**CHEDISTON AND LINSTEAD GROUPED PARISH COUNCIL**

A Planning meeting was held on Wednesday 2 March at 6 pm in the Chediston Church Room following a site visit to Church Farm Lodge, Church Road, Chediston at 5.15pm

**MINUTES**

1. The Chairman welcomed Councillors, those present were Graham Downing, Sheila Clifford, Janet Heath, John Ibbott and Terry Tooze

2. Apologies for absence were received from Sheilah Turley, Joanne Wareham and Mark Titchener.

3. There were no declarations of Interest.

4. Minutes of previous PC meeting held on Monday 18 January 2016 were previously circulated and reported to be a true and accurate account of the meeting and were duly signed.

5. Matters arising from minutes not covered by the agenda:- The litter pick is to be over the weekend 4th, 5th and 6th March. Halesworth Town Council report that there has been no decision about the closing of the public toilets in Halesworth nor has there been a decision about the removal of a “Free one hour parking period“ in the town car-parks.

6. Public Forum – there were no members of the public present.

7. Planning DC/16/0584/FUL – Church Farm Lodge, Church Road, Chediston – New vehicular access and new garage/car port. Mr Ellis and his son-in-law met us at Church Farm Lodge to show us the proposed new access. – discussion took place following the site visit. Concerns were raised about the speed of traffic at the site of the proposed access and flooding issues at the same point. Two Councillors voted in favor of the proposal and two Councillors voted against the proposal. The Chairman held the casting vote and to keep the status quo, voted against the proposal primarily over the question of traffic but also on the question of flooding.

8. The meeting closed at 6.10pm. Date and Time of next meeting, Monday 21st March at 7.30pm in the Linstead Village Hall.

Signed Graham Downing Dated 21 March 2016