



Monday 20th November 2019 Bi-Monthly meeting – DRAFT Minutes

Present (at The Fowler Pavilion Framlingham College):

Victoria Perkins (Chair) – Deep Space Marketing

Lisa Hamon (Vice Chair) – L A Global Management

Jenny Stockman (Management Committee) – Framlingham Technology Centre

Rachel Dawson (Management Committee) – Gotelee Solicitors

Eileen Coe – Town Clerk, RFO, DPS, Framlingham Town Council

Chris Wade – Director, People and Places

Sonia Lambert – Economic Development Officer, East Suffolk Council

Wil Gibson – East Suffolk Council

Jacqueline Ward – FBA Secretary and Association Co-ordinator

Apologies:

Mick Hutton – Magic Media Street

Jenny Labbett – Renaissance Training/Jenny Labbett Computer Services

Ingrid Simpson – Simpson's Sweets and Milkshakes

Sarah Clarke – About Media

Kathy Churchill – About Media

Kelvin Gibbs (FBA Management Committee) – Charnwood Milling Company Ltd/Micronizing Company UK Ltd

Meeting Chaired by FBA Chair Victoria Perkins

1. Attending and Apologies –

See above. Meeting commenced at 5.30pm

2. Talk by Chris Wade of People and Places

Chris gave a very interesting talk covering the feedback from the work carried out by People and Places earlier this year for East Suffolk Council. He kindly sent a link to his presentation: Looking after the heart of our town Framlingham document, available with these minutes.

Chris talked about the findings as he went through, including making comparisons with the other 10 East Suffolk towns studied as part of the project and with national findings.

The next step will be for East Suffolk Council to send FBA a copy of the full report at which stage broad objectives will be discussed. This will be followed by an illustrated, summary report for wider circulation. People and places will continue to work with the stakeholders including FBA and Framlingham Town Council.

Chris also sent a link to the Talk of the Towns in East Suffolk video which features Framlingham and showcases all the great work being undertaken in East Suffolk towns as a source of inspiration.

<https://people-places.net/talk-of-the-towns-in-east-suffolk-video/>

As the talk took until just after 7.00 pm to complete it was decided that all other agenda items would be deferred to the next FBA meeting for approval or discussion.

Next meetings

FBA Bi-monthly meetings are open to all, including non-members and the community, Management Committee meetings are open to committee members only. Networking meetings open to all local businesses.

January Main bi-monthly meeting - tbc

Management Meetings - Next meeting – 1.00pm on Wednesday 18th December

Networking Meetings - Next meeting – on Wednesday 27th November 8.45 am at The Lemon Tree.

Meeting closed at 7.10 pm

ACTION: JW to thank Framlingham College.