

Redesignation of Bramcote Neighbourhood Forum

04 10 2021

26 (names) in attendance

█ as Zoom operator

Steve chairing

1. Group screenshot
2. In Memoriam █
3. █ as chair
 - a. 5 year history of the Forum and developing the neighbourhood plan
 - b. Needed an area designated for the plan (Bramcote ward) and formed the forum as an official designated body.
 - c. The area continues but the forum was only to exist for 5 years therefore it needs to be redesignated- hence the meeting
4. █ BHCA BCS sponsored the forum for it to exist
 - a. Update – naming the steering group
 - b. Designated map (Stapleford land grab)
 - c. 11 year history on planning policy and concerns about green belt starting with Field Farm coming out of green belt in 2014.
 - d. Local Plan part 2 was attended by the Forum.
 - e. 2020 Neighbourhood plan submitted

Pause for questions (█) discussion of the long wait due to the council (not the forum).

- f. █ introduces the maps with particular note of the area that is for educational/leisure use.
- g. Building area of Bramcote Moor, The Brethren church and Coventry Lane.
- h. HS2 highly likely to be delayed
- i. Next review of
 - i. aligned core strategy
 - ii. Consultation on neighbourhood plan and referendum
 - iii. Planning application for new school building and housing
 - iv. Fate of Bramcote Park School (now fire damaged)
 - v. Traffic and air quality: new roads and building traffic
5. █ introduces the new forum
 - a. What happens to the plan? Consultation by the Council and present it to the independent examiner. The council needs to refer back to the forum. This is our most powerful route to our voice carrying weight with the council.
 - b. █ proposal: That BNF is reconstituted. Unanimous (19) Yes (abstention from █ from Chetwynd forum)
 - c. **Election** of a chair. █ was nominated █ and seconded █
 - d. **Election** of steering group Existing group was willing to continue in post █
 - e. Thanks for coming and voting and for the steering group.

- f. Write to Broxtowe to inform them that we are applying for redesignation. The council will consult for 6 weeks and then it will be ratified so it maybe 3 months before we are forum reformed. This will last till 2026.
6. Questions: Only allowed to be 5 years.
7. AOB Need to get more engagement and be proactive not reactive.

Comment [REDACTED]: social media is the route to go. Need a younger voice. FB has 1100 members. The forum has 347 members.

Stapleford land grab into the Chetwynd area. Broxtowe council is consulting. [REDACTED] mentioned that this was inappropriate as it would mess up the neighbourhood plan area without any notice or consultation. They were then going to become Stapleford and Bramcote West.