

Notes for 5 minute update on Community Plan

This is an update about the planning process.

It is a COMMUNITY PLAN and we are now in the second phase of the process.

Just to remind everyone the first phase was information gathering it involved –

- a review of the current plan using the traffic light system
- the map based survey on Survey Monkey
- The Conversation

From these we put together 5 key priorities and associated concepts.

The next phase is **ENGAGEMENT**. This will be mainly an opportunity for people – groups such as Village Association and SPAGG, Parish Council, WI, Church, Historical Association and so on to say how they contribute now to the priorities and how they will do so in the future. Also School and Young People.

The aim is for the whole village to have **ownership** of the plan. Though the PC will take actions directly – for example Jack's Corner, consideration of planning applications. They will be to Co-ordinate the plan, and carry out regular review.

Thanks to the Ian, Anne, Yvonne and Peter – for trialling and commenting on the approach at the same time as informing the PC response. **Your feedback** will shape how it will look. Councillor members of the working party will formulate a PC response.

I will send you a proposed time table for this next Engagement phase.

The most important date will be

4th September – when we hope to distribute a one-side **summary** about the planning process this will then go on a flyer that will go out to everyone in the community? We'd appreciate your thoughts on this.

21st September when we aim to have a draft engagement on line. **7th October** when we will invite people to

Participants will be asked to contribute to only the priorities they wish.

- What actions they or their group currently take to support a priority.
- What additional actions they might take.
- What other actions they think should happen.

This will be on-line but paper copies will be available. We are thinking of a phone opportunity.

We will ask people to provide contact details so that we can follow up on their suggested activities etc.

The third phase will be **CO-ORDINATION**. This will involve the working party putting all the contributions together to form the Community Plan. The first part will be the key priorities etc. The second part will be an Action Plan and include the suggested activities.

The action plan will be reviewed and updated annually – this will be led by the Parish Council.

ANY SUGGESTIONS OR QUESTIONS? Please get in touch.