



East Hagbourne Parish Council

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Neighbourhood Plan



On advice from SODC, in order to strengthen our Neighbourhood Plan's landscape evidence, the Steering Group commissioned a further report from Novell Tullett who are advising Didcot Garden Town/SODC on the proposed Green Buffers around all of the edges of the town. We should have the landscape report finalised by the end of August allowing final amendments to be made to the draft Neighbourhood Plan for approval at the Parish Council's meeting on 6th September. From there the Plan will be sent back to SODC who will approve the final draft and then send it out for a second 6-week consultation before the end of September. The results of this second consultation, which SODC will run, will then be passed to the Planning Inspector who will review the Plan in its entirety, including the processes followed in formulating the Plan, and in particular the consultation with residents and all other interested parties. Following the Inspection process the Plan goes back to SODC for their further approval. At present the Steering Group envisage that the public referendum will be held in Q1 2019.

New Housing Developments



The big news since the last magazine page is that the Appeal by Catesby has been refused so the unwanted and unplanned development east of Park Road will not happen. We still await the decision of the planning officers on the Persimmon application for land off St Hugh's Rise and the Taylor Wimpey application on Hagbourne Fields.



Parish Council Surgeries

Iain Duff held his first surgeries as Chairman in July and will be scheduling further sessions in October. The Parish Council will publish these dates as soon as they are known.



Defibrillator Training

The village's defibrillator has been moved from The Fleur to outside the Village Shop so as to be in a more accessible location. The Parish Council will be arranging training on the defibrillator. Anyone wishing to take part in a training session should contact the clerk at the above e-mail address/phone number.

CURRENT PLANNING APPLICATIONS

P18/S2626/N4A, Greenacres, Great Mead, Blewbury Road, East Hagbourne OX11 9BN

P18/S2695/FUL, 87 New Road East Hagbourne

The next Parish Council Meeting will be: Thursday 6th September 2018 at 7:30pm in East Hagbourne Pavilion.

All Council meetings are open to the public and we welcome your participation.

Agendas and Minutes of previous meetings are published at www.easthagbourne.net

Football in East Hagbourne

Hagbourne United Football Club are looking for new players to play in the North Berks league divisions 4 & 5. The Club currently fields two men's teams for age 16+, but will be pleased to hear from players of all ages and abilities. Contact Trevor Davies at trevor.davies500@ntlworld.com or tel 07505 991 688