

Planning Appeal in respect of proposed development of Energy Recovery Facility (ERF) with ancillary buildings and works (Portland Waste Incinerator) by Powerfuel Portland Ltd, Portland Port, Castletown, Portland, DT5 1PP APP/D1265/W/23/3327692 — discussion further to Minute No. 102 of the Council Meeting held on 18th September 2023

To consider The Town Council's response and actions to the notification of appeal for the proposed development of an Energy Recovery Facility at Portland Port, Portland, further to discussions held at the Council Meeting held on 18th September 2023.

At the Council Meeting the possibility of providing a financial contribution to one of the Rule 6 parties was raised, however, it was agreed that if the Planning and Consultation Committee felt that such a contribution should be made, this would have to be put as a recommendation to a forthcoming Council Meeting.

Since the above meeting, the Town Council has been advised that Weymouth and Portland Town Councils have decided not to seek Rule 6 status, and will be sending council representatives to the inquiry to present the councils' objections to the planning application to the Planning Inspector.

A copy of the briefing note from the Council Meeting held on 18th September (Agenda Item 13) is attached to inform the Committee's discussion of this item.

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