East Challow Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group

Meeting

29th October 2018

Attendees

ECNP Group

Peter Rumsey, Les Cannings, Francis Webb, Chris Nugent, Caroline Dunstan, Trevor Hayes
Apologies: Helen Butcher, Olwyn Nugent,

EC Parish Council Vanessa Bosley, Francis Webb, Sarah Parker

NOTES

The meeting was requested by Dandara to update the ECNP Group and the PC on progress, in particular the findings of their own surveys following the presentation given by them in the village hall on 27th June 2018.

A discussion was held on the site selection process adopted in the NP. The Chair clarified that the NP will not include any allocated sites for development since there is already significant further housing development which has received planning permission and the results of consultation do not indicate a significant housing need.

ECNP confirmed that they do not intend that the NP should take a position either for or against Dandara's proposed development. The original objectives for the ECNP included to "encourage sustainable development if it can contribute to the development of the Western Relief Road and reduce the current traffic flow on the A417" but the impact of the 750 new houses proposed would have a major impact on the village.