Minutes of Whaddon Planning Committee meeting held on 13th May 2019 at 7.45pm in Whaddon Village Hall, Church Street, Whaddon, Cambridgeshire, SG8 5RY.

Present: Chair Cllr A Milton
Councillors Cllr L Ginger, Cllr R Scott
Clerk A Bridges
Members of the Public Two

1. Apologies for absence – Cllr Elbourn

2. Disclosure of interests – receipt of Disclosures of Interest from Cllrs for items on the agenda – None

3. Approval and signing of minutes from the Planning Committee meeting of the 11th February and 8th April 2018 – Resolved: the minutes were both signed.

4. Planning Application – Ref: S/1156/19/VC - Variations of conditions 7 (Erection of Marquee limitations) and Condition 8 (Limits of 52 events per year on site) of planning permission. Minstrel Court, Ermine Street, Whaddon, SG8 0AB.
   4.1 Comments from the public – The applications explained that the restrictions on the number of events were placed ten years ago, when they first started their business. They now feel that this should be updated in accordance to other wedding and event venues nearby. They also explained that the marquee took three days to put up and down each time it was needed and they wanted to be able to keep this permanently up.
   4.2 Consideration of application and agreement of Parish Council recommendation and comments – the planning application was discussed and the permanent marquee application was supported. The Planning Committee also felt that the number of events permitted could increase and this level would be set by SCDC. Resolved: the PC support the application.
   4.3 Agreement of whether the Parish Council wishes to request a referral to SCDCs Planning Committee. the PC did not wish to request referral to SCDC’s Planning Committee. Action: the Clerk to inform SCDC of the PC’s recommendations.

5. Items for the next meeting – noting of requests for agenda items: none requested.
   The meeting closed at 8p.m.