## Keep Ash Green

The Planning Policy Team at GBC have arranged a public drop-in event to discuss the Local Plan on **Thursday 15th June** at the **Tongham Community Centre** between **1pm** and **8pm**. A great opportunity to raise your concerns about Ash Green being absorbed into the proposed 'Ash & Tongham Urban Area' (ATUA).

As residents of Ash Green (and in particular Ash Green Road, Ash Manor and Drovers Way) we need to voice our concerns at their draft Local Plan. We are Ash Green, always have been. All maps, (historical and current), and deeds state we are Ash Green.

We all need to come together and show solidarity as a community/village.

## Why fight this?

Where we live (inform them what road you live down) has always been Ash Green but in the draft Local Plans proposed in 2014, 2016 and now 2017, they extended the **ATUA** up to Dene Lodge Drive and put many of us in Ash. We are not Ash, we are Ash Green.

We need to protect our villages rural and historical character.

If Ash merges with Ash Green we will loose our identity.

## What to do.

Pop along to the consultation on Thursday and find out how much further the planning department intend to push the **Ash & Tongham Urban Area**.

Express that Ash Green should not form part of the **ATUA**.

Tell them we need a green buffer on Ash Manor that will separate urban Ash from rural Ash Green.

As a community fighting to save Ash Green we will need to write to GBC by 23rd July but Ash Green Residence Association (AGRA) will be in touch very soon with suggested comments.

Thank you AGRA Join The Ash Green Community Notice Board on FB or visit <u>www.ashgreen.org</u> For more info go to <u>www.guildford.gov.uk</u>. Search Local plan 2017. See pages 210-214 for policy A28 & A29