NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN MEETING 4 APRIL 2016.

Report

APOLOGIES

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**Appointment of treasurer for purposes of Locality Application.**

Mrs Valerie Nunn

**Meeting with Milton Keynes council**

Chair met with Dianne Webber and Lizzie Bailes (Regeneration)

The meeting was to bring the Council up to date with the action’s taken to date and the progress of the group.

MK Council has asked to be kept informed with progress to date.

Items considered to date

1. Road Redways pavements
2. Public transport
3. Traffic congestion

Discussed at this meeting

**Affordable Housing**

Points raised

No high rise housing limit to be set to 3 stories.

Mixed development required.

Disabled access a requirement

Development to be sustainable –code 6 level of insulation

2 car parking bays with additional visitor bay.

Pedestrian access to all areas

Visual security important.

Gardens back and front (larger at rear then front)

Quality architecture with good material –Low maintenance no painted facades.

**Parks and Open Spaces**

Points raised

Current open spaces not to be touched.

Better use of existing space.

If regeneration allows planting to be attractive to wild life.

Better signage to identify recreational areas.

Greater green space within new residential developments

More allotments

Potential to re activate community garden on Stantonbury.

**Community Facilities**

Points raised.

Public meeting places in all sections of the Parish Bancroft, Stantonbury, Oakridge Park etc.

More Dog Poo bins and Rubbish Bins.

Public Notice Boards on frequently used buildings i.e. Dr Surgery Coffee shops

Better Communication for residents on community matters.

**Facilities for Young People**

Identified as Quite important in the survey.

Generally the discussion centered on the demise of existing facilities for younger people.

The Mathieson Centre is the only facility available in the Parish and this is part of the Asset transfer initiative of MK Council.

It was decided to link provision of younger people within the group of Community Facilities.

**Shopping Facilities**

Generally it was concluded that convenience store are necessary throughout the Parish.

More shops are required. With a spread of suppliers i.e. Butchers, Bakers etc.

Potential for multiuse facility combining shops, youth activities, public meeting place was suggested

Also potential for an allocated pace for a weekly market.

**Cleanliness of the area.**

In general vandal proof bins are required

Wheelie bin storage within curtilage of housing.

Possible dedicated recycle facility area. Bins for recycle clothes, glass etc.

Education has been deferred until we contact the schools