

Minutes of Rural West NAG held at Castlethorpe Sports Pavilion
At 7.30pm on 11th August 2014

Item 1 Those Present

D Courtman (Hanslope), T Mobley (Hanslope), S Mobley (Hanslope), G Lancaster (Hanslope), P Ayles (Castlethorpe), J Earp (Castlethorpe), J Keane (Castlethorpe), D Hinds (Castlethorpe), P Gibbons (Haversham), I Allen (Stoke Goldington), Ken Foxley (Rural East), A Perry (TVP)

Item 2 Apologies

J Sweetland (Castlethorpe),

Item 3 Minutes

Minutes of previous meeting accepted. Proposed by PA seconded by SM.

Item 4 Police Report & CSWs / SIDs

AP stated that CSW equipment is getting old and had failed recently. SIDs could be used instead with volunteers and a PCSO. Procedure would be the same.

KF Reported that SIDs had been used on two occasions in Stoke Goldington and that they needed to be synchronised time wise. The SIDs record info 24/7 and are easier to use. AP said that posts for SIDs are not always in appropriate places and there are no poles in Castlethorpe at present.

GL enquired if there was money available to upgrade the Hanslope SID. Hanslope PC to be questioned about this. NAG committee agreed that this was the best way forward. DC to request an MKC rep at the next meeting.

Item 5 Finance

No change in current situation.

Item 6 A.O.B.

GL proposed that in future it might be helpful to hold meetings with other NAGs.

JE reported untaxed BMW in Castlethorpe and that cars were still parked by church entrance.

PA informed us that one car at a time can be up for sale on the highway.

SM reported alleged drug taking in Williams Close car parks in Hanslope.

GL stated there had been vandalism at the allotments in Hanslope.

PG – Car parking problems still exist in Haversham. Queried if parking on dropped kerbs was illegal.

GL – Dogs still being let off leads in Hanslope Rec.. GL challenged owners with some positive results.

Item 7

.The next meeting is scheduled for 7.30pm on ~~Tuesday 25th November 2014~~ at ~~Haversham~~.(subsequently amended to) Monday 17th November at Hanslope Village Hall.