

MINUTES OF THE FAVERSHAM 20's PLENTY COMMITTEE MEETING held on Thursday 23rd April 2020, 7pm

Present:

Cllr Thomas	Cllr Saunders	Cllr Williams
Cllr Jackson	Cllr Irwin	T Stonor

Present

L Bareham (Town Clerk)		
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20.	<u>Apologies for Absence</u> Apologies were received from Amanda Russell and Chris Oswald-Jones.	
21.	<u>Declarations of Interest</u> None	
22.	<u>Minutes of the Previous Meeting</u> The Minutes of the Meeting dated 23 January 2020 were proposed by Cllr Thomas, seconded by Cllr Saunders and on being put to the meeting it was RESOLVED to approve	
23.	<u>PJA Update</u> ET, JS and TS had met with John McQueen of PJA and Jamie Watson of KCC. Notes from the meeting had been circulated. Both were looking again at the figures to ensure they were correct and to look at possible ways of phasing due to the cost. Possible stages were (1) installation of 20mph signs and gateways (2) traffic calming and interventions – basic such as removing white lines/coloured tarmac (3) substantial constructive intervention – kerb build outs and community corners. PJA to review what would go in each phase and if phasing would add to the cost. FTC has budgeted £28k and KCC has £30k, there were other options for funding including S106 money. Need to ensure our work compliments the KCC consultation.	
24.	<u>KCC Update</u> KCC are supportive of the project and want to ensure the consultation meets correct standards. Jamie Watson is providing a briefing paper to KCC Members and they want to use Faversham as an example for implementation elsewhere.	

25	<p><u>Next Steps</u> JS provided a schedule of potential sources of funding. One option was a public works loan so the scheme did not need to be phased, the other option relied on funding over several years. TS suggested an LCWIP (local cycling and walking plan) which could attract national funding. JS confirmed that SBC may be interested in developing one.</p> <p>Cllr Saunders proposed, seconded by Cllr Thomas and on being put to the meeting it was <i>RESVOLVED that Cllr Saunders and the Town Clerk continue to work up a budget proposal</i></p>	JS TC
26.	<p><u>KCC Consultation</u> KCC will carry out the consultation to ensure it meets legal requirements. If there are many objections the scheme will go to Members for debate. The cost for the consultation is included in the project costings. KCC would be in a better position to defend objections.</p> <p>It was agreed it was important to put a campaign in place.</p> <p>JI noted there were a number of consultations due to take place including the Neighbourhood Plan and Housing Needs Survey, whilst indicating there was a lot going on, there was a need to ensure they appear joined up. He will share the NHP communication strategy with 20's Plenty.</p> <p>ET expecting update on costings from KCC soon.</p> <p>Cllr Saunders proposed, seconded by Cllr Thomas and on being put to the meeting it was <i>RESOLVED that they would work together to provide an article for the next newsletter</i></p>	ET JS
27.	<p><u>Any Other Business</u> CW suggested consulting with businesses post the current situation.</p> <p>Items for next agenda - JI – consultations brought together TS - discussion of the previous engagement TS – communicating how pulling together for liveable town</p> <p>A meeting will take place with JI, JS and TS to work up a proposal to integrate ideas</p> <p>JS will meet with Caz to discuss the community campaign.</p>	JS, JI, TS JS
	The meeting closed at 19.50	

