

# Whiteley Parish Council

## Strategic Development and Policy Committee

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the above Committee to be held at Meadowside Leisure Centre, Whiteley on 24<sup>th</sup> April at 9.15pm.

**Parish Council Committee members present:** Mike Evans (Chairman), David Jenkins (Vice-Chairman), Colin Bielckus, Roland Diffey, Pat Thew.

Parish Councillors Vivian Achwal, Chris Harper, Tasmin Smith three members of the public, Parish Clerk Nicki Oliver.

1. **To receive apologies for absence** None.
2. **To receive declarations of interest regarding agenda items** None.
3. **To adjourn meeting to allow participation by members of the public**  
Resident Keith Slack raised concerns about parking in Marjoram Way and the bus not stopping at the petrol station. **The Chairman noted the concerns.**  
Resident Brenda Hatch noted that the developer for the cinema is required to provide £450,000 towards highways improvements and asked the Parish Council to make sure it is spent in Whiteley. **The Chairman noted the comments.**
4. **Meeting resumed to consider the following agenda items:**
  - 4.1 To review issues concerning proposals for North Whiteley and reports to be made to the North Whiteley Development Forum **Date for meeting with three parishes to be circulated.**
  - 4.2 To review issues concerning Whiteley Village redevelopment – cinema proposals **The Chairman is speaking in support of the cinema application at WCC's PDC Committee on 25<sup>th</sup> April.**
  - 4.3 To review issues concerning the Parish Rooms **Plans to subdivide the storeroom awaited from the architect.**
  - 4.4 To review issues regarding the proposals for a temporary primary school **Nothing further to report.**
  - 4.5 To progress campaign to secure the opening of Yew Tree Drive to all vehicles **Nothing further to report.**
  - 4.6 To review Broadband availability issues for Whiteley residents **Continue to monitor the project to improve access to Broadband by commercial interests and HCC.**
  - 4.7 To progress an emergency plan for Whiteley **Cllr Harper is progressing, it was agreed to co-opt Chris to the SDP Committee whilst the project is carried out.**
  - 4.8 To agree key objectives for this committee for 2013/14 **Refer to next meeting.**

5. **To identify any unmanaged risks within this committee's remit** None.
6. **Review effectiveness of communication, development of links with other community organisations and support for local democracy through making information more widely available** Continue to monitor.
7. **Recent correspondence / reports from meetings of relevance to this committee** None.

#### **8. Exempt Business**

Members of the public were asked to leave the meeting whilst consideration of this item took place.

8.1 Funding request for a local project **Following confidential discussion it was agreed not to grant the request at this stage.**

Meeting closed 9.45pm