

# Stanwick Parish Council

## Four Year Plan 2021-2025

### Review

#### 1. Background

- 1.1 The Four Year Plan was adopted on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2021 under Minute reference 21.90
- 1.2 The plan document is accompanied by yearly Action Plans, an overarching action plan that covers the entire period and a supplementary list of other possible actions in later years of the plan period.

#### 2. Progress during the year

- 2.1 The actions of the Parish Council have been limited by the cost of living crisis and potential unbudgeted costs in relation to the Church Path
- 2.2 The Events Committee is established and appears to be working well. There is a greater sense of cross community group support and communication
- 2.3 Plan Pillar 4 – Community Safety – the Council has undertaken double yellow line surveys at 3 locations and submitted 2 requests to Northants Highways
- 2.4 Plan Pillar 4 – Community Safety – The Council now has 20mph advisory signs that can be rotated to different locations
- 2.5 Plan Pillar 3 – Parish Life & Community Engagement – the Council has raised its profile by arranging a successful Christmas Fayre and sponsoring events at community events (Daffodil Trail) & grants awarded
- 2.6 Plan Pillar 3 – Parish Life & Community Engagement – the Village Diary on the Parish Council website has been enhanced with community groups engaging by submitting information.
- 2.7 Plan Pillar 3 – Parish Life & Community Engagement – the format of the 2024 Annual Parish Meeting is being changed in an effort to ensure greater community engagement
- 2.8 Plan Pillar 3 – Parish Life & Community Engagement – Donation to the Raunds Skate Park Scheme
- 2.9 A number of actions for Pillar 1 – Environment and Place – are outstanding because the Parish Council is dependent on Northants Highways for delivery e.g. place names, bollards.

#### 3. Year 3 action plan – target completion date 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024

- 3.1 It was decided in August 2023 that Year 3 should focus on progressing Year 1 & 2 actions as it was not fiscally prudent to add fresh actions at that point.

#### 4. Overarching action plan

- 4.1 The overarching plan are actions that the council should be constantly seeking to undertake and therefore do not have a completion target.

#### 5. Action required

- 5.1 Receive and note this report
- 5.2 Agree any next steps and agree actions to be taken