

Figheldean Parish Action Plan - February 2008

The following tables provide the actions needed for each of the issues already outlined.

Timescale: Ongoing Short Term Medium Term Long Term
 Started Within 5 years 5 - 10 years 10 years +

Partnership: Indicates all interested potential parties when the partner is underlined it means Lead Partner.

Please Note - Index of abbreviations end of this Action Plan

Economic Wellbeing			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Shop/Post Office	Recommended a working party be set up with advice from Village Shop Adviser, Community First. To look into the feasibility of providing Community Shop/Post Office in Parish.	<u>PC</u> , VSPOG Community First Village Shop Adviser Working Men's Club Post Office SDC	Started Short term Started Short term
Energy – Shared Purchase Power	Consider whether any scheme might have support and whether easily administered by designated person.	<u>PC</u>	Medium Term

Transport and Access			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
* Speed of Road Vehicles	Propose limit on speed to: 1. 50mph on A345 Hackthorne - Netheravon. 2. On C32 Syrencote - Netheravon Camp. 3. 20mph in built up areas. 4. 20mph from A345 to Figheldean bridge, Church Lane, Pollen Lane 5. Vehicle activated signs - A345 near entrance to Parish.	<u>PC</u> WCC MOD	Started Ongoing
Mill Lane Traffic	1. Investigate limiting traffic in Mill Lane. 2. Consider calming measures.	<u>PC</u> WCC	Started Short Term
Parking	Consider whether any off road parking sites might be possible.	<u>PC</u> , SDC, WCC	Long Term
Maintenance of roads and pavements, verges. Signage	1. Encourage use of “ Clarence - Hotline” for reporting of defects and signage problems. 2. Publish agreed repairs and drainage improvements - including verges. 3. Ensure good drainage.	1. Roads and Signage <u>PC</u> , WCC, MOD 2. Verges <u>PC</u> , SDC, WCC 3. <u>PC</u> , WCC	Started Ongoing
Public Transport - Bus	Liaise on regular basis.	<u>PC</u> , SDC Bus company, WCC	Ongoing
Transport - Voluntary and Community Transport	1. Promote existing Link Scheme. 2. Recruit more volunteer drivers for Link. 3. Promote Connect (2) service. 4. Extension of transport to hospital.	1. <u>PC</u> , Link 2. PC, <u>Link</u> 3. PC, <u>WCC</u> 4. <u>PC</u> , SDC	Ongoing

** Note: Please see note at end of Action Plan for WCC policy on speed limits page 31.*

Environment			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Footpaths, rights of way and cyclist route.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Publish up to date map with footpaths. 2. Investigate re-opening of footpath to Netheravon from Figheldean via Harefield. 3. Cycle route Figheldean via Ham to Durrington. 4. Create walk along Avon River Bank. 5. Remind Parishioners to keep trees/shrubs/hedges trimmed beside footpaths. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>PC</u>, WCC, MOD 2. <u>PC</u>, MOD, WCC, WPC 3. <u>PC</u>, SDC, WCC, MOD 4. <u>PC</u>, MOD, EA 5. <u>PC</u> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Completed by PC 2. Started 3. Ongoing
Litter	<p>Encourage Parishioners:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tidy front gardens. 2. Tidy litter outside gate/property on pavements and gutters. 3. Keep dogs under control in public places. 4. Arrange collection litter bins. 5. Discourage fly tipping. 6. Keep Parish informed re-recycling. 	<p><u>PC</u> SDC</p>	<p>Started Ongoing</p>
Mill Pool Area	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Support Mill Pool use by local Parish children. 2. Regularly monitor and clean area. 	<p><u>PC</u> MOD Environment Agency</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
Part-time Grounds man	<p>Consider feasibility of employing Part time Grounds man to undertake cleaning.</p>	<p><u>PC</u> SDC</p>	<p>Short Term</p>

Housing			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Additional Housing	1. Resist strongly large scale developments. 2. Consider whether building line should be modified but still retained. 3. Consider whether development of up to ten houses is feasible. Including some affordable housing. 4. A housing needs survey be conducted by Community First (Rural Housing Enabler) in conjunction with SDC. 5. RHE to recommend whether or not houses could be provided on rural exception sites. 6. Consider need and practicality of village design statement being drawn up and written reflecting public opinion. 7. Recommend formation of Action/Working Group to progress items 1 - 6.	1. <u>PC</u> , SDC	Ongoing
Affordable Housing for young local people		2. <u>PC</u> , SDC	Ongoing
		3. <u>PC</u> , SDC, Community First	Ongoing
Village Design Statement		4. <u>PC</u> , SDC, Community First	Started
		5. <u>PC</u> , SDC, Community First, RHE	Ongoing
Action/Working Party		6. <u>PC</u> , SDC	Ongoing
		7. <u>PC</u>	Long Term

