

Steering Group Meeting 28th Sept 2017

Broadclyst held its first Neighbourhood Steering Group meeting at the Wilshire room at the Victory Hall Broadclyst Wednesday 28th September. The meeting was well attended with 6 Councillors, 10 members of the public and 5 officers.

The meeting started with light refreshments before the introduction to the steering group and its purpose and aims by Janvrin our Neighbourhood planning officer. All attendees were split into four groups to complete tasks under four headings.

1. Economy & Employment - Mark on a map the businesses within the Parish, then, identify them using planning codes. List what business you would like to see in the Parish and what do you feel is lacking within the Parish?

2. Access Infrastructure - List the access in/out of the parish and settlements for Rail, Roads, Cycle paths etc. Then to identify how the access is hindered/lacks. Cranbrook, Pinn Court, Mosshayne & Old Park Farm are new developments within or very close to our parish, what will the new developments provide in the way of infrastructure? New development changes the sustainability, how can this enhance/ advantage infrastructure?

3. Settlements – List within your settlement (Westwood, Blackhorse, Westclyst, Broadclyst Station) the types of housing, traffic & parking etc. Any community facilities, cycle paths, pavements within each settlement. What will the new developments provide that your settlement does not already have? New development changes a settlements sustainability, how can this enhance/advantage your settlement?

4. Sport Recreation & Leisure – List within the Parish where all the sport, leisure and recreation takes place. Label the different locations, some locations will have more than 1 label. Now make a hierarchical list (most to least provision). What provision is lacking/ not offered in the parish? Which areas within the parish have poor levels of provision?

The tasks included marking on a map and listing of different aspects of the 4 headings within the Parish. People were split into groups to play on their strengths and knowledge within the community. The tasks were carried out with great enthusiasm and there was a real buzz within the room. All the information was gathered at the end of the night and will be collocated together to plan the next steering group.