# MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE ARMTHORPE NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN STEERING GROUP HELD IN ARMTHORPE COMMUNITY CENTRE, WELFARE PARK, CHURCH STREET, ARMTHORPE, ON TUESDAY, 21ST MAY 2013

## MEMBERS PRESENT:-

#### Parish Councillors:

L.S. Dickman, C.J. McGuinness, W.L. Moore, S.A. Pickles and F.J. Tyas. Local Residents:

Mr. D. Mitchell, Proprietor of The Old Rectory Nursing Home Mrs. S. Faulkner, Head Teacher, The Shaw Wood Academy.

#### Officers:

Mr. S. Smales of Smales Planning & Regeneration Services Limited; Mrs. J. Stimpson, DMBC Planning Policy Manager (Built Environment). Mr. G. Shephard, Clerk to Armthorpe Parish Council

## **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor S.L. McGuinness and Mrs. C. Rusby, Armthorpe Women's Institute.

#### 1. MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting of the Group held on 24<sup>th</sup> April 2013 (copies of which had previously been circulated to each Member), be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

## 2. ENVIRONMENT AGENCY

RESOLVED that the contents of a letter received from the Environment Agency, dated 9<sup>th</sup> May 2013, commenting on flood risk, groundwater and site specifics, which the Steering Group should take account of in determining its allocations, be noted.

## 3. SOCIAL HOUSING

RESOLVED that the contents of the written reply be noted from Doncaster Borough Council, to the letter sent by the Clerk on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2013 requesting information about affordable and social housing.

# 4. <u>HIGHWAY QUERIES AND PLANS</u>

RESOLVED that Mrs. J. Stimpson be thanked for:-

(1) obtaining written answers from Doncaster Borough Council's highway engineers to the queries raised at the previous meeting, including an assessment of the costs of a proposed southern relief road; and

(2) supplying copies of plans requested by Members of the Steering Group.

# 5. <u>ALLOCATION OF SITES FOR HOUSING/EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENTS</u>

## **RESOLVED**

- (1) it be noted that the Group discussed the allocation of various sites for the development of employment/housing and in its deliberations once again considered and took account of all information received and considered to date;
- (2) that the sites identified for employment/housing be allocated for inclusion in the Draft Plan 2.

# 6. <u>DRAFT PLAN 1</u>

#### RESOLVED

- (1) that Mr. S. Smales be thanked for supplying Members of the Steering Group with a Draft Plan 1, which incorporated some of the policies for discussion by Members;
- (2) that Mr. Smales be thanked for his undertaking to include other policies in a Draft Plan 2, including the allocated development sites.

# 7. NEXT MEETING

RESOLVED that the next meeting of the Steering Group be held at 7.00 pm on Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2013.