

# Community Forum

## Central Area

**Wednesday 8th February 2012  
@ Barlow Social Club**



### Partnership Board Notes

The Chair opened the meeting.

**Apologies:** George Carter Eileen White and Cllrs Jude Thurlow, Melanie Davis, Karl Arthur.

**Disclosures of Interest:** There were none.

#### **Terms of Reference:**

There was one vacancy as Ian Haylett had resigned since the last meeting. It was agreed unanimously that Keith Watkins be co-opted onto the Partnership Board.

#### **Central Focus—Community Development Plan**

##### **Project Briefs Feedback:**

**No 5 - EVA:** Barlow report given to them. Parish Council says there is no action needed. They've had a litter picking campaign. Brayton have had a litter pick and planted bulbs. Community Payback have been used for some of this work.

**No 10 Promote the economy:** A report was given by Cllr Mark Crane. There are some ideas on the paper. There is potential to access money from the Government. The task and finish group have been asked to take this forward. We need to get people to start spending in Selby instead of Leeds and York.

**The previous problem** raised has had enforcement action taken: the conditions have not been complied with and the individual is being taken to court.

**Old Kwik Save**—they are still paying to the owners. An approach has been made to buy it but owners refuse to sell it. They want £40,000 per year.

**Business rates:** We cannot drop business rates. SDC have not set the rate for 23 years—it is central government that do this. Could everyone look at the ideas from the report and fed back through Cllr Michael Dyson.

## Funding Decisions:

**New application received by the Chair at the meeting from the Jubilee Celebration Committee.**

They have secured £4,000 from the PC would the CEF give £1,000.

**Jubilee Celebration Committee - £1,000 approved**

## Any Other Business:

### **Project 10: Promote the Economy**

Cllr Michael Dyson is to coordinate a group to look at this. Gavin Harding asked if he could join. It could bring in funds of up to £100,000 per scheme.

### **New CEF website:**

Could the funding form be made so that it can be completed on line?

**Young People Project — Barry's Hague.** JT to send copy to all Partnership Board members.

**Gavin encouraged a trader to get other food restaurants to put a food and cheese event on in March 2012.**

**Brayton crossroad** closed from Monday for 4 weeks. Diversion down Baffam Lane.

**North Yorkshire Area committee meeting is on Monday.**

**Meeting Closed at 7.45**