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To: Town Councillors: S Abbott, N Brakspear, T Bush, N Farmer, G McCaffery, R Williams
Wiltshire Councillor: D Walters
Others: C Johnson, J Peeters, P Tapscott, P Whalley.

Dear Councillor/Group Member

A meeting of the Corsham Neighbourhood Plan Delivery and Monitoring Group will take place at the Town Hall on Thursday 20 June 2024, commencing at 7pm.

Press and Public – To observe the meeting online, please click [here](#) or email kgilby@corsham.gov.uk for instructions. If you have any questions or wish to petition the Town Council as per Agenda item 2, please refer to the guidance on our website (<https://www.corsham.gov.uk/meetings/fullcouncil.php>).

Yours sincerely



David J Martin
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

1. Apologies
2. Election of Vice Chair
3. Public Question Time and Petitions
4. Declarations of Interest

To receive any Declaration(s) of Interest under Corsham Town Council's Code of Conduct issued in accordance with the Localism Act 2011.

5. Minutes of the Neighbourhood Plan Delivery and Monitoring Group Meeting held on 25 January 2024 - *for approval*.

6. Matters arising from the above Minutes.

7. Vision and Objectives Survey – Results

Nearly 30 responses to the survey were received and most were supportive of the proposed vision and objectives. 79% agreed with the proposed vision and over 70% of respondents agreed with each of the proposed objectives. Other items put forward for consideration in the revised Neighbourhood Plan included a new railway station; provision of infrastructure for young people and children; creation of amenities and employment space especially on new developments; improved transport links especially from the villages; an additional supermarket; better health and well-being centres; a bigger doctors surgery; more pharmacy facilities; another school; more allotments; a greater focus on the villages and continued protection of the rural green buffers.

One objective was not as well received as the others - Corsham will be a town which recognises its responsibilities within the wider community of Wiltshire. Whilst most agreed with the objective, some of the respondents were unsure what was meant by this – it may be worth considering expanding the objective for clarity.

- *For information/discussion.*

8. Neighbourhood Plan Review Consultants

Following interviews on 27 March 2024 we appointed DLP Planning as consultants to assist with the Neighbourhood Plan Review. Their Initial Policy Review Report is *attached*. A copy of their provisional programme for the review is also *attached*.

- *For discussion.*

9. Wiltshire Council Briefing Note 24-13 – Housing Land Supply and Housing Delivery Test

Wiltshire Council Briefing Note 24-13 is *attached*.

- *For discussion.*

10. Cotswold AONB extension – The Pickwick Association has asked if we can ensure that the proposal to extend the Cotswold AONB is appropriately reflected in the Neighbourhood Plan.

- *For discussion.*

11. Chippenham Neighbourhood Plan - Made May 2024

Wiltshire Council has taken the decision pursuant to Section 38A(4) of the Planning & Compulsory Purchase Act, 2004, to make the Chippenham Neighbourhood Plan.

The Plan can be found at - https://chippenhamneighbourhoodplan.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Chippenham-Neighbourhood-Plan_Made-May-2024-002.pdf

Members are requested to look at the policies contained in the Plan in case there is anything we would like to include in our review.

12. Date and time of next meeting.