

Key Decision Required:		In the Forward Plan:	
Management Team			
Cabinet Informal Formal		Council	

LEISURE & TOURISM PORTFOLIO HOLDER
August 2020

REPORT OF CORPORATE DIRECTOR – OPERATIONAL SERVICES

A.1 PROPOSED NAMING AND NUMBERING

(Report prepared by Nina Underwood)

PART 1 – KEY INFORMATION

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

To seek authority to proceed with the formal naming of the road currently under construction on Land South of Bromley Rd, Ardleigh, Colchester, Essex.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

A new development of 145 properties and 9 new roads has commenced on the site at the above location. The layout of this development is shown on the drawing attached as an Appendix to this report.

RECOMMENDATION(S)

(a) That the new roads shown on the site plan attached as an Appendix to this report are named:- “Redmason Road”, “Carder Close”, “Hawker Place”, “Pipistrelle Place”, “Beehive Way”, “Cedarcup Close”, “Harlequin Way”, “Meadows Close” and “Brook Marsh Place”.

(b)
Reason:- The Parish Councillors and Village Archivist would like to focus on the flora and fauna found in the vicinity of the site, with particular emphasis on bees, given the close proximity to the former Beehive Public House – the names suggested come from details of the wildlife according to the ecology survey and published information about salary brook nature reserve.

That all interested parties be advised of the names allocated to the new roads.

PART 2 – IMPLICATIONS OF THE DECISION

DELIVERING PRIORITIES

It is believed that the development of this site will have a significant impact on the re-generation of the area.

FINANCE, OTHER RESOURCES AND RISK

Finance and other resources

There are no financial implications as all costs are borne by the developer.

Risk

There are no risk implications, however, failure to allocate road names and postal address to the new properties will lead to significant difficulties for the owners of the properties accessing goods & services and mail deliveries.

LEGAL

The Council is empowered under Section 64 of the Town Improvement Clauses Act 1847

to name a street which is not already named. However, if the Council objects to the proposed names, the person proposing the name may appeal against the objection to a Petty Sessional Court, under Section 17 of the Public Health Act 1925.

OTHER IMPLICATIONS

Consideration has been given to the implications of the proposed decision in respect of the following and any significant issues are set out below.

Crime and Disorder / Equality and Diversity / Health Inequalities / Area or Ward affected / Consultation/Public Engagement.

Crime and Disorder Act 1998 – Consideration has been given to the Crime and Disorder Act 1998. The issues raised in this report have no relevant implications.

Equality & Diversity – There are no quality and diversity issues relevant to this report.

Ward/s Affected – Ardleigh & Lt Bromley Ward.

PART 3 – SUPPORTING INFORMATION

BACKGROUND

Following consultations, there have been no dissenting views to the request to name the roads as above.

CURRENT POSITION

The decision to name these roads is needed to enable official addresses to be issued to the new dwellings.

FURTHER HEADINGS RELEVANT TO THE REPORT

N/A

BACKGROUND PAPERS FOR THE DECISION

Email from:

Developer Bellway Homes Ltd

Dated 08/06/20 enclosing initial application.

Email to:

Developer

Dated 08/06/20 acknowledging application and requesting further information.

Email from:

Developer 15/06/20 enclosing additional information.

Invoice sent to: Applicant in respect of naming & numbering fees 15/06/20. Inv. Paid 02/07/20.

Initial Email to:

Councillors and Parish Clerk asking for road naming suggestions. Dated 13/07/20.

Email from:

Parish Clerk enclosing suggested road names and reasons. Dated 27/07/20. Copy forwarded to developer 27/07/20. All in agreement with suggestions.

Official Consultation Letters sent on 28/07/20 to:-

Royal Mail Address Development

Cllr. N. Stock

Parish Clerk, Ardleigh Parish Council

Land Charges (ECC Highways)

Clacton Fire Station

Essex Ambulance Station

Essex County Fire & Rescue Services

Water Supplies Officer – Essex County Fire & Rescue Services

Clacton Police Station

APPENDICES

A.1 Appendix - Site Drawing No. 8930-50
