



STRATFORD ST MARY PARISH COUNCIL

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**Extraordinary Parish Council Meeting held on Thursday
27th of April 2023 at 7.30pm at the Village Institute,
Stratford St Mary**

Draft Minutes

PRESENT:

Cllr R Barrell (RB) – Vice Chairman
Cllr D Robinson (DR)
Cllr G Francis (GF)
Faye Hall – Clerk

IN ATTENDANCE:

8 Members of the Public

01. Present and apologies for absence – Apologies received from Cllr Davies, Cllr Such, Cllr Shead, Cllr Woodard and Cllr Alexander.

02. To accept members' declarations of interest in accordance with the council's Code of Conduct – None.

03. To permit public participation to make statements or ask questions – Members of the Public in attendance have already submitted objection letters to Planning at Babergh District Council. Concerns were raised that the double storey extension plans will block sunlight coming onto neighbouring properties, there will be privacy issues, possible drainage issues and concerns the extension will look out of place.

The applicant was present at the meeting and advised that there have already been 10 x 2 storey extension applications in the Strickmere area therefore the extension proposed would not look out of place. The houses have North faced gardens which are blocking out their own sunlight. The applicant advised that he would take any guidance over drainage from the Planning Department at Babergh.

04. Planning Application DC/23/00786 – Householder Application – Erection of single storey side/rear and two-storey rear extension, 50 Strickmere, Stratford St Mary, CO7 6YG.

The Parish Council were all in agreement that nothing else could be added to the objections already made by Members of the Public and agreed to Abstain from commenting.

Meeting closed at 7.45pm