

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN UPDATE (February 2016)

Members of the *Steering Group* are currently in the process of holding informal meetings with owners of plots of land on the fringes of the village, but currently outside the Building Boundary, to establish their interest in the possibility of their land being considered for modest housing development.

Similar informal discussions are being held with the landowners who have already offered plots for possible development, so that the *Steering Group* are aware of all possible plots for consideration.

Meetings are also due to be held with neighbouring parishes and possible interested parties such as the Fonthill Estate. These meetings are for the *Steering Group* to be aware of Neighbourhood Plans, developments and opportunities of these organisations so that we fully integrate our Plan with those of others, and are in a good position to hold public meetings in Hindon and able to answer questions as they might arise.

It is then proposed that one, or a series of public meetings, will take place in the form of "Workshops" where villagers can identify where they would prefer to see housing and other facilities which were listed as priorities from the questionnaires completed recently.

The steering group have made no decisions or commitments to any land owner or organisation about where or what developments should occur. The *Steering Group* is only too aware that this is a village project and detailed plans will only develop once the village have had the opportunity to voice their opinions.

The *Steering Group* is and will remain as the organisation through which our Neighbourhood Plan will be produced.