

## Hayle Area Plan Partnership Steering Group.

Meeting held on May 16<sup>th</sup> 2007 – Passmore Edwards Institute

1. **Attending:** Bob Mimms, Sally Newby ( PDC), Jeff Turk, Georgina Schofield, Earl Bryant, John Wrey, Frank Scott Mance, Jacqui Head, Joe Colliver, Mick Hanley, John Coombe, Jim Wright, John Pollard (Chairman).
2. **Apologies:** Joy Scott Mance, Harry Balkeley, David Raymer, Ray Tovey, Sarah Turk, John Nunn.

Notes were taken by Jim Wright and typed up by John Pollard

### **3. Reports:**

Treasurer: - Jim gave an account of spending to date including a statement of account 01/04/06 to 31/03/07. Current balance is £4,865.

Heritage & Environment: - Frank outlined the work of this group:

Had discussed the Cinema and Pratts Market and were inviting Tony Walden to the next meeting.

Had contact with Streetscape.

Were discussing the walkway around Copperhouse Pool but were trying to make contact with group of local residents against the idea.

Tom King had highlighted the descriptive plaques around the town which were provided by Hayle Pump as part of the Millennium celebrations. Georgina Schofield to report on more plaques etc which could be provided.

Made contact with CWS concerning the copperhouse Dock and were anxious to have the involvement of Caroline sergeant re the improvement of this area.

Future meetings will address the issue of 'culture'/events. Sally will seek support of David Scott (PDC)

Actively involving the Towans Partnership in fulfilling environment projects.

Contacting Harbour Advisory Board about debris on the beach.

John Pollard reported that SOS were intending to join this Delivery Group.

Tourism and Sustainability. – Jacqui maintaining a watching brief and will advise the group on future action.

Penwith may offer to do a sustainability appraisal of the Plan.

Heritage group not really involved in this area.

Tourism still linked with the Business Group

HAPP needs to assess sustainability and Jacqui interested in environmental building aspects of new housing.

Mick reported that in terms of housing G/G and St. Erth were proposing to join in the rural areas Action Plan rather than Hayle Town as the needs/opportunities/constraints are different.

Traffic & Transport - Joe described the progress made:

Held 3 meetings so far

Were working with Townscape and CC to develop the cycle way at Black Road.

Had supported the Park & Ride scheme at St. Erth.  
Joe had attended the Rural transport Group at Penzance.  
Keen to invite Tim Andrewes to the next meeting.  
Looking at developing the cycle path between the viaduct and East Quay.  
Jeff Turk questioned the positioning of bus stops throughout the Town – to be discussed on a future agenda.  
Next Meeting – 23<sup>rd</sup> May to discuss traffic congestion in the Town. Sally to assist Joe in getting required officers at the meeting.

Community Well Being. John Coombe reported:

The group had looked at Watersports Centre, Carew House and the Activity/Sports Centre

Bob Mimms reported on the current status of the Watersports group.

There had been two good discussions on Youth Projects and they were on the next agenda (12/06/07).

John felt that there was a fair amount being done for the youth but too few knew about it.

Affordable Housing Evening p- the Penwith Team had done a great job but there was a poor turnout and we failed to attract those to whom affordable housing is most relevant.

June 12<sup>th</sup> Meeting looking at Law and Order with representatives of the Police.

Business & Enterprise. John Pollard reported in the absence of John Nunn:

There were five areas of interest:

Extreme Sports Hub – providing a Penwith Centre for information, education and bookings based in Hayle.

Webb Site/ Branding. Progressing under Chris Head, Martin Nixon to attend the next meeting.

Group following up the idea of a mobile Hayle Promotion Centre.

Investigating possibilities of creating a Centre for Alternative/sustainable energy in Hayle building on the influence of the Wave Hub

Economy – Group very concerned about a lack of new business in the Town and seeking more investment. Charlotte Chadwick (PDC) continues to be very supportive and the next meeting (4<sup>th</sup> June) will be addressed by Rachel Cresswell of Cornwall Pure Business.

4. [www.hayleareaplan.org.uk](http://www.hayleareaplan.org.uk) the Chairman commended this site and urged all to publicise it.

5. **HAPP** – the future. Sally Newby and John Pollard had produced a recommendation that the Steering Group be replaced with a new group that is a Charity and can fulfil the need of receiving grants and arranging insurance as well as providing a forum for the Chairmen/Women of each group. This drawing together for mutual support was seen as essential. It was proposed by Joe Colliver, seconded by Bob Mimms and carried unanimously that this recommendation be supported and Sally offered to work with John Pollard in developing this structure and reporting to the next Steering Group Meeting. She would present the recommendation to the next meeting of the Hayle Area Plan Partnership Management Team.

**6. Any Other Business.**

John Pollard was asked to explain the make up of the Hayle Area Plan Partnership management team.

Joe Colliver asked whether we should have meetings during August. It was suggested that it would probably be best to avoid August meetings.

There was a brief discussion about ways to maintain contact with MCTA and RDA.

The meeting closed at 9.pm

**Next meeting – Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July – PEI - 7.30.**