

## Meeting 19

### Present

Neston Town Council: Cllrs T Derraugh, J Wilkie

Community volunteers: P Baker (Chair), D Clark, R Hetherington, R Hughes, R Nickson, D Wallace

In attendance: William Flaherty (Invited Guest - University Graduate, studying for a Masters in Neighbourhood Planning) and M Suckley, Administration Officer, NTC.

		<b>ACTION</b>
<b>01.</b>	<b>Apologies for Absence</b>  M Eveleigh, P Hughes, T Nolan	
<b>02.</b>	<b>Declarations of Interest</b>  None	
<b>03.</b>	<b>Minutes and Matters Arising from meeting 24 February</b>  DW still analysing and summarising postcards from local primary schools data.  PB and TN still to discuss findings of Leahurst students' questionnaire with Catherine Anderson at University of Liverpool. It was also reported that housing associations can access funding streams to build purpose-built student accommodation.  PB and TN still to meet with the School Council of Neston High School.  CSG still awaiting confirmation in writing of NP monies from Plus Dane and CWaC. Subject to P&E approval, 30+ consultants will be contacted to register their expression of interest in taking part in consultation bidding process. CSG is hoping to submit plan to CWaC by Oct 14. Remaining Locality grant monies will be spent on a second special NP Neston Matters prior to Sep 2014 deadline.	DW  PB, TN
<b>04.</b>	<b>Terms of Reference for T&amp;FGs</b>  CSG are immensely grateful for the terrific work T&FGs have produced to date. To re-focus the groups PB suggested:  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• T&amp;FGs are challenged to revisit 25 NP Proposals to ascertain               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. i. if they are still valid and</li> <li>2. ii. if there are any other proposals</li> </ol> </li> <li>• T&amp;FGs to pull together all documentation and evidence that they have assembled</li> <li>• T&amp;FGs to work on the finer details.</li> </ul>	All T&FGs  All CSG Members  RN, JW,  PB

	<p>Members concurred that a model NP template, taken from Thane NP and recommended by Planning Aid, could prove useful for Neston NP as a framework to contain data, statistics and evidence already gathered.</p> <p>Concern was expressed that work undertaken by T&amp;FGs on non-NP issues may impact on the production of the NP. It should be noted that Working Groups of the Council are already investigating some of these issues. This would result in confusion and duplication of effort as separate groups, working under the auspices of Neston Town Council, are investigating the same issues e.g. transport. Non-NP issues identified by T&amp;FGs should, in the first instance, be referred to CSG. No further time and effort should be wasted in further investigation. These issues will then be added to a list for P&amp;E Committee to consider. It was noted that Non-NP issues may appear as an addendum to Neston NP.</p> <p>PB asked Members to consider revisiting the Draft NP Vision. In addition as part of NP, CSG will be required to demonstrate consultation with residents. CSG members are asked to consider what should be tabled at the open sessions at the Town Hall and articles for the second special edition of NP Neston Matters. RN, JW and PB to work on consultation.</p>	
05.	<p><b>Update of ‘Top 12’ Assets of Community Value</b></p> <p>Members discussed the results of CSG’s ‘Top 12’ Assets of Community Value. RN to check if an asset can be added to the list at a later stage if it becomes endangered.</p> <p><i>Proposal for P&amp;E – that the Town Council approves the following to add to CWaC’s Assets of Community Value:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Neston Library</i></li> <li>• <i>Neston Town Hall</i></li> <li>• <i>Neston Recreation Centre</i></li> <li>• <i>Ness Gardens and House</i></li> </ul>	RN
06.	<p><b>Results of Veterinary Student Survey – Noted.</b></p>	
07.	<p><b>To Note – Minutes of Econ Dev/Retail T&amp;FG 13 Feb – Noted.</b></p>	
08.	<p><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p> <p>Monday 28 April 2014 at 7pm at <b>Neston Town Hall.</b></p>	

Meeting closed 8.35pm.