

ASTON ROWANT PARISH COUNCIL
NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP
MEETING ON 14 NOVEMBER 2017

MINUTES

Present: Mark Thackeray, Andy Green, Paul Overton, Peter Tinson, Richard Lockwood, Paul Fincken, Guy Cunningham, Jeanette Ewan, Mark Jones, Steven Sowerby.

Guests: Tim Sloane, Kathi Davis, Debbie Chaplin.

1. INTRODUCTIONS AND APOLOGIES

Minutes of meeting on 11 October 2017 AGREED.

2. ITEM FOR DISCUSSION – Housing Criteria Assessment

The SG considered the format for assessing the “Red Sites” with regard to their suitability for development, with no regard at this stage for their availability. It was the view of the SG that the availability of any site should be deferred for subsequent review, on the basis that any contact with landowners might unduly raise expectations on land that might be less suitable, prompting planning applications. It was agreed, subject to final confirmation, that the criteria for suitability should be limited to no more than ten and that any weighting of the criteria should be considered once they were confirmed.

AGREED: that the consultation, as before, should take the form of a report in Parish Notes, to include a flyer/consultation paper.

ACTION: MT to prepare report for PN. AG/MJ to co-ordinate preparation and production of consultation document.

3. NEW MEMBERS

AGREED: that, given the increased workload required of the SG, membership should be increased to 13, comprising all attendees at this meeting

4. NEXT MEETING

12 December 2018 at 7.30 at KB Village Hall