

# Melksham Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group Meeting

Melksham Fire Station, Semington Road, Melksham, SN12 6DD

**Date:** Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019

Start: 6.00pm

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- 1. Welcome and Apologies
- 2. Declarations of Interests
- 3. Public Participation

## 4. Minutes of the Last Meeting:

- a) Agree Minutes of Meeting held on 27th November 2018
- b) Matters Arising (not covered by the Agenda)

#### 5. Finance Report:

- a) To consider invoices from Lemon Gazelle
- b) To note current budget amount of spend to date
- c) To note current funding from Locality and options for 1st April onwards

#### 6. Housing Needs Assessment:

To note Housing Needs Assessment now received from AECOM and consider future action

7. Housing Site Allocation: To receive update regarding site allocation

#### 8. Draft Policy Document:

- a) To note Andrea Pellegram advice notes:
  - i) Neighbourhood Plan Evidence Toolkit
  - ii) Preparing Neighbourhood Plan Policies (to account for changes in NPPF)
- b) To note evidence provided as requested by Lemon Gazelle and any outstanding information required.
- c) To note new planning policies suggested by Melksham Without Parish Council
  - i) regarding the planting of native trees to avoid the spread of Oak Processionary Moth
  - ii) National Cycle Network Design Principles
- d) To consider new section for Plan detailing "Next Steps" and "Review triggers"
- e) To agree to submit draft Plan to Wiltshire Council for SEA (Strategic Environmental Assessment) & HRA (Habitats Regulations Assessment) screening
- **9. Local Plan Review 2026-2036:** To note update from meeting of Melksham Town Council and Melksham Without Parish Council on 12<sup>th</sup> December

#### 10. Website:

- a) To view 2 x outstanding videos
- b) To receive from Colin Harrison on website upgrade

### 11. Date & Venue of Next Meeting of Steering Group