Minutes of the Winchfield NDP Steering Group #2 19 August 2020

Present:

Cllr Meyrick Williams (MW)
Christine Strudwick (WNDPRWG lead) (CS)
Cllr Kate Stewart (KS)
Bill Fraser (BF)
Lynda Goddard (LG)
Rod Summerfield (RS)

Apologies: Sarah Garwood (SG)

Also present, Nick Ward from JB Planning Associates

- 1. Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted.
- 2. Update on Asset of Community Value, Barley Mow Pub and Cricket Pitch.

The request to renew the ACV has been opposed by Punch Taverns, owners of the pub and land. HDC will support WPC request for the pub but not for the cricket pitch as we cannot prove that it has sufficient use to meet the ACV requirements.

3. Budget.

Please claim for any minor expenses e.g. printer inks etc., receipts to Meyrick as necessary.

4. Communications. Flyer #1

There has been good feedback resulting from the delivery of the fist community information flyer which we delivered by hand to every household over the weekend of 8^{th} / 9^{th} August. Every opportunity was taken to engage in conversation with residents and there have been 6 e-mails so far requesting to be updated via e-mail.

5. Character Landscape Study.

Meyrick gave a brief overview of the scope of work which WPC will commission to be carried out by Michelle Bolger and John Jeffcock, Expert Landscape Consultants. Rod Summerfield is adding his experience to the review of the HDC Character Landscape Studies and working with Meyrick on this. The WG voted unanimously to support this work and Meyrick will now take the proposal to WPC.

6. 'Planning for the Future Consultation'

There was some discussion over the recent white paper and the possibility of new area definitions, growth, renewal and protected, becoming statutory. NDPs will have to align with these new proposals if / when they come into force.

7. NDP Grant

This application is ongoing with Meyrick; grant money can only be applied for in support of new work between now and March 2021. It is likely that a new tranche of grant money will become available in April 2021.

8. Project Plan.

Christine confirmed that there is an outline project plan which will be updated after today's meeting and ready for the next WPC meeting on 21st September 2020.

9. Next meeting is on Wednesday 16th September, 2pm at Pepper Box