Rural Services Network Localism & Planning Seminar Group Discussion Notes

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Group Discussion Notes – AM

The morning presentations considered:

- How communities can 'do more for themselves' and understand their capacity and needs not 'wants' or 'likes'; and
- If/how Neighbourhood Planning is being used to bring communities together and take control over the look and feel of new developments in their area.

Ivan's Group

*Engagement techniques Importance of the role on we Menuse. Important to go to the places where people are. Talleing to "people in the street." # Attitudinal shirt drives some of the most effective approaches - effects * Right bothe heart of people -Community organists as an example * Heretocotshire Couril strong NPlan

* RCC (Cheshire) Neighborhood Hanning May have emasculated other Previous good things (Parish Plans) Gararnance important and sometimes neglected. Unitary athority agendas - Cancil led in some areas. * Committed led plan - helps and a manacheome view by comminties -) consultation reeds to encourage an apthol be sed converse tran * Commenty Lead Local Development Important * Sustainability of Refort linked to locality planning

* Parish Plans us N Plans Statitory Voluntary referendiem Inspectal * Community led Parish Plans can positively influence policy * Engagement driven by active community engagement

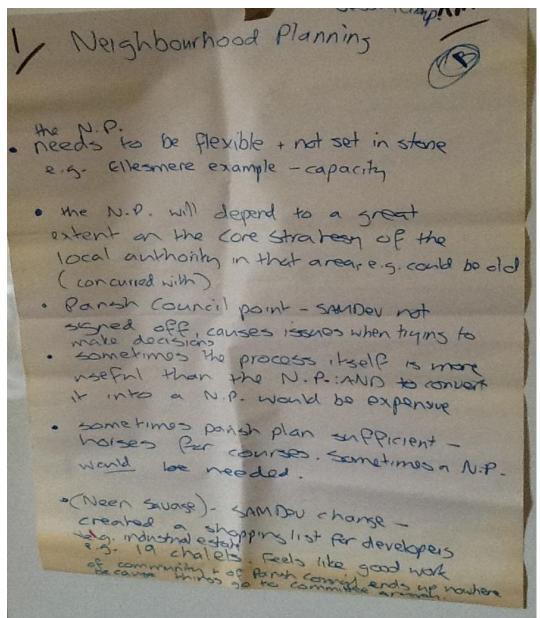
Jane's Group

LPA Supporting Role - Approach Still top down in some cases - percieved as 'aff Loading' cost to local people - Need to be aware of resources of local people i.e. time, often volunteers. - Support need to be 'enabling' not threateing ie if you don't do something, service well be withdrawn. - Can't be left to parish Clerk/councils - Need to understand capacity - Parish Council have a percieved knowledge, but achally may not have real knowledge - Is the voice heard, the Loudest or numerical . Hose that Short loudest get heard' - The process of NP allows you to identify needs, that may not have known about greei ously

Buying Communities together

- we experior to help communities make decision rolling from expense making decision - allows commentes to decide housing type extend for bangalouse
- Visitily as gue most from developers can limit the amount of 'sout' on whad is needed on sites o difficult to understand visibility issues, Land values
- Issue of understanding 'Long term vision' to areas
 - form Project boards to good communication, involves all Stakeholders
 - NP can be toc personal can be hard to get 'tro development' outlook at this Scale
 - Need to engage with members of community who are producelopment, as well as those "HIMBY"

Jessica's Group



- · Boschurch objection by Pansh conneil about apparable housing -ended up looking like idials when the Planning committee voted instead Cut something also.
- · the public don't understand about how this all works.
- · sometimes conflict between: a) members and officers b) national planning policies and local es one lass black might not be
- . When Forest: 2 N.P.s; got an adopted Core Stratesh; worked with local panish an as Constrain of local need - formses on evidence. The need phribility.
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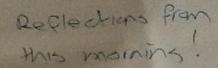
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e derelist garages - intent to build two appointable haven - but some of the garages still nikely lept - so found the solution of different piece of land

· (Near Savage) - planning officers
have been fantastic - a point of clants,
- concurred with by Fed + Gt Hanhood.

