



PADDOCK WOOD NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP
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**VIRTUAL MEETING OF THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN
STEERING GROUP TO BE HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 21st October 2020 at 7.30PM.
THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA ZOOM**

This meeting is open to the public of Paddock Wood. Log in details are as follows:

<https://zoom.us/j/98475334152?pwd=eHB3UnhORVFNQUMyTOercU1hYINiQT09>

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It would be helpful if you could enable your video cameras as this will make it easier for you to take part in the meeting and to let the Steering Group know if you wish to say something.

APOLOGIES:

1. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

- To APPROVE the minutes of the meetings held on Wednesday September 16th 2020

2. Information items arising

- Communications Officer
- Recruitment of new steering group members
- Resignation of Steven Barrett from Paddock Wood Town Council

3. Public consultation

An update will be provided at the meeting.

As well as a leaflet, posters in Barsleys, use of the website, Facebook, articles in Contact and the Town Crier the following have been suggested:

Contacting local organisations and businesses via Email

The Press

Posters

Banners

4. Feedback from Masterplanning consultation

Please see attached document from Jon Herbert

5. Churchill Homes

An online hearing will be held on November 17th. Jon Herbert has suggested that PWTC could make representations on behalf of the Town Council as a whole and the Neighbourhood Plan group as opposed to two separate representations being submitted. Any comments the Neighbourhood Plan group make separately should be restricted to matters that impact on our ability to make planning policies for the town centre.

6. Kent Rail Strategy

Jeremy Thompson has drawn this consultation to the attention of the NP Steering Group. Steering Group members need to decide if they wish to respond as a group or individually.

Kent County Council (KCC) is currently consulting on their draft Kent Rail Strategy 2021.

The Strategy aims to influence train services in the county for the next decade. They want to make sure the voices of communities, businesses and partners are heard to ensure our rail network will help deliver economic growth and to represent what Kent's travelling public want and need.

This consultation closes at midnight on Tuesday 17 November

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/kentrailstrategy2021>

Document attached. Specific references to Paddock Wood can be found on p38, 46, 70 and 77.

7. Financial report

8. Facebook report

9. Any Other Information

DATE OF NEXT STEERING GROUP MEETING: The next scheduled meeting is on Wednesday 18 November 2020. Dates of future Steering Group meetings: 16 December.

Meryl Flashman 15th October 2020