

## Broadwindsor Group Parish Community Land Trust

## **Update, October 2016**

At the public meeting held in Drimpton in September, the majority of those attending were in support of the proposal to develop a maximum of 15 affordable homes for rent to families and those with a strong local connection to the Group Parish Council area. With this mandate, the BGP CLT is proceeding with the contract tender process for site feasibility work, which involves a number of surveys – topographical, trees, ecological, groundworks, and landscape design. The CLT is also seeking expressions of interest from architectural practices and housing associations. Once the design team is in place, we will be working closely with them to achieve sustainability and designs in keeping with the rural nature of the site and the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. Landscape design will be a very important element in this process. Outline plans will be presented to the local community at public meetings in due course.

We have a growing number of supporters who have joined the BGP CLT as members. We would welcome anyone from within the Broadwindsor Group Parish area to join us through the purchase of Shares at a cost of £1.00p each. More information about the BGP CLT's objectives, summaries of meeting discussions, and membership can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.broadwindsorgroupparishclt.org">www.broadwindsorgroupparishclt.org</a>.

The Broadwindsor Group Parish Community Land Trust will hold an Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, 15 November in Comrades Hall, Broadwindsor starting at 7.30pm. At this meeting, which is open to Members only, the current Steering Group will stand down and new members of the Board will be elected.