

NPSG – minutes of Meeting 30 – 15 July 2026; Toddington Village Hall; 19.00hrs

Amended by LW – point 15 and next meeting dates

1 - Present: Tom Chevalier (TCh), Tony Collins (TCo), Steve Killinger (SK), Andy Lewis (AL), Kate Russell (KR), David Stacey (DS),

2. Apologies: Tony Williams (TW) Lorraine Ward (LW) Neil Buthee

Absent: None

3. Meeting was Quorate

4- No changes to Declarations.

5 and 6 - Matters Arising: meeting 29 minutes approved and confirmed to be published on website. Minutes mtg 27 now on Sharepoint, minutes for 27 and 28 can now both be published on website.

7 – Parish Council. Meeting 14.07. 2026 feedback: AL and KR attended to discuss the draft Aims developed from the survey and feedback. Positively received by PC who also agreed to the public meeting about the Call for Sites planned for 29 July 2026.

8 and 9 – Planning and Prep for public meeting at Wilkinson Hall 29/07/2026: Deadline for all responses to CBC by 16 August. Not easy to see maps of sites for consultation on line and how to formulate responses as all has to be done on line. Purpose of the event to show the sites on presentation and provide information on how to respond. 2 sessions to be held at 5.30 and 7, each up to an hour to allow time for questions. Agreed publicity with banner (SK to arrange with Andy), notices in library, local shops etc and on line. TCo to publicise on FB, TCh on website. SK to publicise through links to existing clubs. Insufficient time for leaflets. Tco to look at Instagram, SK to contact schools by 17 July. All to review proposed banner by 16 July.

10 – Chapman Planning Checklist: All to note that checklist circulated a week ago. Draft Plan including policies from Chapman Planning (SC) by mid August. All to comment promptly by email/what's app as no NSPG in second half of August, before plan submitted to September PC meeting. Comments from PC to be taken on board and amendments made where necessary. PC then have to submit for 6 week consultation (S14). Amendments to be made if any substantive comments. Back to Chapman Planning for QC before PC submit to CBC. Plan is then submitted to Inspector for approval. If approved then to referendum, likely to coincide with Local Elections May 27. SK and LW to work up detailed timetable with Champman Planning (SC). Agreed continued use of Survey Monkey as works well for capturing feedback. Note Local Plan due end of 2028, and revisions to NPFF due in summer 2026 (not published to date).

11 – Next Steps/Actions: DS to take photos of proposed sites and send to AL.

12and 13 - Working group reports: None specific. NSPG website repaired, TCo posting on FB regularly.

14–CBC Local Transport Consultation: noted consultation closes 20/09/2026. Not discussed further as priority is Call for Sites consultation.

15 - AOB: Chapman Planning (SC) attending either 26 August or 2 Sept meeting. SK to confirm - Update from SK: mtg 26.08.2026 cancelled, SC mtg date tbc

16 – Next meeting dates and details:

All to be held in Village Hall 7.00- 9.00pm (booked) unless advised otherwise, Tony Collins has Hall key in absence of SK:

Future dates:29.07.2026 to be used for Call for Sites Meeting in Wilkinson Hall.

Village hall closed during August, 12.08.2026 location tbc, (chair KR, secretary needed – Apologies SK, LW,) 02.09.2026 (Apologies LW – secretary needed), 16.09.2026 (Apologies LW – secretary needed), 30.09.2026 (Apologies LW – secretary needed), 14.10.2026, 28.10.2026, 11.11.2026, 25.11.2026, 09.12.2026,

Meeting Closed 7.30pm-----