

## **WEM AND SHAWBURY LOCAL JOINT COMMITTEE**

**NOTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2014 AT 7.00 P.M.  
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, EDINBURGH HOUSE, NEW STREET, WEM, SY4 5DB.**

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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
Karen Calder	Shropshire Council – Hodnet
Pauline Dee	Shropshire Council - Wem
Philip Gillings	Clive Parish Council
Tom Wycherley	Grinshill Parish Council
Andrew Carter	Hadnall Parish Council (substitute)
Jeff Beard	Loppington Parish Council
Jeff Lester	Moreton Corbet and Lee Brockhurst Parish Council
Russell Purslow	Myddle and Broughton 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
Claire Crackett	Stanton upon Hine Heath Parish Council

#### **Officers:**

Sue Thomas	Community Action Officer
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#### **Also present:**

George Candler	Director of Commissioning
Paul Sutton	Shropshire Housing
Phil Smith	Shropshire Fire and Rescue

**There were approximately 20 members of the public at the meeting.**

**1. Apologies for absence**

Apologies for absence were received from:

Sim Beer                      Whixall Parish Council  
Sgt Claire Greenway   West Mercia Police

**2. Notes and matters arising**

RESOLVED:

That the Notes of the meeting of the Wem and Shawbury Local Joint Committee held on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2013 be approved and signed as a correct record by the Chairman.

**3. 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.

**4. Partners and Community Together**

Phil Smith, Shropshire Fire and Rescue was in attendance for this item and gave a presentation regarding the SFR. The four retained stations that had been recommended for closure will not be closing and staff cuts will be through natural wastage

West Mercia Police. A report was read out on their behalf

**5. Feedback on how funding has been spent:**

Hadnall Bowling Club

Wem Cricket Club

1<sup>st</sup> Wem Scouts

**6. Update on work at Edinburgh House**

Paul Sutton, Shropshire Housing was in attendance for this item and gave a presentation on the role of Shropshire Housing and the work at Edinburgh House

**7. North Shropshire Wheelers**

Pheobe Ashton was in attendance for this item and gave a presentation on the service they provide and volunteering opportunities.

**8. Update on Shropshire Councils Commissioning Work and IP&E**

George Candler, Director of Commissioning was in attendance for this item and gave a presentation on how Shropshire Council was becoming a Commissioning organisation and progress with IP&E

**11. Lets Talk Time**

There were no public questions or comments raised.

**12. Funding Applications Summary**

The Chairman welcomed applicants to present their funding bids to those present.

The Committee discussed each application and it was:

**RESOLVED:** that the following applications be approved:

<u>Application</u>	<u>Amount from budget</u> <u>(£30,817.00)</u>	Sue Thomas
Wem Platoon, Shropshire Army Cadet Force	824	
All Saints Parochial Church Council, Clive	500	
Goal (getting older adults online)	2000	
Wem Christmas Festival	2,000	
Wem Sports and Social Association	0	
Wem Town Hall	2,000	
Friends of Wem Swimming Pool	2,000	
Royal British Legion	500	
Stanton Upon Hine Heath AED	750	
Harmer Hill Village Hall Management Com	550	
1 <sup>st</sup> Wem Scouts	596	
Lee Brockhurst Parochial Church Council	1,689	
Total amount	£13,409	
Remaining Budget	£0	

**13. Future Agenda Items**

No items were put forward

Sue  
Thomas

**14. Resignation of Chair**

Cllr Brian Williams resigned as chair

**15. Election of Interim Chair**

Cllr Simon Jones was elected Interim Chair

**14. 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 9:00p.m.

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

**Dated.....**