

Aveton Gifford Village Shop Committee Q&A – 16/06/10

Action plan

1. Notify village
 - a. Tim's letter
 - b. Our notice which will cover the following
 - i. Situation
 - ii. P.O. Decision still pending despite being chased
 - iii. Action plan
 1. Specify opportunity
 2. Broadcast opportunity
 3. Appoint independent interview panel
 4. Act upon responses
 5. Interview
 6. Decide
 7. Appoint
 - iv. Keep community involved
 - v. Organise Q&A for community – 16th June 2010 at the Memorial Hall 7:30pm
 - vi. Constructive feedback welcome
2. Prepare business opportunity advert and place in appropriate media, possibles:
 - a. Local Press
 - b. Plymouth Herald
 - c. BBC (Jonny Morris)
 - d. DEBI
 - e. SDCLAG
 - f. Sub Postmasters Magazine
3. Interviews. An independent interview panel must be appointed. LAG (Liz Able) should be approached.
4. Timeline:
 - a. Notice period expires 4th Sept
 - b. Advert to be posted 18th June
 - c. Responses required by 16th July
 - d. Interviews commence 26th July

e. Decision published 2nd August

5. Integrate new partner as quickly as possible

What do we do if no one responds?

- Discuss with community the possibility of a community shop.
- Employ a manager
- Investigate part time P.O. operation

If all fails LAG will require their loan to be refunded - £35,000, the shop building would have to be used for this.