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MINUTE of MEETING of the WEST LOTHIAN COUNCIL (PLANNING) of WEST LOTHIAN COUNCIL held within COUNCIL CHAMBERS, WEST LOTHIAN CIVIC CENTRE, on 4 MAY 2016.

<u>Present</u> – Councillors Tom Kerr (Chair), Alexander Davidson, Stuart Borrowman, Tony Boyle, Harry Cartmill, Tom Conn, Jim Dixon, David Dodds, Lawrence Fitzpatrick, Dave King, John McGinty, Anne McMillan, Andrew Miller, Cathy Muldoon, George Paul, David Tait and Jim Walker

<u>Apologies</u> – Councillors Peter Johnston, Danny Logue, Greg McCarra, Angela Moohan and Frank Toner

<u>Absent</u> – Councillors Frank Anderson, William Boyle, Diane Calder, Janet Campbell, Robert De Bold, Jim Dickson, Mary Dickson, Carl John, John Muir and Barry Robertson

## 1. <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</u>

- Application No.0918/P/15 Councillor L Fitzpatrick declared a non-financial interest in that he was a council appointed member of West of Scotland Archaeology Service, who were a statutory consultee and an ex-efficio member of Murieston Community Council, who were objecting to the application, but would participate in the item of business;
- 2) Application No.0918/P/15 Councillor T Boyle declared a non-financial interest in that he was a council appointed member of SESPlan but would participate in the item of business; and
- 3) <u>Application No.0918/P/15</u> Councillor C Muldoon declared a non-financial interest in that she was a council appointed member of SESPlan but would participate in the item of business.

## 2. MINUTE

West Lothian Council (Planning) confirmed the Minute of its meeting held on 3 February 2016. The Minute was thereafter signed by the Chair.

## 3. APPLICATION NO.0918/P/15

West Lothian Council (Planning) considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Development Management Manager concerning an application as follows:-

Application No.	<u>Proposal</u>	Recommendation
0918/P/15	principle for a 16.6ha residential	To refuse planning permission
	development with	

associated
landscaping and
infrastructure workings
including new vehicular
accesses at land at
Wellhead Farm,
Murieston Road,
Livingston

The application had immediately beforehand been the subject of a predetermination hearing by West Lothian Planning Committee and had been referred to the meeting for determination.

## **Decision**

To unanimously agree the terms of the report and refuse planning permission.