Wiltshire Council

Appeals Sub-Committee (School Transport)

MINUTES OF THE APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE (SCHOOL TRANSPORT) MEETING HELD ON 12 JUNE 2023 AT COMMITTEE ROOM A - COUNCIL OFFICES, MONKTON PARK, CHIPPENHAM SN15 1ER.

Present:

Cllr Allison Bucknell, Cllr Adrian Foster and Cllr Tony Jackson

1 <u>Election of Chairman</u>

Cllr Tony Jackson was elected as Chairman for this appeal only.

Cllr Tony Jackson in the Chair.

2 **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

3 Minutes

The minutes of the School Transport Appeal held on 9 March 2023 were presented for consideration and it was;

Resolved:

To approve the minutes of the School Transport Appeal held on 9 March 2023.

4 <u>Meeting Procedure</u>

The Chairman outlined the meeting procedure as detailed in the agenda.

5 Exclusion of the press and public

The panel considered whether to hold the meeting in closed session and it was:

Resolved:

To exclude members of the press and public for the business specified in Item no. 6 in accordance with section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, (paragraph 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act).

6 School Transport Appeal

The panel heard representations and replies from the Transport Officer and the appellant and asked questions of the parties involved. Upon consideration of this information:

Decision:

The Panel exercised their discretion to agree that free transport by taxi be provided until 25 July 2023, the end of school term six. After which the Panel upheld the Officer's recommendation that payment of bus fares be provided to use the school bus to Preshute Primary School, Manton near Marlborough for the commencing school year.

(Duration of meeting: 10.00 am - 11.00 am)

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