BLITHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL Minutes of the Planning Applications Meeting dated 31 July 2020

Present: Mr P Atkins (Chairman), Mr S Hulme (Vice Chairman), Mr A Vernon, Mrs P Massey, Mr K Massey, Mrs D Clarke (Clerk) and from the Parish Mr T Molineux, Mr N Brown, Mrs K Brown, Mr S Craig

Planning Applications

P/2020/00588 Felling of 1 Goat Willow tree, crown lifting by up to 3 metres of 1 Lime tree and crown lifting by up to 3 metres and crown thinning by 20% of 1 Oak tree, The Old Rectory, Fauls House, Blithfield Church Road, Admaston – no objection from ESBC 20 July 2020

P/2020/00621 Erection of 2 detached holiday lodges, installation of septic tank and formation of new vehicular access, Land at Lea Road, Lea Heath, Rugeley A discussion took place between the Parish Councillors and local residents who attended the meeting. Objections were raised which included noise levels, security, viability of a septic tank, access to the working farm adjacent to the proposed site. Most concerns were about the access off and on the road which is an increasingly busy country road used by faster and larger agricultural vehicles, commuters, white vans and residents. It is understood that a previous application was refused on grounds of road safety and this is still the case as the road is even busier.

P/2020/00741 Erection of agricultural building, Manor Farm, Newton – no objection from Blithfield Parish Council.

With there being no further business the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 7.30 p.m.

Signed

Date