

Minutes of NDP Steering Group Meeting at CVH on 11/ 06 // 2015

Present : A Eldridge [AE] , Tanya Lloyd – Jones [TLJ] , Chris Lowder [CL] , Jeff White [JW] , Anne Scarsbrook [AS] , Geoff Fielding [GF] Paula Little [PL]

Start @ 19.02 Hrs

1.0 Minutes of Meeting on 26th May 2015 agreed and signed off .

2.0 Paula Little was introduced to the group and voted onto the NDP Working Group . Paula has a professional background in Market Research and has offered to assist the Working Group with the drafting of documents pertinent to the work of the Group. She has agreed to draft a questionnaire, for the PC to consider, regarding Future developments in Cradley and Storrige Parishes .

3.0 TLJ briefed PL et al with a short resume of the work of the Group since its inception some two years or so ago .

4.0 Draft Questionnaire :

- Much discussion took place with contributions from all members of the Group regarding the form and content of the draft Questionnaire which the NDP Working Group wishes to circulate to the community at the earliest opportunity .
- The aim of this Questionnaire is to seek the community's views with regard to a number of current village development initiatives .
- In order to assist PL in the drafting , the Working Group agreed that the following questions should form the basis of the questionnaire .

Q1 Do you support substantial housing development on new sites in the village of Cradley ?

YES

NO

NO OPINION

Q2 Do you support the provision of a new Community Shop / Café development for Cradley ?

YES

NO

NO OPINION

Q3 Do you consider that the area known as the “ Strategic Green Gap “ between East and West Cradley should remain free of development ?

YES

NO

NO OPINION

4.1 Information to help respondents with the Questionnaire :-

With regard to each proposed development , the Group concluded that each development scheme should be identified and given a brief resume of facts which should be designed purely to inform respondents and be comprised of two sections per development , as follows :

Section A : Each Development scheme to list a maximum of 6 Bullet points to outline their proposal or 60 Words .

Section B : Along side the Developers bullet points , a summation of the Landscape Constraints and Capacities for each location , taken from C. Tinkler’s Landscape Assessment Report .

Projects to be listed in numerical order .

Projects : HOV - Morgan’s Field site

Harrison Bean Field site [AE to get a Title from Harrison Family Trust]]

Harrison’s Dilwyn Field [Kingsbridge] site

Stoddart’s Chuch Stile Farm site

Recreation Club’s site next to Cradley School

5.0 Agreed process to execute the task :

- GEF to Minute the meeting and copy all members of NDP Group
- PL to gather all necessary information and produce a draft Questionnaire for the Cradley PC to endorse .
- Questions must be numbered
- Name / Tele No. / e-mail as options
- EGM of Cradley PC to be arranged for 24th June 2015 in CVH . Time TBA . to sign off the final draft of the Questionnaire .
- Circulation - via Parish Newsletter distribution team .
- Delivery to all Parishioners on the Electoral Register
- Additional Questionnaires – By request
- NDP group then organise the analysis for the Draft NDP

6.0 Draft NDP :

On a Proposal by TLJ and Seconded by CL , Mr Paul Esrich [AONB] was unanimously approved to be commissioned to prepare the Draft Cradley and Storridge Neighbourhood Development Plan .

Funding for Mr Esrich to be discussed /approved at the EGM on 24th June 2015 .

Meeting closed c. 20 . 50 Hrs

GF