

**Minutes of the meeting of the Health, Well Being & Education Committee -
Neighbourhood Plan held on 19th April 2016**

PRESENT

Cllr S M Akers Smith - Chairman
Andrew Thomson - Planning Consultant
Steve Foster - Congleton Partnership
Robbie Brightwell - Team Congleton
Margaret Gartside - resident
Peter Akers Smith - resident

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were submitted from Cllrs Glen Williams & Anna Morrison and

2. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

To confirm that the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 4th 2016 be approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

3. UPDATE BY MEMBERS

SAS presented an update of progress made from the action points from the previous meeting. Received information from the NHS dental practice, but awaiting contact information to send out other enquiries for evidence. MG raised the issue of play areas current and future provision, further information from Mike Smith, Congleton Partnership. Further discussion regarding the remaining draft policy ideas culminating in further action and discussion with Steering group members, as policies ideas cross over into transport and sustainability.

4. AOB

A presentation to the committee by Peter Akers Smith to consider a themed Cycling and Walking Country Park as a suggestion for a policy idea for inclusion in the Neighbourhood Plan and as a legacy idea for Congleton. It was agreed it was a very good idea for consideration and a discussion about identifying land required and costing.

Parkrun in Astbury Mere Country Park, a discussion about providing facilities and the extra burden on the charity to support this event.

5. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting is **Tuesday 24th May 2016 at 11.15am -after steering group meeting, Congleton Town Hall.**

**Cllr Suzie Akers Smith
Chairman - H, WB & E Committee
Congleton Neighbourhood Plan**