

Starting a Community Supported Agriculture Project

Transition Heeley Meersbrook

Public Meeting
2nd November 2009

BBC Documentary

- invitation to be filmed for BBC documentary
- Recommendation
 - to participate in the filming of this documentary
- Sam Wichelow
 - BBC Look North
 - documentary film maker
 - member of local community



Tonight's Meeting....

Introductions

Recommendations

Darrell Maryon

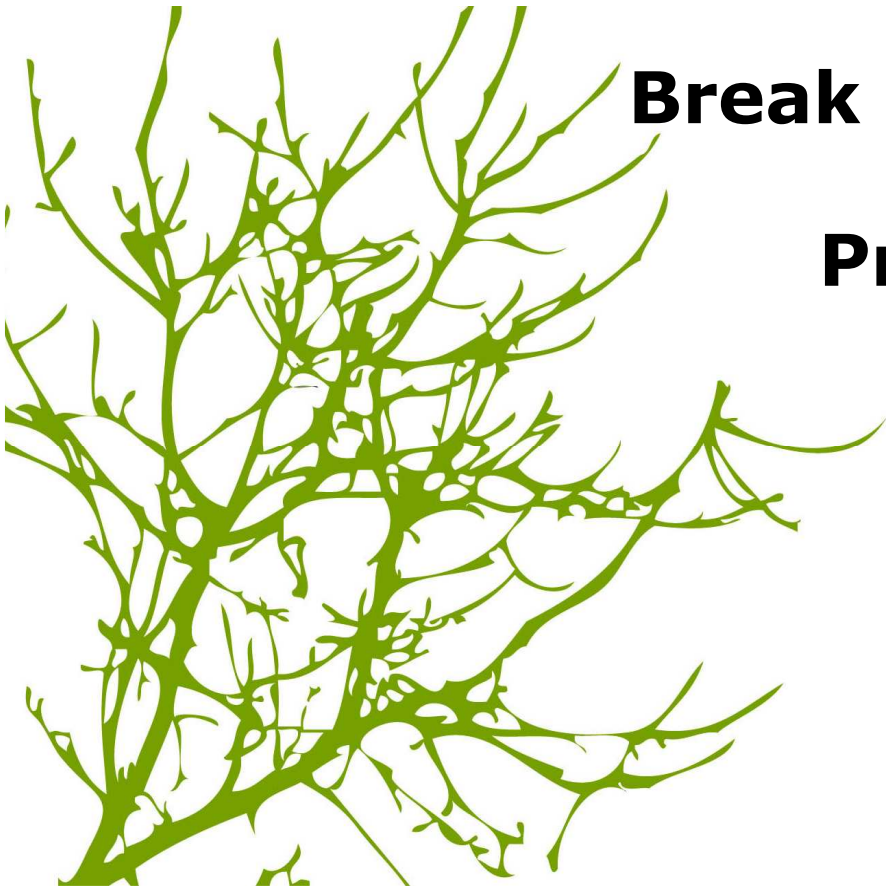
Break

Progress Update

Founding Members

Getting Involved

Next Steps...



Introductions

Let's get to know
each other...

In pairs discuss
'why you are here?'



Recommendations

- Set Up A Co-Operative
 - Sheffield Food Co-operative Limited
- Appoint Founding Members
- Set Up Working Groups
- Agree Aims & Objectives
- Members Register
- Business Planning
- Community Share Issue
- Establish Hazelhurst CSA



Darrell Maryon

- Organic & Bio-Dynamic Grower
 - Heeley City Farm
 - Wortley Hall

*Some Shared Thoughts on the
Hazelhurst CSA Site*

- Any Questions?



Tea Break!



Progress Update

- Support from Co-Operatives UK
- Sheffield Food Plan
- Business Planning Training Day
- Anything else...?



Founding Members

- Registered Directors
- The Committee
- Carry out Recommendations

Alison Hilton

Chris Croome

Gareth Roberts Heather Hunt

Kerri Cripps Marion Watson

Ronin Barkshire Yvonne O'Donovan

- any questions or objections?
- consensus to appoint committee?



Getting Involved

- Be a Member
- Be a Shareholder
 - Sign the draft register tonight...
- Set Up / Join a Working Group
 - Open Space...



Working Groups

– Things to think about...

- group focus
- aims & objectives
- meetings
- facilitation
- shared resources
- communication
- linking with other working groups
- linking with the committee
- getting others involved
- being inclusive

– contact name & email

– your group's first action



Next Steps...

- Working Groups
 - Member / Shareholder Sign Up
 - Land Purchase
 - Option to Purchase Agreement
 - Aims & Objectives
 - Setting up the Co-Op
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- Zero Carbon Cabaret
 - 28th November, 7.30pm, Heeley Institute