Education Facilities			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
C of E Primary School St.Michael's	School Governors to examine the community's needs and review options including modernising or providing new buildings.	<u>School Governors</u> PC, WCC	Medium Term
Facilities	Consider whether any slides or large climbing frame are possible either at School or playing field.	<u>PC</u> School Governors	Started by PC Short Term

Crime and Community Safety			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Community Policing	1. Request regular police foot patrolling in Parish. 2. Review Community Policing in two years time.	<u>PC</u> Wiltshire Constabulary	1. Ongoing 2. Short Term
Neighbourhood Watch	1. Strengthen links and publish activities with Police/Neighbourhood Watch. 2. Maintain awareness throughout Parish of Neighbourhood Watch. 3. Consider extension of Neighbourhood Watch to Camp area.	<u>PC</u> Wiltshire Constabulary Neighbourhood Watch MOD	Ongoing

Social and Healthcare			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Access to Healthcare	Improve access to Transport Schemes, for those unable to drive to hospitals, clinics.	<u>PC</u> , WCC Social Services	Ongoing

Community Facilities and Involvement			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Church Church Burial Areas	Encourage continued Support. Tidying of Grave Areas.	Parishioners <u>PCC</u> , PC	Ongoing
Parish Facilities and Involvement	Village Hall Management Committee to continue to promote hall.	<u>VHMC</u>	Ongoing
Youth Club	Examine ways in which Youth Club can be promoted, developed and future secured.	PC, <u>Youth Club</u>	Ongoing
Leisure Activities	Encourage clubs to maximise resources and obtain practical help - grants. Publicity through newsletter.	<u>PC</u> , VHMC	Ongoing

Parish Affairs			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Parish Council	1. Clarify nomination and election procedures. 2. Use newsletter to publish activities. 3. Introduce 'Welcome' pack for Parish. 4. Closer links with Clubs/Groups/Camp in Parish. 5. Continued development of website.	<u>PC</u> Clubs	Completed Ongoing Short Term Ongoing Ongoing

Culture and Leisure			
Issue	Action	Potential Partnership	Timescale
Leisure	1. Encourage use of facilities. 2. Consider levelling of playing field area. Slide on existing slope, large climbing frame.	<u>PC</u> , Clubs <u>PC</u> , Clubs, VHMC	Ongoing
Mobile Library	Maintain and Publicise Library Service to Parish including school.	<u>PC</u> , School, WCC, Library Service	Ongoing

Abbreviations

Camp	Netheravon Camp (part within our Parish)
C of E	Church of England
CP	Civil Parish
DEFRA	Department of Environment Food & Rural Affairs
EA	Environment Agency
MP	Member of Parliament
MOD	Ministry of Defence
MPH	Miles Per Hour
PCC	Parochial Church Council
PC	Parish Council
PO	Post Office
RHE	Rural Housing Enabler
SDC	Salisbury District Council
VSPOG	Village Shop and Post Office Group
SSSI	Site of Special Scientific Interest
VHMC	Village Hall Management Committee
VSA	Village Shop Adviser
WCC	Wiltshire County Council

Extract of WCC Policy - Statement on Speeding***Transport and Access - page 12 and Action Plan - page 26***

A strategy for local speed limits was considered by the Members of the County Council on 6th March 2007. Following indication of support for the strategy by the Members, the following has been agreed by the Cabinet Member for Environment, Transport and Economic Development as policy:

The Department for Transport Circular 01/2006 be adopted as guidance for the setting of speed limits in Wiltshire. (D of T Circular 01/2006 can be viewed on www.dft.gov.uk)

A review of speed restrictions on the County's Group 1 roads (A roads, B roads and important C roads) be undertaken to enable changes to be implemented by 2011 in accordance with Government requirements.

Requests for extensions to established speed restrictions be considered against the partnership arrangements agreed at the March 2006 meeting of the Environment Advisory Panel.

Requests for speed restrictions on Non Group 1 roads be assessed as part of a comprehensive review at a time to be agreed (but after the review of Group 1 roads). At that time a development criteria be formulated to enable effective 30mph speed limits to be introduced on Class 111 and unclassified roads where the requirements of DFT Traffic Advisory Leaflet 01/04 are not fully satisfied.

Within villages where 30mph speed limits have been introduced, in accordance with TAL 01/04, but speeds remain above enforcement thresholds, consideration will be given to the installation of permanent Vehicle Activated Signs.

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Appendix 1: Acknowledgements

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