

## Ince Park Community Forum

**Minutes: 22nd January, 2014**

7:00 pm Ellesmere Port Boat Museum

### Present:

#### Voting Members:

Cllr. Tony Mills, Elton Parish Council (Chairman)  
 Cllr. Helen Coy, Elton Parish Council  
 Mrs. Fran Miller  
 Cllr. Graham Bondi, Frodsham Town Council  
 Cllr. Tim Lloyd, Ince Parish Council  
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 Cllr. Andrew Eardley, Ince Parish Council  
 Cllr. Andrew Dawson, Frodsham ward, Cheshire West & Chester Council  
 Cllr. Sarah Temple, Helsby Parish Council  
 Clare Appleyard, Cheshire West & Chester Council  
 Rod Brookfield, Cheshire West and Chester Council

#### Advisers:

Myles Kitcher, Peel Environmental  
 Keith Butterick, Secretary

<u>Items on Agenda</u>	<u>Discussion</u>	<u>Action by</u>
<b>1. Apologies</b>	Cllr. Roy Greenwood, Little Stanney and District Parish Cllr. Graham Heatley, Elton ward Cheshire West & Chester Council Cllr. P. Merrick, Rossmore ward, Cheshire West & Chester Council Cllr. Lynn Clare MBE Ellesmere Port Town ward Cheshire West & Chester Council Lois Kay, Peel Environmental Alex Sutherland, Environment Agency	
<b>2. Minutes of Last Meeting</b>	The minutes of the 25 <sup>th</sup> September meeting were accepted as a true record.	
<b>3. Matters arising</b>	There were no matters arising.	
<b>4. Progress Report</b>	<b>MK</b> Working on the planning application for the revised scheme. Scoping Report should be submitted shortly and the full planning application will be submitted approximately five weeks after that. The application was for Phase 1 of the scheme which would include the Environmental Mitigation Scheme; plots 2/3/4; the biomass plant. The planned scheme will have improvements to Grinsome Road but at this stage no berth or rail link. A revised marketing website and campaign will be launched	

	<p>shortly concentrating on energy related facilities.  The port and rail facilities may eventually come in under phase one but that would depend on the demand from potential tenants of the Park.  Biomass plant – speaking to potential operators – wood be sourced from waste wood sources – plant small enough to be able to manage on this and would not need ‘pure’ wood sources.  Talking to parties to replace Covanta.  Forum members asked a number of questions.  <b>AE:</b> Will any road works be involved?  <b>MK:</b> Yes – changes to Grinsome Rd and the roundabout  <b>TM:</b> Was the idea for a sculpture of some kind for the roundabout still being considered?  <b>MK:</b> Yes – anyone with proposals should write to MK in the first instance  <b>AD:</b> Would local contractors have the opportunity to bid for work?  <b>MK:</b> The revised scheme should make it easier to look at this  <b>TL:</b> When is it anticipated being on site  <b>MK:</b> Late 2014 – but that depends on many different factors</p>	
<b>5. Forum website</b>	Up to date – nothing to reports	
<b>6. Any other business</b>	<b>RB:</b> Gave an update about the Igas – which was that there was nothing at the moment affecting Ince Park. If members wanted any further information – contact <b>RB</b> direct	
<b>7. Date of the Next Meeting</b>	<b>Either the 23<sup>rd</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> April. KB canvass members to see which is preferred</b>	