



Land & Buildings

Seend

Preservation of Seend Hill

Devizes Rural District Council yesterday considered two proposals, which has as their object, the preservation of the amenities of Seend – one of the most picturesque villages in Wiltshire.

The first was a suggestion that the top of the hill in the parish, the beauty of which lies in the hill itself and the views in all directions, which are obtainable from it, should be scheduled as a down land preservation area.

The Council decided to request the owners of the property concerned to enter into an agreement which would prevent any further building on the hill, a proposal in which the Seend Parish Council acquiesced. In the event of certain owners refusing to be parties to such an agreement, it was decided to request the Wiltshire Town Planning Committee to “zone” the property of such owners as land upon which no more than four houses to the acre may be built.

The Council also agreed to enter into an agreement with Mr T C Usher, for the similar preservation of Seend green House estate.

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