  
Services Officer (SW)

APOLOGIES: None

The Chair stated that the meeting would be recorded and the sound recording subsequently made available via the Council's website. He also advised that, under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, other people may film, record, tweet or blog from this meeting, and the use of any such images or sound recordings was not under the Council's control.

5. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 11th September 2019 were received and noted.

6. QUESTIONS UNDER OTHER COMMITTEE PROCEDURES 12.8

No questions had been submitted.

7. DISCLOSURES OF PECUNIARY AND PERSONAL INTERESTS

No disclosures of interest were made.

8. BOROUGH OF CHARNWOOD (LAND AT ASHBY ROAD, LOUGHBOROUGH LE11 3QU) TREE PRESERVATION ORDER 2019

Considered a report of the Head of Strategic Support setting out details of the Tree Preservation Order served on the above site, the objection received to the Order and the comments of the Head of Planning and Regeneration on the issues raised by the objection (item 5 on the agenda filed with these minutes).

Assisting with consideration of the report: Principal Solicitor.

Both the Head of Planning and Regeneration's representatives and the objector attended the meeting to put forward their cases and answer the Committee's questions.

The Committee considered this matter in accordance with the “Procedure for Considering Objections to Tree Preservation Orders” set out in the Council’s Constitution and on the agenda for this meeting.

**RESOLVED** that the Borough of Charnwood (Land at Ashby Road, Loughborough LE11 3QU) Tree Preservation Order 2019 be confirmed.

Reason

Having considered, in accordance with the procedure set out in the Council’s Constitution, the objection to the Order, the Committee considered that the reasons put forward for not protecting the trees did not outweigh the contribution they made to the amenity of the area and that the trees should therefore be protected.

NOTES:

No reference may be made to these minutes at the Council meeting on 4th November 2019 unless notice to that effect is given to the Democratic Services Manager by five members of the Council by noon on the fifth working day following publication of these minutes.