

## *CUDDINGTON, DELAMERE PARK & SANDIWAY VILLAGE PLAN*

### *Action Notes for the meeting of the Implementation Group held on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2017 at the Village Hall commencing 7.00pm*

The Chairman welcomed all present and thanked them for their work.

PRESENT: Heather Thompson, Russell Smith, Mike Hall, John Faulkner (in the Chair)

APOLOGIES: Sarah Shepherd, John de Souza

ACTION NOTES MEETING MONDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2017: had been circulated and were approved as a correct record. No matters arising.

WORKING GROUP REPORTS: The latest documents had been circulated prior to the meeting.

ENVIRONMENT: Heather reported progress. Spring Clean will run for three weeks from end of February. Publicity in Round Tower and Village Website. Social media had revealed problems on Ash Road with dog fouling. Pink Pooh spray applied and CWAC are being asked to clear up as per the scheme. Planting progressing slowly on account of having to find out who owns what and obtaining permission. Making enquiries as to whether it is possible to use some surplus Round Tower stone to make plant holders. David Ruchat investigating if it is possible to consider solar panels on Fourways Quarry Lake. Contact has been made with Allotments waiting list. They have been invited to one of two meetings being held towards end of February in order to give out further information and ascertain willingness of people to help run the allotments.

FACILITIES & COMMUNITY: Russell reported that Heather's survey was now on website. Discussion around the possible closure of the 69 Youth Club. John would raise this issue at Parish Council. The issue of shortage of GPs brought up at meeting with MP. She said that area is good place to live. She also said that the recruitment of an additional GP can reduce other GPs' income within a practice. She will write to the Surgery for an explanation. Russell to join the PRG. John has responded to the Groundwork Consultation on behalf of the Working Group.

TRAFFIC & TRANSPORT: Still awaiting traffic surveys to be done by Highways. John is arranging a meeting with Arrive NW at Winsford to discuss a possible amendment to the route of No. 82 to include the station and if possible Delamere Park. Russell suggested that they might need to look at other routes i.e. to Weaverham to achieve a satisfactory outcome. Russell said that CWAC Place Operations had recently completed work on protecting the grass verges on the south side of Chester Road. This could be born in mind for Mere Lane, Ash Road and elsewhere. John reported that there is a meeting later this week to discuss S106 monies for the station. It is not clear whether there is any money left.

WEBSITE: Unique Visitor hits in January 2,059, to 13/2 1,339. The publicity in November saw a peak in November at 2,835. The underlying trend is up and very encouraging.

COMMUNICATION: With website usage rising, there is also evidence that attendance at events featured on the website has increased.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS: Heather raised what the MP had observed at the recent meeting namely why are we not doing a Neighbourhood Plan? Village Plan very much about bringing about

improvements to the Village and Neighbourhood Plan around creating policies for the neighbourhood which when approved by a referendum can be used in the determination of planning applications. There has been interaction between the two groups to ensure a consistency of approach.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2017 at the Village Hall commencing at 7.00pm