

Cople Neighbourhood Plan Group

Minutes of meeting 2nd May 2017 at 19:30

Cople Village Hall

Present: Lesley Cole (Chair), Steve Halton (minutes), Del Armitage, Catherine Bayliss.

Apologies: Judith Howard, Ged Peeke.

Discussed BBC's proposals for the 4 strategic housing sites in North Beds and all were in agreement to support these – also need to go to Cople PC for discussion. NP group still needs to continue with the ongoing NP process. **Action: All agreed that CNP group to fill in the online BBC questionnaire saying that we are in agreement with the proposals. Action: LC to talk to GP to see if this can be mentioned in Cople News.**

The NP questionnaire will need funding (c£4k). **Action: LC and SH to apply for this.** We may also need funding for someone to write the policies or we could do the initial policies and then get a professional to review them, **Action: DA to investigate these options. Action: SH to talk to Cliff at BTC re; questionnaire costs (using GP's rough drafts as an example).**

Cople Local History Group in process of being set up by SH and Dave Cole.

GIP

- Need a sit-down with BBC RoW Officer for Cople to discuss GIP access aspirations. **Action: SH to arrange meeting.**
- SH now has Mark Egar's email address and will email him re; permissive route(s) around village where they potentially cross Whitbread Estate land. **Action: SH to contact Mark.**

Date of next meeting: Cople Village Hall, 12th June, 20:00hrs