

GURNARD NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Report on the 41st meeting of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, held at the home of Jon Pearson, Worsley Road, Gurnard on Thursday 26 May 2016 at 19.30

Present

Councillors: Fuller and Nolan

Messrs, Bede Townsend (Chair), Carl Blenkinsop and Jon Pearson.

Apologies

There were apologies received from Richard Cobden.

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 18 February 2016 were circulated and agreed.

Results from the on-line consultation

Members discussed the comments received from Ollie Boulter at the IW Council and went through each point. Some points were congratulating the Steering Group on new wording, but some require further work from a planning consultant, with some re-wording by the consultant.

Agreed actions:

- 1 Thank you to Jon for hosting the meeting and providing the secretarial support.
- 2 Send comments to Chris regarding the SEA and SA reports.
- 3 Enquire if John Slater (examiner for the Brighstone Plan) would provide a consultation service.
- 4 Ask councils on the Island who have completed their Neighbourhood Plans for assistance in finding a new planning consultant now that Alyson has retired.
- 5 If none of the above listed options are successful, request suggestions for a new planning consultant from Chris.

Meeting closed at 9.40pm.

After the meeting John Slater was contacted who agreed to work for the Steering Group at a cost of £70 per hour. The Clerk sent all the paperwork to him electronically, and he will provide an estimate of his total costs.