BRERETON AND RAVENHILL NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting of the Steering Committee held in the Parish Hall, Ravenhill Park, Brereton, on 23rd November 2017.

Present

Councillor TA Jones [Chairman] Councillor Mrs DM Easton Councillor R Easton

Also Present

Mr PG Davies [Secretary]

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Mrs G Harvey.

1. <u>MINUTES</u>

The minutes of the meeting of the Steering Committee held on 12th October 2017, were approved and signed as a correct record.

2. NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The Chairman circulated a map showing notable features along the Trent and Mersey Canal Conservation Area [copy attached].

The Committee acknowledged the significance of this area which would form an important part of the Neighbourhood Development Plan. In particular, reference was made to the following:-

- > The pre-1840 cottages at 67 71 Armitage Road
- > 73 77 Armitage r'oad
- Mossley Place, 79 93 Armitage Road
- > The Mossley Tavern, 95 Armitage Road
- > The eighteenth-century bridge [no. 65] on the Trent and Mersey Canal
- > The canal-side cast-iron milepost between bridges 64 and 65
- > The pre-1815 Brewery Cottages, 151 159 Armitage Road

Members noted that the eighteenth-century bridge [no.64] on the Trent and Mersey Canal was already a nationally listed building.

3. PLANNING APPLICATION: CH/17/237 – TALBOT INN – MAIN ROAD

The Committee considered this planning application and, cognisant of the views of the local community, it was

RESOLVED

That the Secretary send a strong letter of objection to the District Council in respect of this planning application as it involved the demolition of this longstanding and valued historic building and its replacement with a building which was unsuitable for what is a key location on one of the main gateways into Brereton.

4. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

RESOLVED

That the next meeting be held on Wednesday, 17th January 2018, at 8.15 p.m.