

Stamford Vision: Urban

Notes from the meeting on 10.08.04

1. Membership: Don Lambert was welcomed to the group. The contact list is amended and is attached.
2. Updates on
 - a. Gateway project: The design team have now completed their consultations with interested parties and a report produced, please find attached. The next stage is for the comments to be incorporated into an amended design. An exhibition will be held of the changed plans in the autumn in conjunction with a summary of the work done to date on car parking in its widest sense.
 - b. The River:
 - JOK was not at the meeting but CLH reported that she and JOK had met with SKDC's aboriginalist for a very useful walk along Water Street. The next stage will be to produce some suggestions for projects to be done by volunteers and hold an exhibition to receive comments.
 - Benches on Water Street: AH has instructed contactors to undertake the refurbishment.
 - c. Stamford in Bloom: Judging has now taken place, the question of finding more volunteers was discussed and TR to contact Graham Froggett at the Endowed Schools to see whether they could be involved. RK to liaise.
 - d. Traffic issues: GH, GR and P Stevens have begun to look at the plateau proposals in the Babbie report.
 - e. Litter bins: The new bins have been delivered to the LCC depot. There is a problem in finding a contactor to undertake their installation. AH is meanwhile arranging for the refurbishment of the salvageable bins bearing in mind that they should not be removed without a replacement being provided.
 - f. Signposts: This work has now been scheduled.
 - g. Seats: There are two seats in the town hall which can be installed as soon as an appropriate place has been identified. However, the first step is to do a survey of the existing provision so they can be part of a strategic approach.
3. AOB: DL brought along examples of new signs which might be installed at the entrance to the town. There was a debate about the type of sign and the retention of the existing signs. This project should be considered once 5h existing ones have been completed.

Date of the next meetings: 14/09/04, 13/10/04, 16/11/04, 7/12/04, 11/1/05 at 6pm at 64 High Street St Martin's. Please put these in your diaries now!

Please check the action points as some have been carried over.

Action	Individual
Water Street: Benches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check whether Vic Couzen's offer of sponsorship holds, • Liaise with Azar Woods as she would like to see this work done and will she contribute financially • Check whether price from Andrew Cook will include extra fillets of wood to bring the seat up to a reasonable height and be sufficient to remove all the mould. • Cycle path: erosion problem 	GR GR AH JOK JOK/AH
Litter bins: Supervise installation and refurbishment of new and old	RB/AH
Telegraph poles	GR
Posts on bus station ramp – ownership	AH
Lamppost refurbishment and replacement	CLH/ GR
Stamford in Bloom volunteers	TR/RK
Survey of benches	RB