

CULLOMPTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP

MINUTES OF THE MEETING – WEDNESDAY 8th November 2017

Present: Gordon Guest – Chair; Michael Speirs – Vice Chair; Cathy Penharris – Vice Chair; Jenny Penharris – Secretary; Lou Maddocks – Administrator; Eileen Andrews – Town Council; Roy Gould – Town Team; Steve Hellier – Highways England

1. Apologies

Ann McClements; Paul Weston – Consultant

2. Acceptance of the Minutes of meeting 4th October 2017

Prop: Gordon Guest Sec: Steve Hellier All in favour

3. Matters Arising

No matters arising.

4. Feedback from Consultation

So far we had received 30-40 responses, the majority positive. Comments can still be made up to 21st November.

5. Meeting with MDDC Feedback

Meeting with Tina Maryan and 3 other MDDC officers, Paul Scoble, Liza Oxford-Booth, Debbie Lockhead, Gordon Guest, Michael Speirs and Lou Maddocks to discuss the proposed swimming pool and allocation of housing. Paul Scoble to get studies done by James Turner and report back. Possibility of getting an enabling fund if there is sufficient evidence base or a Neighbourhood Development Order which would be an alternative to allocating the site in the NP.

Tina Maryan said the Rugby Club site would get planning permission for housing if they moved and get a contribution from the Garden Village S106 if they moved within it.

6. Budget Update

Successful in getting £6000 grant for Consultant Fees, Exhibition and room hire. Town Council budget for Lou extended to end of March.

7. Any Other Business

Gordon extended thanks to Lou for all the work she had done on the draft and Exhibition.

Please Note: Date of next meeting Tuesday 19th December and January meeting Wednesday 10th January 2018

