

SANDON PARISH COUNCIL

ACTION PLAN 2020



The Parish Council remains committed to the Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP). It will continue to hold regular monthly meetings and welcomes the support from any residents wishing to help. The main milestones which are hoped to be achieved include:

Feb/Mar - Review comments on first draft of Sandon NDP from Chelmsford City Council and redraft NDP as appropriate.

Mar - Appoint consultant to help

April – Presentation to Sandon residents at the annual assembly and seek comments

May – Amend as appropriate and arrange for pre-submission consultation

July – Amend following consultation and submit to Chelmsford City Council

September – Amend and submit for Independent Examination

Late Autumn - Amend following Independent Examination

Early 2021– Referendum

The Council recognises a need for a community event. This will help bring people together, as well as better publicising the activities of the council and its members. Ongoing discussions are needed to establish how this will be best achieved. Could the V.E. day celebrations provide a good opportunity?

The residents have indicated their support for a new Community Centre. The council will continue to liaise with the community to ensure that any plans that are produced meet the aspirations of the parishioners. It is expected that the Council will continue to take the lead in this until such time that a separate management team is created.

There is now a waiting list for allotment plots in the village. The council has purchased the land behind the current site. The council are exploring how to update, and extend, the allotment area.