

Minutes of the Meeting of Ashton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group

held on Monday 10th July 2017 at 7.30pm in Ashton Primary School.

Present: J. Roychoudhury, S.Lemon, C.Johnson, G.Otto, A.Beber.

1 member of the public

64. Approval of apologies for absence:

P.Joyce (business)

65. Declarations of interest

66. Approval of the minutes of previous meeting

The group resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting of June 19th 2017.

67. Matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting.

J.R. has investigated the options for a large scale map of Ashton. It was agreed that the SNC colour map dated 2013 should be used, reproduced in A0 size. Modifications to this map were discussed and J.R. is to see if these are feasible.

S.L. has emailed Mens Own Rugby Club but has yet to receive a reply.

J.R. and A.B. are in the process of visiting the green spaces in Ashton.

68. Feedback to next Parish Council meeting.

J.R. estimates the map cost to be £126. Additional expenditure will be needed for marker pens, post-its plus sundries. Funds are to be requested from the parish council.

69. Plans for consulting with residents.

It was now agreed that 15th July is too soon for the Stoke Road Green opening event. This will be postponed to a later date, after agreement with the parish council.

The church Parish News leaflet was discussed as a possibility for informing residents.

C.J. agreed to approach Mrs. W. Turvey re. the monthly Drop-In events in the Knights Hall.

70. Deciding on Ashton pen sketch.

The latest version has been produced by S.L. This was discussed and accepted after minor amendments.

71. Items for next meeting.

The group will need permission from the parish council to spend money and proceed. An easel will be useful to mount the map; J.R. may have access to one or it may be possible to use a school one.

The possibility of a photo presentation of Ashton in bygone decades was discussed ; J.R. is to investigate.

It was agreed that the SNC methodology in deciding planning confines is to be debated at the next meeting. It is important that the group study theVillage Confine Methodology Paper prior to that meeting.

72. Date of next meeting.

Monday 7th August 2017 at 7.30pm

The meeting closed at 8.15pm.