

Draft Minutes of the Chippenham Area (3) Committee Meeting held on Monday 9 March 2009 at Monkton Park, Chippenham

Present:

Councillor D.B. Allen (Chairman)

Councillors P. Coleman, P. Darby, J.P. Doubell, S.K. Doubell, J. Hall, P.J. Hutton, S. Meadows, J.A. Phillips, N.M. Phillips, J. Scott and J.R. Scragg

County/Town/Parish Council Representatives:

F Winup	Castle Combe Parish Council
A Bishop	Castle Combe Parish Council
G Ruggles	Castle Combe Parish Council
A Noblet	Chippenham Town Council
M Packard	Chippenham Town Council
T Bate	Chippenham Without Parish Council
L Palmer	Grittleton Parish Council
B Pattinson	Langley Burrell Parish Council
J Clark	Seagry Parish Council and CHAP
C Dash	Yatton Keynell Parish Council
R Henning	Wiltshire County Council
J Rooke	Wiltshire County Council

Officers Present:

P Barnett (Head of ICT), M Todd (Senior Democratic Services Officer) and V Welsh (Area Board Project Manager)

CH50. Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors C Caswill, R MacGregor and H Purdon.

CH51. Public Questions/Receipt of Petitions

No public questions or petitions were received.

CH52. Minutes

Consideration was given to the minutes of the Chippenham Area (3) Committee meeting held on 12 January 2009.

Resolved that the minutes of the Chippenham Area (3) Committee meeting held on 12 January 2009 be approved and signed as a correct record.



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CH53. Chairman's Announcements

The Chairman announced that this was the final meeting of the Chippenham Area Committee and thanked all the members and officers for their support over the years. She looked forward to the launch of the Area Boards following the elections in June.

CH54. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

CH55. Area (3) Community Area Awards Funding

A presentation was given regarding the Community Awards made in the Chippenham and Villages area.

The presentation covered the following issues:

- Cash for Communities Grants
- Community Area Award Grants
- Energy Efficiency Grants
- Disability Play Area Improvements
- CCTV Grants
- Post Office Closure Grant

Officers agreed to respond to a question relating to the percentage of successful awards that had linked into the Community Plan. It was noted that the Area Boards would have a budget of around £50k to spend on community projects. A sum of money had also been allocated to the new Council arising from the Local Area Agreement (LAA) and there would be an opportunity for the Area Boards to bid for this money. If successful the funds could be used to deliver the targets set out in the LAA. Officers also agreed to find out whether the addition of the Hullavington Parish area to the Chippenham and Villages Area Board would bring any additional funding.

CH56. Work/Improvements in Chippenham

Details of the work/improvements authorised or currently in progress within the town of Chippenham were circulated for information.

The meeting started at 8.50pm and finished at 9.02pm.

There were 10 members of the public present.