



## **Badby Parish Neighbourhood Plan**

**Notes of a meeting of the Steering Group and Working Groups held on Wednesday 25 April 2018 at 7 30pm at The Maltsters Inn, Badby.**

**Present:** Karen Alexander      Chris Nelson  
Steve Brooks                      Gillian Nelson  
Iori Jones                              Ann Skinner

**Apologies:** Tom Davies, Ken Morris

**Parishioners:** Denis Wilson, Sue Wilson

### **1 Declarations of interest**

There were no declarations of interest relating to the agenda.

### **2 Chairman's opening remarks**

In the absence of Ken Morris, Ann Skinner kindly agreed, at the outset of the meeting, to take the chair. Ann thanked everyone for attending.

### **3 Notes of the meeting held on 7 March 2018**

There were no matters arising from this meeting not covered elsewhere on the agenda and these notes were accepted as a true record. Proposed by Iori Jones and seconded by Chris Nelson.

### **4 Parishioner Participation 1**

Denis Wilson congratulated the Steering Group on the state of the Plan as submitted to DDC for its Consultation Period. Ann responded with thanks on behalf of the Group.

Sue Wilson pointed out that during this Consultation Period there are likely to be objections from land agents/owners and developers. She urged keeping an eye out for other Neighbourhood Plans going to Public Enquiry and sending an observer to see how they work so that BPNP would be prepared should there be such an enquiry for Badby's Plan. In reply to Sue's question about whether any member of the Group had experience of a Public Enquiry, she was told that both Karen Alexander and Tom Davies have. Sue was thanked for highlighting this possibility.

## **5 Consultation Statement**

### **5.1 Report on submission to DDC**

Ann reported the following:

- The revised Plan, Consultation Statement, Basic Conditions Statement and SEA/HRA reports were submitted to DDC on 23 March 2018
- DDC's Consultation Period runs from 9 April - 25 May 2018. DDC has contacted the statutory bodies and those who responded to BPNP's own Consultation Period. All responses received by them will be posted on their Neighbourhood Plan website. The date of posting is not known.
- The Plan is available for consultation in The Maltsters, St Mary's Church Badby, DDC's website and BPNP's website
- An independent examiner will be appointed by DDC. There may be a backlog. The appointment will be in consultation with BPC.
- The independent examiner can:
  1. Accept the Plan so that it goes to referendum
  2. Recommend changes. When changes are made it goes to referendum
  3. Reject the Plan therefore there is no referendum
- DDC organises the referendum. Ann reminded the Group that 50% + 1 of the people who voted and voted in favour would mean the Plan is accepted.

### **5.2 Parishioner comment on the above**

Sue Wilson enquired who would respond on behalf of BPNP if the Plan went to appeal. Ann agreed to check with Jane Parry what is the usual procedure. **Action: Ann**

## **6 Finance**

### **6.1 Report on submission of grant report to Groundworks**

Iori said that this had been submitted to Groundworks in the first week in April. It has been noted as received and accepted. Groundworks will contact BPC about payment of funds to be returned.

### **6.2 To note that provisions have been made for Referendum expenditure**

Iori reported that these provisions include letters to all households, posters, pavement board inserts, advertisement in The Link, and changes to the Plan.

## **7 Parishioner Participation 2**

Sue Wilson said that with NCC's difficulties, all District Councils in the area will disappear so what will happen to DDC's 'Daventry Settlements Plan' and to Neighbourhood Plans? Ann replied that nobody knows so it is necessary to get on with Badby's Neighbourhood Plan and hope that it is accepted and implemented.

## **8 Any other business**

There was no other business not covered by the agenda.

## **9 Date of next meeting**

A provisional date has been set for **Wednesday 25 July 2018** at 7 30pm at The Maltsters Inn, Badby.