

Stratfield Mortimer Parish Council

Full Council Meeting 13/10/2022

Strategy Working Party

Agenda item 22/067 5: Strategy report

1: Purpose of the working party

The purpose of the group was confirmed as to identify candidates for future projects and quantify their high level business case, as part of the council's medium/long term planning process.

When candidates "pass" business case review, depending on their nature, the group will either seek to pass them to the relevant committee or progress them itself.

The group does not set out to manage/check up on projects that other committees are running.

2: Allotments

Cllr Marsden is working on this, and Cllr Bridgman obtained and passed on landowner details to assist follow up.

3: Projects backlog

We discussed the 2020 public consultation, that sought feedback on specific projects (toilets/library/exercise equipment) because it also invited suggestions for others. We discussed that the group may wish to review that public input and our responses as the basis of possible new projects. We also considered that councillors as elected people ('community leaders' perhaps) can put forward their own ideas for evaluation.

We concluded that CCTV, assumed to be on the fairground at first, is a good such new project candidate to investigate, taking account that Burghfield has implemented a system, there is long standing public request for it and it was on a prior Parish Plan as a priority.

We agreed the following actions:

- To each review the 2020 ideas and our feedback on them, prior to next meeting, using the list that is filterable by topic <https://www.stratfield->

mortimer.gov.uk/sites/smpc/files/2021-06/SMPC%20public%20ideas%20and%20comments%202020.xlsx

- Cllr Bridgman agreed to and sought to obtain details of the Burghfield rec. CCTV system. Since the meeting Cllr Morrin/Cally Morris have provided supplier details and Cllrs Wells and Carter are meeting the supplier on Oct 7.

Future meeting proposed for late Sept/Oct – date subsequently set as Mon 17 Oct 19.00 as a Teams call.

Cllr Nick Carter 6/10/22