Wellesbourne & Walton PC - November 2022 - Clir Anne Parry, Wellesbourne East

Wellesbourne Campus

Attended a pre-consultation workshop together with Cllr Prior and Cllr Shepherd about the University of Warwick's early stage vision for the development of the campus, which was both interesting and informative and provided attendees, including representatives from Charlecote PC to have a say and make comments on its future vision. The Wellesbourne Campus is identified for employment development and SDC is in the process of drafting an Economic Strategy which will be brought forward to Cabinet early 2023 prior to going out to consultation.

SW Local Plan

Work is continuing at a pace on the development of the SW Local Plan which is on schedule for adoption circa 2025 and in response to much speculation about the airfield, this is identified as an employment site with NO HOUSING. Any future housing in Wellesbourne reflects sites identified in the made Neighbourhood Development Plan and SDC's Site Allocation Plan.

Allotments Site

Following receipt of correspondence from the Bishop of Coventry's office advising that they have no plans to sell or develop the allotments site, I have forwarded a copy of this correspondence as evidence to the Head of Development at SDC and requested that this site be removed from the forthcoming South Warwickshire Local Plan.

Local Councillors' Meet and Greet

A session with ClIr Danny Kendall and ClIr Penny-Anne O'Donnell was held in the precinct in Wellesbourne to respond to villagers' concerns in respect of issues affecting them in the village. Still investigating its source, maintenance of trees and verges, pot holes, housing, flood alleviation and speeding.

Dementia Café

Am working closely with Cllr Penny-Anne O'Donnell and the Dementia Café team in Wellesbourne to establish what additional help can be provided to carers and their loved ones with the support of WCC and Sir Jeremy Wright KC, MP.

Cabinet Responsibilities

I am now the portfolio holder for economic development, inward investment and strategic partnerships, as well as tourism, transformation, ICT and communications. I am also a member of the Planning Committee.