

**World War 1 Commemoration Working Group**  
**Record of Site Meeting**  
**Held On Wednesday 27 April 2018 at 18.00**  
**At Overton Hill Memorial Field, Frodsham**



**Present:** Geoff Abnett (WW1 WG) Pammi Taylor (WW1 WG) Cllr Caroline Ashton (FTC) Cllr Linda Brown (FTC) Cllr Judith Critchley (FTC) Cllr Liam Jones (FTC)

**Apologies:** Heather Powling (WW1 WG)

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1. **Objective:** The meeting was arranged to consider WW1 WG's proposed optional sites for the erection of a lectern-style information board containing:

- i. Names of men who died in the Great War & whose names are not included on any Memorial in Frodsham; and
- ii. Directions for Frodsham's four Memorials.

2. **Background**

- i. Extensive research by members of WW1 WG had resulted in the discovery of details of Frodsham's men who had died in the Great War but whose names were missed from the lists because of difficulties of assembling & confirming information at the time the Memorials were erected,. Following in-depth discussions, members of WW! WG agreed to erect an information board in honour of these men.
- ii. Having consulted the Town Clerk, WW1 WG submitted a proposal to FTC's Community Committee on 15 Feb '18. At its meeting on 20 Feb, the Committee deferred its decision pending clarification of certain matters and a site visit. WW1 WG answered the questions raised on 12 Mar (email to Town Clerk).
- iii. The site meeting was arranged for 27 Apr to accommodate attendees availability.

3. **Outcome:** In addition to the two sites (left & right of the access to the disabled path from OHMF) proposed by WW1 WG, a site near the main gates to OHMF was considered. Cllrs agreed the site shown on the attached diagram.

4. **Action:** It was agreed that Pammi would ask the Town Clerk to submit the proposal below to FTC's meeting in May:

“That FTC approves WW1 WG's plan to erect a lectern-style information board, displaying the 42 names missing from the four Memorials in Frodsham and directions for the four Memorials (layout attached), at Overton Hill Memorial Field, near the War Memorial.”

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