

Tur Langton Parish Council

Review of Aim and Objectives May 2017

Aims agreed May 2016	Revised aims May 2017 – April 2018
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To improve the quality of life for residents and businesses in Tur Langton Parish2. To provide effective, transparent and accountable local government of Tur Langton Parish3. To effectively represent the residents and businesses in Tur Langton Parish4. To protect and enhance amenities in Tur Langton Parish5. To preserve and enhance the rural, built and natural environments of Tur Langton6. To enable residents to be involved in the life of Tur Langton Parish and its future development	No changes suggested

Objectives

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<p>1. To keep informed of changes to legislation and ensure that procedures and Parish Council policies are reviewed and revised in line with such changes.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Communication Policy adopted * Policies reviewed on an annual basis and in interim in the event of changes to legislation or circumstances *Continuing membership of LRALC and SLCC, updates are a standing agenda item *Workplace pension obligations met 	<p>Outstanding: *Community Emergency Planning (11 below refers)</p>	<p>No change, keep</p>
<p>2. To procure and create a new Parish Council website. Publish all information required by legislation and as much other information as possible on the site</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * New website developed. All essential information and the majority of other information transferred from former website *Transparency Code adhered to through dedicated Transparency pages. Achieving Transparency Code Compliance protocol in place *Email domain maintained with 2Commune / UK Local Councils *Regular news updates *Local information / Topic pages, e.g. Neighbourhood Plan, Defibrillator 	<p>Outstanding *Purchase Domain *Transfer remaining information to website *Encourage residents to submit details of events</p>	<p>Change to: To continue to maintain and update website and purchase domain. Publish all information required by legislation and as much other information as possible on site.</p>
<p>3. To access training opportunities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Clerk completed online training on Prevent (Counter Terrorism) *Training budget of £100 for 2017/18 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Attend further training as available *Councillor Training 	<p>No change, keep</p>

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4. To give residents and businesses the opportunity to express their views and represent these effectively	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * NP Consultation event Feb 2017 * Communication Policy adopted - where a consultation is to be considered it is put on agenda and published on website (with links) and noticeboard to enable residents to give feedback *Members of public attending Parish Council meetings are given the opportunity to express their views *Message facility on website to email clerk 		No change, keep
5. To communicate effectively with the residents through newsletters and the website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Information published on website, notice board and PC newsletter (see also 2 above) * New format to PC newsletter * News / information published in other local publications *Flyers distributed for particular events etc in addition to newsletter *Communication Policy adopted 	Explore other methods of communication, e.g. putting reference information in phone kiosk	Change to: To communicate effectively with residents, for example through newsletters and website. To explore new ways of communication.
6. To work to secure the lease for the Village Hall and to improve the facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Lease signed for 21 year period * Work progressing to develop Specification of Works 	Publicise signing of lease Support VH Committee in developing Design Brief into Specification of Works and in subsequent fundraising / refurbishment Liaise with landlord / representative re fees charged	Change to: As Custodian Trustee to work closely with the Village Hall Management Committee in their role of refurbishing the Village Hall and be the link with the landlord. To encourage residents to get involved.

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7. To work effectively with the District and County Council and Councillors and other service providers	<p>*Clerk and chair attended HDC PC Liaison Meeting</p> <p>* County / District Councillors and Police invited to PC meetings, regular reports received.</p> <p>* Communication Policy adopted, incorporating Protocol for Responding to Consultation Requests. Responded to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HDC Green Spaces Consultation • Local Government Finance Settlement Consultation • National Highways and Transport Satisfaction Survey • NALC Dependant Carers' Survey • LRLAC Development and Member Support Questionnaire • LCC From A Roads to Zebras Consultation 		No change - keep
8. To produce a Neighbourhood Plan for the village	<p>* Work ongoing</p> <p>* Consultation event February 2017</p> <p>* Environment Group work</p> <p>* Dedicated pages on website</p>	To continue working on this to completion	Change to: To produce a Neighbourhood Plan for the Village and once adopted to use this effectively in planning related matters. To further Community Actions in adopted plan

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<p>9. To consider, from a local prospective, all planning matters that effect the Parish and provide comment on their impact on local residents, the wider community and the rural nature of the Parish</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Responded to planning applications and other planning related consultations, * Communication Policy adopted, incorporating specific guidance on dealing with planning applications * Enforcement issues considered and acted upon where appropriate 		<p>Change to: To consider, from a local prospective, all planning and Enforcement matters that effect the Parish and provide comment on their impact on local residents, the wider community and the rural nature of the Parish</p>
<p>10. To encourage residents to become involved in projects, e.g. Neighbourhood Plan, Defibrillator and Village Hall</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * NP Consultation * NP Environment Group * Logo competition * Defibrillator / Awareness Sessions 		<p>No change – keep</p>
<p>11. To work with residents to improve Community Resilience, for example through creating a Community Emergency Plan and Purchasing a Defibrillator</p>	<p>Defibrillator now live / Awareness Sessions Work started on Emergency Planning</p>	<p>Continue Community Emergency Planning work</p>	<p>Change to: To work with residents to improve Community Resilience, for example through creating a Community Emergency Plan.and purchasing a defibrillator. Raise awareness of Defibrillator</p>