**18/10/2024 NPSG Meeting Notes**

**Attendees**

Julian Chillingworth

Kim Gubler

Mike Peebles

**Apologies**

Chris Evans

Sue Holland

Claire Camilleri-Rose

Brian Vaughan

JC opened the meeting.

Apologies for absence noted

The minutes of 13/09//2024 were accepted by those present. JC noted matters Arising would be covered by the Agenda:

**Business Survey**

The survey has not gained any real traction with only a few responses received. The SG has very low resource and budget, and it was agreed by those attending it is now a low priority. If circumstances change this will be revisited later.

**Green Infrastructure Survey**

Due to the bureaucratic nature of the process, the GI survey has had a slow start, but it has now gained momentum. The maps have been acquired and Mike Fairs (MF) has all the information required for the survey.

The village hall has been booked for Thursday 21/11/2024 from 19:00 to 20:00 and the SG will begin canvasing villagers on why it will be important to attend. SG will be onsite from 18:00 to set up. Ideas were discussed to make it attractive for people to come to the hall. It will be the first workshop where people will have the opportunity to interact with MF and come up with ideas. **ACTION JC: Email MF to see how other NP groups have pitched these meetings to their local communities and what marketing strategy they used. Completed w/e 25/10/2024, but no response received by MF**

The SG decided on a leaflet drop, with 200 needed on one page A5. **ACTION MP: Design and circulate leaflet for comments. Completed w/e 25/10/2024**

The leaflet will be printed by the SG in house and letter boxed by 01 Nov. It will be uploaded to the village FB page, put on the website and a hard copy put in the post office/cafe **ACTION All: print 50 each of the signed off leaflet and deliver to respective houses**

**East West Rail**

The new CEO of EWR is visiting villages along the revised Route E on Tuesday 22/10/2024.

**MOT Planning Hearing**

This is taking place on 23/10/2024 in Beford, but the results will not be available for some time.

**Website**

The web site needs some updating and some of the narratives need recrafting. The site administrator is contracted to make changes and updates, but he needs to know what to change. **ACTION All: give feedback on improvements. ACTION JC: find out the SG’s admin rights for in-house minor changes**

**Parish council**

Nothing to report

**Parish Church Council**

Nothing to report

**AOB**

None

**Date of Next meeting**

Fri 15/11/2024 at KG to plan workshop