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Date: Friday, 20 March 2015

**Committee:**  
**Wem and Shawbury Local Joint Committee**

**Date:** Tuesday, 24 March 2015

**Time:** 7.00 pm

**Venue:** Shawbury Village Hall, Church Street, Shawbury, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, SY4 4NZ

You are invited to attend the above meeting.

**Members of the Committee**

Simon Jones (Chairman)  
Edward Towers (Vice Chairman)  
Karen Calder  
Brian Williams  
Pauline Dee  
Chris Mellings  
Philip Gillings  
Tom Wycherley  
VACANCY  
Jeff Beard  
Jeff Lester  
Russell Purslow  
John Kennedy  
Claire Crackett  
Len Staines  
John Edwards  
Sim Beer

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# AGENDA

## **1 Apologies for Absence**

To receive apologies for absence.

## **2 Disclosable Pecuniary Interests**

Members are reminded that they must not participate in the discussion or voting on any matter in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate.

## **3 Chairman's Welcome**

Welcome to everyone; brief explanation and background about the purpose and powers of the meeting.

## **4 Notes and any Matters Arising (Pages 1 - 4)**

To confirm the notes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2014, copy attached marked 4.

## **5 Partners and Communities Together (PACT)**

Your opportunity to raise issues in your area with the local policing team and Shropshire Fire and Rescue.

## **6 The Future of Shawbury Library**

A presentation on the future of library services to encourage local community conversations.

## **7 Connect-Create Project**

A project co-ordinated by the Hive offering more than eighty inspiration workshops for toddlers, young people and families – both in the Armed Forces and in their local communities, led by experienced professional artists.

## **8 Shropshire Council Youth Commissioning**

An update in the Commissioning of youth provision for 10-19 year olds.

## **9 Let's Talk**

To receive questions and comments from members of the public.

## **10 Future Agenda Items**

To identify potential items for future meetings.

## **11 Date, Time and Venue of Next Meeting**

To be announced.



## Committee and Date

Wem and Shawbury  
Local Joint Committee

24<sup>th</sup> March 2015  
7.00 p.m.

## Agenda Item 4

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Public

### WEM AND SHAWBURY LOCAL JOINT COMMITTEE

**NOTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 20<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2014 AT 7.00 P.M.  
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, EDINBURGH HOUSE, NEW STREET, WEM, SY4 5DB.**

**Responsible Officer:** Sue Thomas

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#### **Present:**

#### **Members of the Committee:**

Simon Jones	Shropshire Council – Shawbury
Brian Williams	Shropshire Council – The Meres
Chris Mellings	Shropshire Council – Wem
Pauline Dee	Shropshire Council – Wem
Philip Gillings	Clive Parish Council
Tom Wycherley	Grinshill Parish Council
	Hadnall Parish Council (substitute)
Jeff Beard	Loppington Parish Council
John Kennedy	Shawbury Parish Council
Len Staines	Wem Rural Parish Council
Edward Towers	Wem Town Council
John Edwards	Weston under Redcastle Parish Council

#### **Officers:**

Sue Thomas	Community Action Officer
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**There were approximately 2 members of the public at the meeting.**

**Action  
Column**

- 1. Election of Chair**  
Cllr Simon Jones was elected as Chair.
- 2. Apologies for absence**  
Apologies for absence noted.
- 3. Appointment of Vice Chair**  
Cllr Edward Towers was elected as Vice Chair.
- 4. Disclosable Pecuniary Interests**  
Members were reminded that they must not participate in the discussion or voting on any matter in which they had a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate.
- 5. Chairman's Welcome**  
Cllr S Jones welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained that this was the first LJC meeting without funding to grant to community groups.
- 6. Notes and matters arising**  
**RESOLVED:**  
That the Notes of the meeting of the Wem and Shawbury Local Joint Committee held on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2014 be approved and signed as a correct record by the Chairman.
- 7. Partners and Community Together**  
Sergeant Claire Greenaway was in attendance. There has been a drop in crime, mainly due to the co-operation of local residents. Community speed checks are proving popular.
- 8. The NHS Future Fit Programme**  
Mr Steven Williams explained that the Future Fit Programme is looking at all hospital services in Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin. The programme is about shaping the future of health care services.
- 9. Connecting Shropshire**  
Ben Walker, Shropshire Council updated on bringing faster broadband to this area.
- 10. Place Plan Priorities**  
The importance of the place plan was explained. The document is updated annual through consultation with residents and sets out the priorities for the area, including how CIL could be spent. Place Plan returns are to be with Shropshire Council by the end of January.
- 11. Let's Talk**  
There were no questions.
- 12. Future Agenda Items**  
Suggestions to be forwarded to Sue Thomas, 01930 237453, email [sue.j.thomas@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:sue.j.thomas@shropshire.gov.uk)

Sue  
Thomas

**13. Date, Time and Venue of Next Meeting**  
Details of the next meeting to be advised.

The Chairman thanked those present for attending.

The meeting ended at 9:00 p.m.

**Signed.....(Chairman)**

**Dated.....**

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