

## Salisbury community campus

### Selection of Shadow Community Operations Board representatives

Following the Area Board meeting on 12 May 2011, the community in the Salisbury community area were invited to submit expressions of interest to sit on the Salisbury Shadow Community Operations Board (Shadow COB), comprising the following representation:

- 1 x representative of education and young people
- 1 x representative of the parish council
- 1 x representative of the wider community
- 3 x user and community group representatives

Local members are asked to determine the representation on the Shadow Community Operations Board from the list of applicants provided below. Local members may choose to consider the following broad criteria when determining representation on the Shadow Community Operations Board:

**Leadership** – effective community leadership and engagement which could take the form of those who either are, or consider themselves to be, strategic leaders as opposed to operational leaders

**Representation** – ability to represent the wider views and needs of the identified/relevant sector and sub-sectors (including minority and vulnerable groups) of the community area

**Skills** – the need to have an appropriate and representative skills set across the Shadow COB

**Context/background** – does the group or sector that the applicant represents cover a significantly large part of the community, or possibly a targeted group the Area Board would like to engage with?

**Consultation** – is there evidence or a known evidence of an ability to coordinate some form of consultative process

**Conflict of interests** – some applicants will inevitably represent or be involved in other organisations, groups, special interest parties etc. Consideration as to whether these other interests make inclusion on the Shadow COB inappropriate may need to be given

**Enthusiasm and drive for success** – in some cases individuals within the community may not represent a specific group or organisation, but demonstrate a considerable passion for working with others to create a successful and sustainable campus facility

## Shadow Community Operations Board – summary of expressions of interest

Name	Sector, group or organisation you represent	Reasons for expression of interest
Ruth Jones	<p>The Unit – young volunteers, and adult volunteers concerned with things to do and places to go for young people aged 13-19</p> <p><a href="http://www.unitspace.org.uk">www.unitspace.org.uk</a></p>	<p>We are a completely independent organisation.</p> <p>We work solely to engage and involve young people in their community through finding, promoting, and taking part in things to do, and creative approaches to encouraging young people to have their voices heard.</p> <p>We have a growing band of young volunteers from a wide range of backgrounds and supporting adult volunteers.</p> <p>We are skilled and experienced at communication with young people, and have an adult committee and supporters with a wide range of skills and experience relating to young people, youth culture, education.</p> <p>We have established good, active links and partnerships with a range of local organisations in the community, including schools and arts / cultural providers.</p>
Two representatives of the Salisbury CAYPIG (both age 17 years)	Salisbury CAYPIG	<p>One of us lives in town and the other lives in Bemerton Heath and we both help out at the Bridging Project.</p> <p>We feel that it is a very important scheme and we would like to know what changes would happen to it with the current situation.</p> <p>Salisbury youth centre plays a big role within the local area and has helped a lot of people. It has not only helped with our confidence greatly it also has had a great impact in our choices in careers as one of us is now working in childcare.</p> <p>I think a main reason why the youth centre is effective is because it is close and people don't have to travel. The campus must be accessible to everyone as currently we provide for a wide range of individuals and groups which might find it difficult to go to a new youth centre.</p>

<p>Lieutenant Peter Clark</p>	<p>The Salvation Army, Churches Together</p>	<p>Having been appointed by The Salvation Army in July 2010 to lead along with my wife the work of the Salvation Army in the Salisbury Area.</p> <p>I have in the last eight months looked at where we as a Christian Organisation with many years experience fit into the already excellent work being carried out in the Salisbury area.</p> <p>I was born in Chippenham 50 years ago and have a heart for Wiltshire and the community and was delighted to be appointed back to the area last year.</p> <p>I represent a large organisation that has many expertise and experience in supporting people to improve and support local organisations. In my last appointment for the Salvation Army I worked very closely with the local authority on the south coast, our building was the hub of community working with over 60 agencies and organisations.</p> <p>This month I will become Mayor's Chaplin and Vice Chairman of Churches Together in Salisbury.</p> <p>If my experience and support network can be of help I would be willing to support in any way.</p>
<p>Patricia Fagan</p>	<p>Elizabeth House social centre, voluntary sector, working with people with disabilities</p>	<p>I wish to ensure the voice of people with disabilities is heard. I am ideally placed to gather their comments, with direct access to many, by no means all, of Salisbury's disabled people and their carers.</p>
<p>John Proctor</p>	<p>User and community</p>	<p>Represent Children's Nurseries on Schools Forum and Early Years Reference Group and run 3 nurseries in the area including one at the children's centre on Bemerton Heath. I am a church minister in Salisbury with over 1000 parishoners in 5 churches.</p> <p>I am Chairman of Alabaré working with vulnerable and marginalised across the county including, homeless, young people, learning disabled, young single mums with babies and ex offenders.</p> <p>I have contact with a wide cross section of the community and am willing to speak up for their interests. I believe for us to build a cohesive community people must have a voice and be</p>

		<p>involved in determining their own future.</p> <p>I have lived in Salisbury and surrounding area for over 25 years and work in both the city and rural villages gaining a better understanding of their differing needs.</p>
Patricia Crabtree	<p>I represent the people living in the centre of Salisbury – I am not on any other committees, which makes me a member of the ideal constituent sector: the real public.</p>	<p>I have long advocated the creation of a single space for use by residents of the City, to mirror the existence of village halls and community centres in the outlying areas.</p> <p>I expect to be a typical user of a Salisbury Community Campus, so believe I have a sound insight into what is required and how it might best be provided.</p> <p>Also, I see it as important that someone sat on this committee represents (just) individuals, rather than it being made up only of people who have a more specific axe to grind, as members of pressure groups or associations who are already heavily represented on other relevant committees.</p>
Janice Fortune	<p>DEVELOP Enhancing Community Support (GROW)</p>	<p>As the commissioned infrastructure support service for Wiltshire we have a keen interest in supporting voluntary and community groups in the South and wish to ensure full involvement in the development of the Salisbury Community Campus.</p> <p>I would therefore like to express my interest in being part of the Community Operations Board overseeing this development.</p>
Debrah Biggs	<p>Wessex Community Action / Voluntary and Community Sector</p>	<p>As a local Council for Voluntary Service based in Salisbury since 1978, we liaise on a regular basis with other voluntary sector groups in and around Salisbury.</p> <p>We have members from many different interest groups and we are easily able to consult with them on any important issues that arise. We also work closely with other organisations across the county and are a member of the Wiltshire Infrastructure Consortium.</p>

<p>Anne Trevett</p>	<p>South Wilts Mencap</p>	<p>SWM is extremely interested in the development of the new day service for people with learning disabilities at Five Rivers and we are very concerned to have a voice in the planning process.</p> <p>We also want to see the development serving the wider community and foster integration of people with learning disabilities into the community.</p>
<p>To be elected from SCCAP Steering Group</p>	<p>Salisbury City Community Area Partnership (SCCAP; Our Salisbury)</p> <p>Representing all sectors within Salisbury (voluntary, business and residents)</p>	<p>As the local Community Area Partnership, “Our Salisbury” should have a representative on the Community Operations Board to liaise with all groups, businesses and residents in Salisbury, to enable their views to be sought and heard.</p> <p>The representative would be elected from within the current Steering Group.</p>