



Pearson Trust Working Group

October 2018



Minutes of the Pearson Trust Working Group Meeting

Date: 23rd October 2018 OSR 7:30 pm.

1. Apologies

Members present: Jane Paxman, David Wiper, Moyra Jacques, Alice Helyar, Debbie Robinson and John Hamlett.

Apologies for absence received: Michael Hampson.

2. Minutes from last PTWG meeting

Minutes of last PTWG meeting to be amended by Moyra.

3. Actions and Matters Arising from Last PTWG Meeting

Meeting to be arranged with Lancashire County Council about the proposed community right to build referendum seeking permission to convert the OSR to accommodation. It is intended that the Trustees of the OSR to submit the application for the referendum. Michael (OSR Trustee) to attend the meeting with one member from the PTWG (Jane).

4. Mid-year Consultation with the Village

Thank you to John Hamlett for doing all of the graphic work for the exhibition.

Analysis of the feedback and some answers to the questions raised will be sent to the Wagtail November edition; the proportion of respondents who wanted the PTWG to continue has higher than after the last exhibition.

Half mezzanine with meeting room foyer is the favoured option, with some people preferring the open plan. Full mezzanine rejected.

The proposed half mezzanine designs will be sent to Mike Darwell (architect) to see whether the designs are feasible and provide cost estimates.

5. Next steps

Seek funding to carry out the work to draw up the plans for the OSR conversion and for the church.

Undertake the referendum

Following the referendum (if the result is to go ahead), the funding for the next stage of work will be sought from the Heritage Lottery Fund as well as other sources.

6. AOB

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7. Date of the Next Meeting

27th November 2018 in the OSR at 7:30 pm.