

CUMNOR PARISH COUNCIL
Minutes of the Meeting of the Neighbourhood Plan Refresh Working Party
on Wednesday 11 June 2025 at 7pm
via zoom.

Present.

Kathy Davies, Dona Foster, Dianne Rees, Fiona Newton, Chris Westcott, and Tina Brock, Clerk.

05/25 Apologies.

Oliver Wright (unable to attend). Apology approved.

06/25 Declarations of interest. None.

07/25 Note/minutes of meetings held on Tuesday 13 May 2024, Wednesday 4 December 2024, Monday 10 March 2025 and Wednesday 7 May 2025.

Received and approved.

08/25 Public Participation. None.

09/25 Outstanding actions.

- i. Flood risk assessment digital mapping. Chris to obtain a quote and confirm VWHDCs digital mapping format.
- ii. ACAN Climate Emergency Conservation Area toolkit [Climate Emergency Conservation Area Toolkit * Architects Climate Action Network - ACAN!](#) Kathy reported that the toolkit was very detailed and urban based and not relevant to the NP refresh but that applicants could be referred to the toolkit.
- iii. Draft Local Nature Recovery Strategy for Oxfordshire [Oxfordshire's Local Nature Recovery Strategy \(LNRS\) | Oxfordshire County Council](#) The RNE1 policy refers to this. The draft is not due to be published until Autumn 2025.
- iv. RNE2 Flood Risk policy. Chris to inform O'Neil Homer of VWDHDCs inconsistent application of the policy.

10/25 Project recap.

Grey Belt mapping <https://arcg.is/0mXHbS>

The map shows district settlements, key views, bus stops, SSSI/ancient woodland, flood risk zones, local green spaces, listed buildings, Green Belt, educational and community facilities. The group agreed that the only brownfield or previously developed land was the site on the A420 at Rockley. The Group agreed that Chris and the Clerk should arrange a zoom meeting with O'Neil Homer to raise questions regarding possible grey belt sites in the parish and request an overlay of the NP Flood Risk Assessment be included in the mapping.

11/25 Next meeting.

To be confirmed.

The meeting closed at 8.05pm.

Signed.....Date.....2025