



# Battle Town Council

**[RR/2017/677/TN](#) High Views, Hastings Road, Battle TN33 0TG**

Installation of 2 X wooden telephone poles, 8.2 meters in height

**Comments:** No objection.

**[RR/2017/725/T](#) 4a-6 Old Tower Walk, Darvel Down, Battle**

Reduce all by 20%, remove dead wood and raise/lift to 2.5m

**Comments:** Strong objection to any further removal of tree branches and canopies.

**[RR/2017/746/P](#) 11 St Marys Villas, Battle TN33 0BY**

Entrance porch and hip to gable conversion including side gable window

**Comments:** No objection.

**[RR/2017/748/P](#) 7 Wellington Gardens, Battle TN33 0HD**

Porch to front of property

**Comments:** No objection.

**[RR/2017/755/P](#) 9 Glengorse, Battle TN33 0TX**

Two storey rear extension. Wood-burning stove and flue.

**Comments:** No objection.

**RR/2017/804/P Battle & Langton School, Market Road, Battle**

Replacement of timber fencing with powder coated steel security fencing at 2.4 metres high.

**Comments:** No objection.

## 6. Neighbourhood Plan

Cllr Jessop reported that the initial consultation period will commence at the Parish Assembly on 27 April with the presentation remaining at the Memorial Halls for 28 and 29 April. Members were advised that only those sites with approximate property numbers will be on display and comments will be sought on which are felt to be more appropriate for Battle. It was noted that generally residents are interested in smaller sites and the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group(NPSG) are confident that the Plan will be well received. As reported at the Full Council meeting, there will a courtesy bus provided for residents at Netherfield and Telham to attend the presentation.

The information will be collated and development sites identified. This will then be available for formal consultation at the Memorial Halls and possibly at Netherfield; there has been difficulty in identifying a suitable location at Telham. The aim is to find 530-555 dwellings: this will include the indicative 55 already in receipt of outline permission at Lily Bank, the 250 at Blackfriars and windfall sites eg 2 at London Road. In response to concern at parking issues for the additional number of vehicles, Cllr Jessop reported that the HPSG have indicated that every property should have a minimum of 2 parking spaces.

Following Cllr Boryer's resignation from the NPSG there is a vacancy that may be filled by a Town Councillor. A volunteer is encouraged to join this Group.

Cllr Jessop reported that a forum of parishes has been formed to encourage RDC not to go against emerging and developing Neighbourhood Plans. He advised that at next week's Rother Association of Local Councils meeting there is a proposal to support Sedlescombe Parish Council if they go to Judicial Review.

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## **7. Items for discussion at the next SLR meeting**

- Arran Telham Lane potholes;
- relining review – to include NTR 2 parking bays;
- poor quality of repairs at north of railway crossing on London Road;
- blocked drains at junction of Telham Lane/Hastings Road.

Any further suggestions should be submitted to the Clerk.

## **8. Matters for information / future agenda items**

The Clerk was asked to write to RDC:

- potholes in upper Market Road car park which are a hazard to those walking through from the coach parking area;
- if they have any knowledge of the containers on land in Hastings Road opposite numbers 128/124.

## **9. Date of next meeting: Wednesday 19 April 2017**

There being no further business the meeting closed 8.07pm.

**Clr R Jessop  
Chairman**