

BABERGH DISTRICT COUNCIL

URGENT ACTION - NO SPECIFIC POWERS

ACTION FOR WHICH AUTHORISED OFFICER HAS DELEGATED POWERS SUBJECT TO CONSULTATION WITH CHAIRMAN

SERIAL NO.....

SUBJECT MATTER:

Planning Committee site inspection for Frogs Alley Shotley – DC/18/00873.

COMMITTEE TO WHICH MATTER RELATES: Planning Committee

REASON FOR ACTION BEING TAKEN OUT OF MEETING:

To enable the site inspection to take place before the application is considered by the Planning Committee at its meeting on 17 October 2018.

BACKGROUND:

The Delegation Panel met on 19 September to consider a request for Application No DC/18/00873 to be referred to Planning Committee for determination, as a result of which it was concluded that the application was controversial in nature and should be determined at Committee.

This was supported by the Corporate Manager – Growth and Sustainable Planning, who also considered that a site visit would be of value to Members.

The Planning Committee last met on 19 September (prior to the meeting of the Panel) and meets next on 17 October. There is therefore no opportunity to ask the Committee to agree to hold a site visit before the 17 October meeting at which this application is scheduled for consideration.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS (IF ANY):

Site inspections are eligible for the payment of travel expenses to Members of the Committee who attend.

ACTION AUTHORISED:

To hold a site inspection on Wednesday 10 October 2018 in accordance with the Council's normal arrangements and procedures.

DATE ACTION AUTHORISED:

26 September 2018

Details reported to Planning Committee for noting 17 October 2018