BOVEY TRACEY COMMUNITY CENTRE STEERING GROUP MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER ON TUESDAY 27TH NOVEMBER 2018 AT 10.00AM

Present:

Cllr Ms Jan Blair (Town Mayor)

Cllr Tony Allen

Cllr Robert Ashby

Cllr Rob Bray

Cllr Eoghan Kelly

Miss Erica Steer - Bovey Tracey Information Centre Trust

Mr Peter Hall

Mr Mark Wells - Town Clerk

Cllr Tony Allen chaired the meeting in the absence of Cllr Eoghan Kelly.

1. Apologies for absence:

Mrs Jackie Paxman – Bovey Tracey Library

2. <u>Archaeological Survey</u>

It was noted and confirmed that the costs for the additional Archaeological Survey would be funded by DCC.

3. <u>Value Engineering</u>

Mark presented an updated version of the budget following the inclusion of the revised Stage 2 tender figure, prior to discussions at this meeting to consider further value engineering.

Peter Hall suggested progressing estimates for the use of timber frame construction for the main building – **Action Mark to notify PMA**.

Peter suggested the use of render on all exterior elevations in place of stone – **Action Mark to notify PMA**

Peter suggested the reduction in size of 2 toilet cubicles as there was no requirement for all 4 toilets to have disabled access - **Action Mark to notify PMA**

Other opportunities discussed to reduce circulation space include:

- 2 no. toilet cubicles to have disabled access (only) Action Mark to notify PMA
- Reduce foyer entrance to Town Hall end of build by 1m (width) and 8 metres across, losing ½ metre from kitchen and cupboard or from both toilets **Action Mark to notify PMA**

Following further discussions, it was agreed that clarification is sought in relation to the underpinning requirements of the boundary wall – why is this needed if attenuation tanks are to be located alongside? **Action Mark to clarify with PMA**

Eoghan requested individual cost savings for each item. It was also requested that a revised plan showing the revisions discussed is prepared for the next meeting and approximate cost savings are obtained for the areas discussed.

Date of next meeting – Thursday 6th December (10am).

Mtg closed: 11.00am.