



Environment Theme Group
Minutes Thursday 11 March 2021

1. Present: Nicki Dearson, Janette Matthews, John McKeon, Beth Somi, Tony Voss, Penny Weston-Webb, Fiona Gibbs
Cc John Martin and Emma Crowe
2. Apologies: none. Sadly, Fiona needs to resign from the group due to other commitments, but she will try and join the meetings when she can to offer input and advice
3. Chair and note-taker roles: Penny Weston-Webb (chair and local lead/liaison) and Beth Somi (note-taker)
4. The majority of the meeting was each of us raising our concerns about the following:
 - Concern that working as individuals we are basing information on assumptions and beliefs rather than facts
 - How do we mark-up maps?
 - What do we actually need to do?
 - Feeling lost with so many emails, documents and Dropbox
 - How do we work together?
 - Our plan of action is to have short focussed meetings to work together to agree the information and we can then provide this to John to use on maps and in the drafts
 - The first meeting will cover flooding and views
 - The second meeting will cover open spaces
 - Suggestion that we can now meet up in 2s – Nicki and Janette to meet to cover ridge and furrow
 - All to continue to complete parcel of land inventory and add photos to Dropbox – named as the field number
 - For reference, the text from the 2008 edition of the village booklet is saved in our Dropbox as COSSINGTON
 - Beth to review if all footpaths are included on the document in Dropbox
 - Beth to tidy up Dropbox using folders
 - We need to distribute the parcels of land and 'flooding' that had previously been allocated to Fiona – Beth is happy to contact the flood warden after the meeting on Monday – parcels of land are 10 – 19
5. Date of our next meetings: Monday 15 and Wednesday 17 March 4pm
6. Date of next meeting with John Martin: Wednesday 24 March 7.30

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