

## CATG Appendix 1

Westbury Area Board  
Air Quality Management working group  
Friday 17 January 2014

### Minutes

#### 1. Attendees

|                    |                                 |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| Russell Hawker     | Wiltshire Councillor (Chairman) |
| David Jenkins      | Wiltshire Councillor            |
| Gordon King        | Wiltshire Councillor            |
| Carole King        | BA13 Community Area Partnership |
| Sally Hendry       | Community Area Manager          |
| Spencer Drinkwater | Principal Transport Planner     |
| Rachel Kent        | Environmental Health Officer    |
| Mike Swabey        | Edington Parish Council         |
| Charles Riley      | Coulston Parish Council         |

An Air Quality Management working group is to be formed with the aim of compiling an air quality action plan for the Westbury community.

The meeting was told that Wiltshire has eight air quality management areas (AQMAs) including Westbury and that air quality testing was carried out at several points in the town.

Discussions followed about ways in which the community could work to improve air quality with suggestions including better cycle routes and facilities like bike racks to encourage more cycling; commitment from schools and parents to walk rather than drive to school; better use of public transport and the planting of more trees.

It was agreed

- The AQ group would meet as a working group of the area board and that representatives would be invited from the town council and local cycling groups as well as the current CATG membership.
- SD would look at the town's current cycle network and where it could be improved.
- SH to set up meeting with passenger transport officers and area board members ref the review of Westbury Weaver bus service
- SH GK RH and DJ to look at possible locations for bike racks
- Next meeting to be held at 10am on Friday 10 March. Venue tba