

# Chapel-en-le-Frith Revised Action Plan 2006-2012

## New projects

| Action Plan Project | Action Plan Issue and how identified  | Title of project   | Progress Complete Not started yet Discussions in Progress  | Dates Start, Decisions Meetings Events, Finish | Total Cost To be found, Application under development, Awaiting funding decision, Funded   | Lead organisation and Source Breakdown  |
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| 1                   | Supporting physical enhancements within the town - identified via consultation and worksheets. Project will also bring economic benefits as aim is to improve visitor numbers | <b>Flower Planters - Market Place</b>                              | Proposed project to introduce 17 planters on railings around Market Place  |  | Initial cost around £1,800 + installation charge. Currently exploring maintenance cost   | Parish Council or HPBC with funding for initial cost from CRP   |
| 2                   |   | <b>Town Centre Leaflet &amp; Central area walking guide</b>        | New smaller town centre leaflet required in light of developments (tramway) and new central area walking guide under development   |  | £1049 committed CRP budget.  | High Peak Borough Council   |
| 3                   | Visitor interest, supporting local tourism businesses and preservation of historic features   | <b>Peak Forest Tramway Development (Bugsworth Basin to Chapel)</b> | New project based on research completed in 2005. Funding of circa £300,000 required.   | Oct 05   | DDEP have committed £255,000 to this project at 50%. Match funding will be needed.   | HPBC have agreed to commit officer time to secure funding. DCC will lead on physical works once funding is secured.   |
| 4                   | As above  | <b>Screening of DCC Sites</b>                                      | Urgently required to improve gateway appearance  |  | Unknown at present   | Derbyshire County Council Highways  |
| 5                   | As above  | <b>DCC relocation/site development</b>                             | Proposed plan to explore business employment potential of DCC sites on Castleton road, in order that if DCC Highways were to re-locate plans and funding opportunities would be worked up.   |  |  | High Peak Borough Council and DCC   |
| 6                   | Business and community consultation and worksheets identified need for review of traffic + need to support physical enhancements as above                                     | <b>Transport review - Upper Market Street</b>                      | This is important piece of work to look at the long term options to support the town centre as both a vital community area (not just a car park) but also to support traders through a greater flow of traffic & customer parking. Any physical changes would also need to encompass development of pedestrian routes from Miry Meadow Car park. It is likely that this project could be quite controversial (as it effects parking) but will be critical for the long term survival of Chapel's visitor appeal and retail offer around the Market Place. One option is to explore seeking funds for consultants to undertake work as per Matlock. |  | Unknown at present   | Derbyshire County Council Highways?   |
| 7                   | Business survey identified need for summer based events which would attract hinterland residents into the town centre and encourage visitors                                  | <b>Walking guides</b>  | Research into Peak Forest tramway trail interpretation plan showed a need for improved quality of walking guides within the Chapel area. These could include existing planned routes with re-developed leaflets as well as re-developed routes to take in range of distances and or themes (transport walk, Pikes & Pits, welly walks) or aimed at specific walks audiences - long distance, parents with under 5s, etc. Ideally all routes should link to public transport, car parks and local shops, pubs and restaurants to maximise benefit   |  | Unknown at present. Training on how to prepare and write walking guides is available via Losehill Hall and funding for this training and publication could be funding via Sustainable development funds, Local Heritage initiative or by Community Champions, Local Network fund (Derbyshire Community Foundation). Support from Walks for Health initiative could also be available | Parish Council has proposed that Amenity Society take a lead on this, but this could also be undertaken by one member |

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| 8  | Need for greater accessible space within Library and/or potential accessible community venue   | <b>Town Hall re-development</b>       | Potential a large project to re-design internal space to expand Library facilities and re-locate Parish Council office. The Parish Council could use ProHelp Project to access free architects to do initial plans   |           |                            | Parish Council with DCC Library service   |
| 9  | Facilities for all. Identified by school, sports participation survey and through questionnaires   | <b>Warmbrook field</b>                | Football Foundation grants available   |           |                            | Chapel-en-le-Frith C of E Primary School.   |
| 10 | Community and business consultation clearly identified need for better distribution of information for local residents, customers and visitors to ensure that economic benefits are realised within the town | <b>Phase 2: website</b>               | Website is not currently being developed as part of Touchscreen project but Richard Weedon may be interested in developing this following the competition of the touchscreen. The aim of the website would be a clear visitor focus to support local businesses. | Sept 2005 |                            | High Peak Borough Council would be accountable body but all project work would be undertaken by MTI Project Manager |
| 11 | Community and business consultation clearly identified need for better distribution of information for local residents, customers and visitors to ensure that economic benefits are realised within the town | <b>Business websites &amp; portal</b> | Potential linkage between High School's technology status and individual businesses to multi benefit   |           |                            | Chapel High School  |
| 12 | Need for disabled access and facilities which all the community can access   | <b>Playhouse improvement project</b>  | Improved disabled access and changing facilities   |           | Original estimate =£90,000 | Chapel Players  |
| 13 | Environmental enhancement scheme   | <b>Wildlife Planting on Warmbrook</b> | Potential development of wildlife site on land owned by High Peak Community Housing. Potential to link with Groundwork.  |           |                            | Potentially led by Groundwork or BTCV with volunteers   |
| 14 | Visitor interest   | <b>Blue Plaques</b>                   | Proposed project to introduce be plagues onto buildings with a historic interest   |           |                            | Proposed Amenity Society  |
| 15 |  | <b>Britain in Bloom</b>               | Develop Britain in Bloom application as catalyst for environmental improvements and improved pride in town appearance  |           | Unknown at present         | No identified lead  |

## Continuing projects or projects that lead on from existing work

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|  | Enabling women to return to education or training and promoting greater labour market participation to boost average household incomes -identified via consultation and worksheets                           | <b>What's on for Young People</b>              | Continuation of existing project to provide information on range of facilities, childcare and activities for young people over the school holidays |          | Approx. £350 reproduction costs   | Parish Council (with support from HLN 2006)   |
|  | Supporting physical enhancements within the town - identified via consultation and worksheets  | <b>Conservation area physical enhancements</b> | Completion of physical works to Kings Arms and Town End pavement and continuation of financial grants to support conservation                      | April 04 | £20,000 annual budget   | High Peak Borough Council - Conservation team   |
|  | More positive things for young people to do was seen as the top priority for the town in all residents consultation and also was clearly shown in worksheets   | <b>Youth Music and Arts Festival</b>           | Potential to repeat Infusion event for summer 2006 and biannually afterwards.  |          | 2004 costs were £7,000 for day plus £10,000 for pre and post workshops. The Derbyshire Community Foundation (Local network Fund) would fund up to £7,000 of maximum £10,000 project if applied for via High Peak Community Arts. They are currently short on applications and this fits all eligibility criteria. | DCC Youth Services & High Peak Community Arts   |
|  |  | <b>May Day Event</b>                           | Development from May Day Event 05 to encourage people into town centre   | June 03  | £1,500 committed for 06   | Chapel Parish Council and traders association (Claire Joan from Serene Beauty and Fran Henderson from Em & Teds to take lead) |
|  | Community and business consultation clearly identified need for better distribution of information for local residents, customers and visitors to ensure that economic benefits are realised within the town | <b>Community Newsletter</b>                    | Chapel in the Hub managed by Healthy Living Network  |          |   | No identified lead after June 06  |