

Report for meeting of Broadwas and Cotheridge Parish Council 11.3.26

Item 26/51 - NDP Review

Since the last meeting the following has been progressed.

- Meetings with Lee Searles
- Meeting with AECOM re Design Guide (draft)
- Uploading of draft report for councillors to review and comment on
- Meeting of the wording group to review the above

The present position is therefore

- The working group have reviewed and challenged the current draft document
- Lee is now incorporating this discussion and action points in next draft
- Aecom have agreed to changes to the Design Guide and will submit these to Locality (by 31.3.26) and the Parish Council for final sign off.
- Lee is setting out a projected timeline and next steps.
- Once final draft is received a preface and introduction needs to be agreed.

Decisions required from Councillors

1. Agreement that we proceed on the basis that the draft considered by the working group subject to amendments by Lee is our final working draft
2. That the Working Group and Lee finalise the introduction and therefore next steps in terms of updating the parish, any consultation events (noting a provisional date has been earmarked for the 30th March) and other measures required.
3. As requested by the Clerk to consider the interim/end of year position re funding, pending the opening of the MHDC financial assistance scheme on the 1.4.26.

Richard Burrows
Chair