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Notes of the remote Meeting held on Wednesday 18 November 2020

Core Membership present:

ESC Councillors – Cllr Chris Mapey (Chairman), Cllr James Mallinder, Cllr Rachel Smith-Lyte, Cllr Kay Yule

J Lily-Peters (Blaxhall PC Clerk), S Bale (Woodbridge TC), Cllr J Pilgrim (Boyton PC), S Connick (Community Action Suffolk), , Cllr A Porter (Melton PC), P Simper (Ramsholt PC Clerk), H Heelis (Rendlesham PC Clerk), Cllr A Reid (SCC) Cllr M Sutton (Woodbridge TC), C Fortmann (Campsea Ashe PC Clerk), S Gilkes (Suffolk Constabulary), Cllr R Sanders (Woodbridge TC)

Others present – K Abbott (Clerk), L Bennett (Partnerships Manager), J Catterwell (Communities Officer), S Gill (Groundwork), N Jenner (Communities Support Officer), Jason Beck and Anthony Taylor (item 5(ii))

Item	Discussion
1.	Welcome and Apologies for Absence Apologies were received from Cllr Hazel Hughes, Cllr Caroline Page and Marie Backhouse The Chairman welcomed all present to the Meeting and invited everyone to briefly introduce themselves.
2.	Notes of the previous meeting of the Community Partnership held on 21 October 2020. The notes were received and confirmed as a correct record.
3.	Reminder of the Community Partnerships priorities Julia Catterwell briefly summarised the Partnership's agreed priorities.
4.	Update on applications Julia Catterwell reminded the Partnership that the Grants Scheme had been agreed at the last meeting. To date, five groups had made applications for a total



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	<p>of £2,500. A push to encourage further applications would be launched on social media and local press. The Partnership was asked to encourage any local groups or schemes to submit their applications as soon as possible.</p> <p>The applications would be considered by the Funding Board on 18 December, subject to having met the governance applied by the Funding Team.</p>
5.	<p>Any Other Business</p> <p>(i) Update on Transport Susan Davey of SCC had been unable to attend the meeting so it was agreed that she be invited to attend the next meeting to provide an update on the Katch EV bus.</p> <p>(ii) Cycling and Walking Strategy Jason Beck and Anthony Taylor attended and provided a presentation and update on the Strategy. A public consultation had commenced on 19 October and would be in place until 7 December. This would be advertised on the East Suffolk Council website, communicated to some targeted groups etc.</p> <p>In response to a question about the impact of traffic from Sizewell C, if approved, on the Strategy, Jason Beck said this was hard to quantify but was being considered. He added that funding would be available to offset any negative impacts if the project was approved.</p> <p>There was general support for the Strategy's ambitions.</p>
	<p>Date of the next meeting</p> <p>It was agreed that the next meeting would be held on 3 February 2021.</p>

The Meeting concluded at 4.35pm