Little Budworth Parish Plan Steering Group Minutes of Meeting on Tuesday 16 October 2012

Present: Malcolm Carnegie

Peter Robinson Stuart Robinson Joan Johnson Sarah Baron Tony Hall Cora Cowap Barbara Iceley Joanne Jeffs Glyn Jeffs Peter Jeffs Alex Jeffs Barley Jeffs

Apologies: Andy Martell

1 Minutes from Previous Meeting

No matters were arising from previous minutes.

2 Understanding of General Topics that the Plan should cover

A list of "Clubs" in the parish was noted below:-

Church/Chapel Bonsai

Parish Council Egerton Estate
Cricket Club Model Engineers
WI Mid-Cheshire College

Playgroup Football

Mother's Union Country Park (the Common)

Bowling Village Hall Oulton Park Knit and Natter

Polo

Village Green – Facilities The Hollies / Other Businesses

Tarporley Anglers

Pubs

Cheshire Family History

The Homes / Other Businesses

A List of Hot Ideas was discussed and noted below: -

Road Safety Public Right of Way

Organised Walks Housing
Planning Recreation

Community Events Energy – Community Heating

Transportation Utilities Environment – Minerals – Pollution – Planting

3 Engagement – Making Things Happen

Discussion took place to see how we can get people to engage in the Plan. Most Parish Plan groups do surveys, targeting various audiences with mailshot. A communication strategy is needed. Stakeholder mapping needed to evaluate influence and power. Sarah Baron can get a list of businesses in the area. She also mentioned that one way to get ideas is to walk around the parish.

4 Matters Discussed

"Spirit of Place" - What makes the village special? Views are needed as well as a catchy name and logo.

More people need to be encouraged/invited to help with the plan. Someone is needed to talk to the clubs. A flyer is needed to ask broad, open questions – Does the Village matter to you? What are your issues? What is your vision in 5, 10, 20 years? After feedback from a flyer we would be able to go on with a survey. It was discussed that the Project Plan would probably take 18 months.

Children will be invited to design name/logo for the Plan. This needs to be done as soon as possible. Action: JJeffs.

PR and SR would be able to approach the Cricket Club, Joan Johnson the WI Stakeholder plan needed before businesses approached. Events coming up before Christmas – Christmas Fair, Cricket Club AGM, Rural Touring Network.

A pilot plan meeting has been arranged for next week.

5 Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 13 November at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

J Jeffs 24 October 2012