Coleford Town Council

Planning Committee Wednesday 16 September 2020 Continuation of meeting Friday 18 September 2020

Attendees: Clirs Penny, Elsmore, M Cox and S Cox Clir Drury gave his apologies at the previous meeting.

9. To review the meeting with FoDDC planning officers.

Cllr M Cox had produced 4 documents which were circulated before the meeting to aid discussion.

- 1. Notes on FoDDC Housing Strategy 2020- 2024
- 2. FoDDC Housing Strategy 2020 Coleford Response
- 3. A summary of the Planning for the Future White Paper 2020
- 4. A draft of a possible Coleford Town Council response to changes in the current planning system

Cllr M Cox highlighted the salient issues in the documents. It was agreed that this represented the views of the Council

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Copies of both to be sent to NALC and GAPTC.

The transparency and competition document also needs to be discussed.

Cllr M Cox was also delegated to contact Nigel Gibbons for clarification on housing stock aspect and base line calculations (Current Changes).

It was also recommended that a Zoom meeting with Mark Harper be sought to raise the Council's concerns over proposed changes to the planning process generally. Other local councils could be invited.