NOTES OF LISKEARD NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN TOWN WORKING GROUP

1pm 18 March 2015 REFRESHMENT ROOM, PUBLIC HALL

Those present: Rachel Brooks (RB), Sally Hawken (SH), John Hesketh (JH), Funmi Johnson (FJ), Denise Larner (DL), Wendy Lindesay (WL), Ray Meadows, (RM), Sue Shand (SS).

1 Apologies: John Hesketh

2 Declarations of interest: None

3 Notes of previous meetings

Notes of meeting held on 4 February: Amend 4 to say NP would look to expand on Policy 1a.

Disability access will come back to group but have been some difficulties arranging next meeting.

4 Local listing of buildings

Agreed: 10am Sunday 22nd walkabout organised.

Actions: Funmi to e-mail Tony Wood about other sites to look at.

5 Defining areas of town centre and use of land

Information on empty shops

Agreed: Lower Lux St - opportunity site
Add ATS tyres & Farm Shop to Cattle Market opportunity site

More general issues around empty shops are do not come under the NP remit.

6 Opportunity sites update

Agreed: Postpone until JH available. Pike St - response from owner received.

Actions: Wetherspoons to be contacted as soon as possible ref: Taylor's Garage site.

7 Public consultation/stakeholder engagement

Draft Wetherspoons consultation

Agreed: Talk to Wetherspoons about possibility of shared consultation to influence the land use issues for site.

Draft questions considered:

'Public' space changed to open space. Last question amend to: Building style complements local buildings Use of locally appropriate materials

8 Project planning and report from group to main NP team

Agreed:

Decide vision for Town Centre WG next meeting. WG Chairs will meet soon to agree territory between WGs.

Actions:

RB To try to reschedule WG Chairs meeting to assist with WG vision.

To help with vision:

TT bid RB CSP - town centre page SH Town Centre Partnership? DL

To help with objectives:

NP WG Town Recommendations SS

10 Review of meeting

What was good:

Chairing incl timings
Background info
Know where we're going next
Got through a lot of paperwork quite easily
Know what we're doing in empty shops - JH
Getting teeth into a specific site

What should be different/better:

Project more info instead of paper copies
Natural light
Try to keep perspective & keep things simple
Be able to see several stages followed - dissipate fog
Move to being more externally focused

11 DONM: 1pm Wednesday 1 April, Refreshment Room, Public Hall

Further meeting dates – 15 and 28 April