

Stamford Vision: Urban Notes from the meeting on 9.11.06

1. Present: GR, GH, TR, DS, DL, BS, RF, CC, RB, CLH

Apologies: JJ, NP

Rob Fogle and Daniel Simons were welcomed to the group.

2. Projects

- Eastern end of the High Street: RF showed the group a sketch of what he thought would be feasible. CC and CLH to meet with him to discuss the concept further.
- Cleaner: He has started work.
- Bin installation:
 - The second phase is now complete, 2 bins have been given to the town council for Vence Walk.
 - The Civic Society sent a letter commending the group's efforts and those of RB in particular.
 - A resident along Water Street complained that too many bins had been taken away. RB explained that the decision on bin locations took into account footfall and waste generating locations. DS agreed to follow up with SKDC to see if some of the darleks could be returned.
 - The rims, which are of plastic, may need more frequent replacing. CC to investigate the possibility and price of doing this.
- Vence Walk: AF awaiting a date, CC commented that the weather would not be good for this work for some months now.

3. Benchmarking

- Crime statistics are incorrectly framed. RB/ CLH are to liaise with Inspector Stewart to decide more meaningful ones which can then be compared across the Welland. NB keep BS informed.
- The summary car park information was shared. GR/DS to meet to agree the total number available in the Cattle Market car park. GR/GH to consider a questionnaire which the group could administer to inform any future debate on car parking.

4. AOB

- Stamford 3000 – everyone to read this document before the next meeting and to make a list of 3 things they agree with and 3 things they disagree with. TR to lead a general discussion on the document.

5. Date of next meetings:

Tuesday 5th December (to be followed by a drink in the Bull & Swan)

Thursday 18th January.