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## **Much Wenlock and Shipton Local Joint Committee**

**Date:**

**Wednesday 20 July 2011 19:00 in Priory Hall, Much Wenlock**

You are invited to attend the above meeting

(6.30 -7.00 p.m. Local Police will be in attendance to enable residents have an informal discussion with them about any policing or community safety concerns they may have).

**Members of the Committee:**

**Easthope Shipton and Stanton Long Parish Council**

Bob Seaward  
Philip Wadlow

**Much Wenlock Town Council**

Eric Humphries  
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**Shropshire Council**

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## **AGENDA**

**1. Welcome/Apologies for Absence/Substitutions**

With effect from 1 April 2011, Broseley and Much Wenlock electoral divisions have joined together to create one Local Joint Committee which will operate on a two zone principle (Much Wenlock and Shipton LJC and Broseley and Barrow LJC). The Much Wenlock and Shipton LJC Committee will meet twice a year chaired by the elected Shropshire Council member for Much Wenlock.

**2. Appointment of Vice- Chairman**

While under the constitution the Chairman shall be a member of Shropshire Council, the Vice- Chairman may be a representative of any of the local authorities represented on the Committee.

**3. Declarations of Interest**

Members to disclose any personal or prejudicial interests they may have in the business to be transacted.

**4. The Friendly Transport Service Ltd**

A presentation will be made by Marie Monk-Hawksworth, Project Manager.

**5. Neighbourhood Planning - Much Wenlock Front Runner**

A presentation will be made by Mr Robert Stack a member of the Neighbourhood Planning Front Runner Steering Group.

**6. Update on Market Towns Revitalisation Programme/ Rural Challenge Capital Fund**

Attached is information on projects for the Market Towns Revitalisation Programme and Rural Challenge Capital Fund- Much Wenlock Town Markets Stimulation Project.

**7. Current Policing issues – PACT (Partners and Communities Together)**

An opportunity to raise any issues with your local police officers.

Contact PC Stuart Lippitt (0300 333 3000)

**8. Funding applications**

To consider the attached report on funding applications.

Contact Kerry Rogers, Community Action Officer (01746 713110)

**9. Urgent and time sensitive matters**

The attached report was approved by Shropshire Council at their meeting on 23 June 2011, when it was agreed to give Community Action Officers delegated authority, in consultation with the Local Joint Committee Chair (or Vice-Chair in their absence), to determine urgent and time sensitive matters and that the Local Joint Committee Constitution be amended with immediate effect.

This Local Joint Committee must decide whether they wish such a role to be exercised and if so whether they wish to place any local restrictions on their powers of delegation. The Chair has stated that he will undertake email or telephone contact with other members of the Committee to obtain a consensus if a decision is required on a time sensitive or urgent matter.

**10. Local bus Service Changes: For information**

A comprehensive public consultation exercise was undertaken by Shropshire Council earlier this year concerning potential changes to local bus services detailed in the draft bus strategy for Shropshire 2011-16. The various changes which have been agreed can be viewed on Shropshire Council's website at <http://www.shropshire.gov.uk/traveltransport.nsf/open/718FE540380A7EC802577FC00353700>

With regard to bus services affecting Much Wenlock, the existing frequency of Service 436 (Bridgnorth-Shrewsbury) will be maintained between Mondays and Saturdays. However, Shropshire Council subsidy is being removed from all Sunday and Bank Holiday journeys and the last day of operation for the 436 Service on Sundays will be 4 September 2011.

**11. Public Question Time / Identification of future agenda items**

Members of the Public will also be able to ask questions and make suggestions for future agenda items.

**12. Next meeting**

The next meeting will be held at Shipton Village Hall on Wednesday 16 November 2011 at 7.00 p.m.

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