

## Markfield Parish Neighbourhood Plan

### Minutes of the 28<sup>th</sup> May 2019 Steering Group meeting held at Markfield Community Library

**Present:** Rosie Woodland; Ann Cook; Margaret Bowler; Julie Grace; Jacqui Williams; Mike Williams; Tony Lockley; Julie Harper

**Apologies:** Annie Duggan; David Sprason

Minutes from the last meeting signed.

Declarations of Interest – none outstanding.

1. School Presentation – Rosie has presented a PowerPoint to Mercefeld school about the NPSG and suggestions of Logo ideas and left a questionnaire. Response will be chased up after the half term holiday. It was suggested that the same presentation could be made to the Queen Bee project and also South Charnwood High school.
2. Creating a 'Vision Statement' – The objective of this is to provide a broad statement of intent.  
Tony had put some suggestions/ideas together taken from other websites/groups. There were certain aspects/words that the group felt should be included in our vision statement: 'Inclusive', 'vibrant', 'affordable or appropriate housing'? It was agreed that the statement should mention the Neighbourhood plan. Tony will take the comments made and come up with 1-2 options to choose from to be sent to the next Parish Council meeting.
3. Hinckley and Bosworth Employment Land and premises study. The Parish Council have been contacted by H&B Council for responses regarding sites for employment development. Areas that could be developed into offices and/or industrial units to attract employers and attract more people to work locally. Possible sites discussed
  - i) The Old service station at Junction 22 of the M1 – has been derelict for some years.
  - ii) Is there a possibility to extend Hill Hole Industrial area?
  - iii) There is a block of land from the motorway junction up to the Flying Horse roundabout, just off the A511 – would need to look at who owns this.

Tony will construct a paragraph to send to the Parish Council on this.
4. RCC – the question of continuing with the RCC for the next stages of the Plan – the majority are in favour of continuing with the RCC as happy with the work they have done for us. It was discussed that we should get them in for a meeting with their consultant.

NEXT MEETING OF THE NPSG: 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 – 7pm Markfield Community Library.

Signed

Steering Group Chair

Dated