



PLANNING & INFRASTRUCTURE (PI) TERMS OF REFERENCE

Role

The role of the Planning & Infrastructure committee is to oversee all aspects of highways, transport, housing, planning and licensing, flood prevention, green spaces, environment, Angmering Conservation Area and the South Downs National Park.

Objectives

The purpose of this committee is to;

- Represent APC as a planning consultee ensuring full use of NHP
- Coordinate APC response to consultations relating to planning and infrastructure
- Monitor infrastructure needs of the parish i.e. schools, surgeries
- Contribute to APC CiL project plan
- Deliver areas of the APC Business Plan
- To consider issues relating to roads, footpaths, PROW's, verges and vegetation, parking and transport including cycle paths.
- To monitor issues relating to built up area boundary, housing allocation numbers, proposed developments and the Angmering Conservation area
- To monitor issues of flooding within the parish and make representations to the appropriate authorities to address the situations
- To oversee the preservation of allocated green spaces within the Neighbourhood Plan and identify any other areas for consideration.
- To ensure that the Parish Councils wish to protect the environment is enacted particularly with reference dark skies and Tree Policy
- To work with the South Downs National Park Authority and look to increase access for residents living south of the A27
- Monitor and review Neighbourhood Plan & associated policies as required

Membership

At the AGM in May a new committee will form with a minimum of 6 and maximum of 8 Councillors, with a quorum of 3 at each meeting.

Members of the community can be co-opted onto the committee but cannot vote. Co-opted members cannot exceed Councillors at any committee or working group meeting.

Meetings

The committee will meet every 3 weeks.

The committee can form a Working Group to undertake a specific project, with clear objectives and end date. They will report non-binding recommendations back to P&I committee for discussion, agreement and actions.

Glossary

APC – Angmering Parish Council

NHP – Neighbourhood Plan

CiL – Community Infrastructure Levy

PROW – Public Right of Way