

CAMELFORD NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

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Meeting notes

Present

Cllr A Burgis (AB), Cllr A Shaw (AS), Claire Hewlett (CH), Simon Swale (SS) Jane Sleeman (JS), Brian Lush (BL), Lee Dunkley (LD), Di Taylor (DT), Ken Harris (KH),

Apologies

Robert Rush - PFA (RR),

Working Groups

SS feedback from first meeting:- Very positive 12 members of the public attended, plus apologies from 2 more, 3 steering group members were present plus SS. SS ran through what a NP was – the technology worked!!

Individuals placed themselves within one of 5 working groups: transport, housing, community facilities, employment, landscape/recreation. SS suggested that each of the working groups now meet and decide what their particular theme means to them and their mandate.

CH highlighted some confusion over the X cutting themes of 'site allocation' and 'sustainability' – these were not to be separate working groups but to have input from all, in due course.

JS asked if there were any people under the age of 35 in the working groups – no there isn't. Concern was registered, but the question of how to get that age group involved is not easy to answer.

CH expressed concern that the working group members came predominately from Camelford central and Tregoodwell – the settlements to the west being under represented. Extra effort to be made to try and attract some input form these areas. CH to send LD press releases for distribution to notice boards within the wider area.

SS posed the question 'how big would Camelford have to be to be truly sustainable – ie what population is necessary to provide the services that people want and to attract business to the area' SS suggests that steering group gives these questions serious consideration.

Vision Meeting

November 2nd 7.30pm Small Room, Camelford Hall – both working group and steering groups members invited to attend. It was felt that a unifying vision for the future of the town is was needed to guide working groups. This meeting will hopefully define that vision.

Consultant for next stage of the plan:

Terms of reference were discussed. CH to polish up the wording and send round for approval prior to obtaining quotations for the work.

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To be decided via Doodle after the Vision meeting.