

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REPORT TO CBPC: 4TH APRIL 2022

1. Neighbourhood Plan Document

Following the Special Parish Council Meeting on the 14th March, when comments and feedback from the Councillors were received on Draft Issue 10 of the NP, it has now been amended to take account of those comments and Draft Issue 11 will be the version which is taken forward into the Pre-Consultation process.

2. AECOM SEA Work

As mentioned last month, AECOM are producing an Environmental Report which at the time of writing we are expecting to receive by Friday 28th March. Our understanding is that any impact it has on the NP will be very minor. However, once the SG has reviewed the SEA Report on the 12th April it will sit alongside the NP as part of the Pre-Consultation process.

3. Preparation for Pre-Consultation Process

Work on the preparation for this important phase of work is well underway. A survey has been prepared on Survey Monkey for the community to give their feedback on the NP and the Policies contained within the document. They will also be asked whether they are likely to support the NP at the Referendum. Dates for a number of drop-in events in each village have also been established. It is intended these will take place during the second half of April and early May. The first event will be in Portesham on the 20th April and the final events will take place in Abbotsbury and Fleet on the 7th May. The 6 week Consultation Period will end around the 23rd May. An A5 leaflet summarising the NP is being prepared and will be delivered to every household in the Parish a week or so before the first event.

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30th March 2022