

Minutes of the Neighbourhood Plan group meeting held at The Wheel on Tuesday 16th June 2015 at 7.30pm

Present: Councillors N Forknell (Chair) J King & K Duncan, Mrs Wendy Carroll and H Doherty (clerk)

1. Apologies were received from
Margaret Hanrahan, Roger Westbury & Farooq Ahmad
2. Minutes of the meeting held on 14th April 2015 were approved
3. Matters arising

The Examination in Public for the Cross Boundary proposal for 2,800 new homes in the Bentley Pauncefoot/Tardebidge area takes place on 23rd June with HM Inspectorate. If the Secretary of State approves it, the Bromsgrove Plan should be agreed by the end of 2015

4. The Mission/Vision Statement/ Objectives document was agreed
5. The agreement of final Group Logo was carried over as has not been received.

HD to follow up with MD

6. Historic Environment surveys and how we involve residents

The following was agreed:

To hold a daytime event on Saturday 12th September and to invite Jack Hanson to attend to

- a) train some group leaders (to include JK, JH, NF, KD) and
- b) lead a group himself

David Crockett will be asked to lead a walk where the landscape can be assessed

JK (in liaison with JH for Lickey and the History Society) and KD will provide the following for the July meeting

- c) a list of areas/roads for inclusion
- d) a list of names of residents who can be approached to attend

7. Summer consultations

- i) Blackwell festival – WC agreed to man a stall with a large map and to ask participants: if they are a resident, what they like, what they don't like and what they think the village might look like in 10 years.

JK to obtain map from Mike Dunphy

MH may also to cover for an hour and HD to e mail all to ask for volunteers.
E mail addresses to be collected so we can keep residents informed and invite them to future events
NF to produce a flyer promoting the event on 12th September

- ii) The approval of questionnaire for local businesses was carried over
- 8. It was requested and agreed that NF continue as Chair but that he delegate more to others. This was agreed but could be re-negotiated if a volunteer came forward.
- 9. AOB
It was agreed that Funding should be added to the next agenda. JK took the latest funding application form to pass to MH for completion, but there will be areas that need to be agreed, primarily, what expenditure we will incur. It was agreed that we will need to employ consultants at some stage – JK to speak with Cllr Susan Whitehand to ask who Barnt Green used, and HD to provide details from Data Orchard who are working with a number of Herefordshire PC's

Next meeting: Tuesday 7th July