for review as a 2044 plan would need to be review as a 2044 plan would need and now efforts for everyone and the community having to go through

without location wouldn't even form N.P. proceed this



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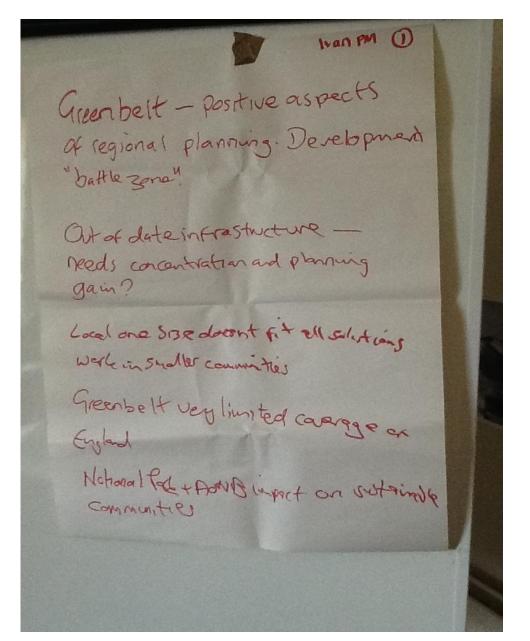
- when can locality commissioning as per church strellen be rolled out to smaller communities.
 - . whole of Shapshire County
 needs to be aware of these projects
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 and wem)
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 is key (Mike Hyat) (resperse to
 a great from East Riding)
 - · (Baschmen) 10 you don't like it, sot
 - · (New Sound) Got 81% of community

Group Discussion Notes – PM

The afternoon presentations covered:

- 1) Examples of partnership working between public, private and voluntary sectors in mobilising communities including what works well and less well.
- 2) Where next for localism and planning? Some emerging issues over the next 3-5 years.

Ivan's Group



Impact at large development an Modest places. Unpleasant "identikit" howsing blights same places Scape for design in NPlans this is being encouraged in some places. Landbank issues important in terms N- (egulation of developers. Growth tromps Localism ? Scale in real areas leads to challensing Community Carepts in some places Ulban areas ye a bo diverso

Perhaps we focus too much an Planning New towns no longer in Voguer - Gaydon. MoD sites

Jane's Group

1 - Community Transport - LA & Paint Council provided his service to Hoseptal - existing Youte didn't go there ey Albrighton Flyer Maks on Wheels + Al Sucap, made in school kildren below to keep kitchen in School as well as Library -> Porish council took over a hold parish meetings there as well -> done well, by training members of community to con library -> recoded the support from took services promotion & support a training in children Sologuard my to required " can share resources across parishes / communitied Corporate responsibility - a least to companies giving works orpenera opportunities, expertises Skills & materials Horsing Associations , good act brigging partnerships - 1 some with private comparate partherships - Communitaris. 90 may feel obligated to support future applications to sie - need to make it clear that there is no deligious s provide section is medical as they are part of community

1/- how CIL works, as potential funding scheme - affordable housing provision - last of funding I good more cross-subsidy models need to be developed requirement to diversify housing stock - provide Smaller properties.

Jessica's Group

Partnership Workins Grampies · affordable warmth But depends a lot on the officer involved (East Riding) and creativity and leadership · Local Planground at Baschurch - raised toking year - SITA funding. Very difficult for small pageds - Anding the way in, and anding the right playedes, and using you local Member and puttins a team together. · Community Interest company - by of Ellesmere Market Hall - and of quality officers Do of Ellower Ranges Portnership Working (ront.)

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e Community Action Team officers es Corrie Davies Raschurch including as signposts to Aunding

Team - help or es funds - 2 mesificas

es hop with gotting alletments land and se the painsh council as the residents. Now get 60 plots.

And role of community activist residents.

· Need a good team

emersing issues in

Planning over next 3 years

when the planning committee goes are site visit, or when the planning committee and helpful it a panish the constitutive and helpful it a panish councils can be there to speak as and as observe.

getting enough people to stand

for election leople got put off by
work involved and responsibilities appet.

* Councillors should alterd seminars in common training should be a compulsory element.

against can't append for a dir to just sit in comer.

- · (HPadshire) Parish councillors are un paid volunteers and you have to brill things around this fact.
- availing clerk will give you all considering clerk will give you all considering clerk is the permanent person approach can believe irresponsibly because they are not real accountable for their decisions.