## **CURRENT TERMS of REFERENCE FOR PLANNING SUB-COMMITTEE**

In accordance with approved requirements, the Terms of Reference for our duly appointed Sub-Committee are as follows :-

- 1 : The Planning Sub-Committee shall consider, respond to and comment upon any items emanating from the Borough's Planning and Regeneration Service and the Strategic Directorates concerning the future of the Borough. They include, but are not limited to, planning applications, public consultations, strategic development plans and policies.
- 2 : The Planning Sub-Committee shall also deal with any other matter that, from time to time, may be delegated to it by the Executive Committee.
- 3 : All other concerns raised by Members about the day-to-day running of the Borough shall be first considered by the Executive Committee which will then decide how best to respond.

To assist the work of the Planning Sub-Committee, Members may contact either the Chairman of the Planning Sub-Committee (*currently to : gerald.rigler@gmail.com*) or the Secretary of our Society whose details are in the Newsletters issued by the Society.

From time to time we ask Members (via the Newsletter) for their views on subjects of interest or debate. This is not always possible because of time constraints but when we do ask for comments we hope you will respond quickly, since we often have to work to demanding deadlines and would appreciate your views.

Sometimes Central Government (or via its 'arms-length' agencies - eg the NHS) publicise matters that will affect planning by the Borough. We only know how you feel about things if you tell us !

We have good contacts with the Council and can get the right query or views to the right quarter without delay.