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NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

AREA COMMITTEE - WARD GRANT APPROVAL FORM

1. Committee: Southern Ruarl Area Committee

2. Date: 06/07/2017

3. Summary of application: Funding support to undertake the Neighbourhood Planning process

Name of organisation: Codicote Neighbourhood Planning Group Sum requested: £500

Total project cost:

Brief details:

Codicote Parish Council has set up a Steering group to look at undertaking the development of a Neighbourhood Plan for the Parish. This group reports to the Parish Council on progress made.

The Parish believes that it is vital to raise awareness of the Neighbourhood Plan enabling local residents to voice their opinions so that these can be taken into account when the Plan is formally written.

Within the next year, it will be necessary to send out publicity fliers and produce posters to advertise village meetings, drop in sessions and raise awareness of questionnaires as part of the consultation process.

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Comments from Development Officer:

The group was awarded £500 by the Southern Rural Area Committee at its last meeting in March to cover the publicity requirements related to the consultation element of developing a neighbourhood plan.

Discussions at the meeting led to assigning a further £500 via the Codicote Ward Budget for 2016/17 to help support the group’s undertakings over the next year.