



**Minutes of Committee Meeting
held on Wednesday 11th March 2015 at
Pye Green Community Centre, Hednesford**

Present: David Wisehall
Lesley Yates
Carol Owen

Apologies: Peter Harrison
Lynn Evans
Cindy Faulkner

Approval and matters arising from previous minutes

No matters arising.

Update on site visit to Hednesford

David outlined his work on creating a town plan. Discussed the empty house opposite the park. David informed the meeting that it's owned by a private developer. David has spoken to Glen Watson at Cannock Chase Council and Derek Davies about the future plans for the property – possible compulsory purchase has been mentioned.

David to speak to Peter Harrison about Neighbourhood Plan meeting and Derek Davies about ownership of the land around the station.

Lesley suggested making the top of the town the first big project which will include telephone box, clean up, signage etc.

Theme for the town discussed.

David to enquire with Highways what services are located under the ground around where the phone box is planned to be sighted.

Update on spring clean

Discussed dates and also offer from McDonalds who want to provide up to 15 of their staff to help out. Lesley suggested applying for local funding to clean up the bank by the station. Need to speak to George Adamson.

Signal box

Need to find out re: funding and use. Carol to speak to Lynn to clarify.

Recruiting volunteers

Support Staffordshire put us in touch with McDonald's so we need to keep the link with them and VAST are also able to assist with helping us identify volunteers for specific projects.

Hednesford in Partnership

Meeting due to be held on 24th March. Carol and Lesley attending to report on projects on behalf of HoHRP.

Website and publicity

Carol to update website with latest news about the Spring Clean and also to send out a press release and update social media, appealing for volunteers to come forward.

Any other business

No other business to discuss

Date of next meeting

The next meeting is on Wednesday 13th May at 6.30pm at Pye Green Community Centre and will also be the AGM.