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**DECISIONS OF THE FINCHLEY & GOLDERS GREEN AREA ENVIRONMENT  
SUB-COMMITTEE**

**10 March 2008**

SUB-COMMITTEE:

\*Councillor Daniel Thomas BA (Hons) (Chairman)  
\*Councillor Jazmin Naghar (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors:

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| * Melvin Cohen  | * Geof Cooke     |
| * Ross Houston  | \$ Andrew McNeil |
| * Monroe Palmer | * Colin Rogers   |

\*denotes Member present

\$denotes Member absent on Council business

**1. MINUTES (Agenda Item 1)**

RESOLVED – That the decisions of the meeting of the Sub-Committee held on 20 November 2007 be agreed as a correct record.

**2. ABSENCE OF MEMBERS (Agenda Item 2)**

Apologies were received from Councillor McNeil, who was absent on Council business. Councillor Rogers substituted for Councillor McNeil.

**3. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME (Agenda Item 4)**

There were no public questions.

**4. DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS' PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS (Agenda Item 5)**

There were no declarations of interest.

**5. MEMBER'S ITEM – ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, GLEBELANDS OPEN SPACE, NORTH FINCHLEY (Report of the Democratic Services Manager, Director of Corporate Governance and Director of Environment and Transport) – (Agenda item 6)**

The Sub-Committee, having heard representations from Councillor Cooke and a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED - That the issues around Glebelands open space be addressed by the Greenspaces team, in consultation with interested members.

**6. MEMBER'S ITEM – ROAD SAFETY, SQUIRES LANE, N3 (Report of the Democratic Services Manager) – (Agenda Item 7)**

The Sub-Committee, having heard representations from Councillor Houston and a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer, supported the current work

on providing 'at any time' waiting restrictions at all junctions along Squires Lane and noted the safety work proposed under the local safety scheme within this section of highway.

RESOLVED – That the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to investigate traffic speeds and road safety along the section of Squires Lane between Long Lane and the A1000, in consultation with local ward members.

**7. MEMBER'S ITEM – SPEED CONTROL AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT, CHURCH LANE, N2 (Report of the Democratic Services Manager) – (Agenda Item 8)**

The Sub-Committee, having heard representations from Councillor Rogers and from Mr John Silvertown and Councillor Alison Moore and a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED – That the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to investigate and submit a report to a future meeting in respect of the following:

- (i) a 20mph speed limit on Church Lane supported by vehicle actuated signs;
- (ii) signage at either end of Church Lane warning motorists of concealed junctions and the one-way working over the bridge over the tube line;
- (iii) junction signs at Long Lane and King Street;
- (iv) liaison with local schools to bring forward complementary pedestrian measures;
- (v) the extension of the cycle lane from Leslie Road to East End Road; and
- (vi) any other potential measures.

**8. RANULF ROAD/LYNDALE, NW2 – 20MPH SPEED LIMIT (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport) – (Agenda Item 9)**

RESOLVED – That this item be deferred to a subsequent meeting to allow members of the public time to prepare and to make requests to speak at that meeting.

**9. HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORKS PROGRAMME 2008/09 (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport – (Agenda Item 10)**

The Sub-Committee, having heard a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED –

1. That the list of roads for carriageway resurfacing and footway relay works in the Finchley and Golders Green Area for 2008/2009, as listed in Appendix A to the report, be approved.

2. That, subject to the overall costs being contained within available budgets, the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to:

- i) Give notice under Section 58 of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 of the Council's intention to implement the highway works shown in Appendix A to the report by advertising and consulting as necessary with the public utility companies and Transport for London for schemes proposed to be implemented during 2008/2009;
- ii) Implement the schemes proposed shown in Appendix A to the report by placing orders with the Council's term contractors or specialist contractors appointed in accordance with the Council's Contract Procedure Rules; and
- iii) agree any variations to the scheduling of the programme in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport and the Chairman of this Sub-Committee.

**10. LOCAL SAFETY SCHEME PROGRAMME 2008/09 (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport – (Agenda Item 11))**

The Sub-Committee, having heard a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED –

1. That the 2008/09 Local Safety Scheme programme be approved.
2. That the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to carry out the necessary works, including where necessary making Traffic Management Orders, to implement a number of safety related measures at various locations in Finchley & Golders Green, subject to all necessary funding being available.
3. That any unresolved material objections be dealt with following consultation with ward members by the Director of Environment and Transport under delegated powers in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport and the Chairman of the Sub-Committee.

**11. SCHOOL TRAVEL PLAN – IMPLEMENTATION WORKS – OUR LADY OF LOURDES SCHOOL (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport – (Agenda Item 12))**

The Sub-Committee, having heard a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED – That, subject to the funds being available, the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to design and implement schemes to provide engineering measures at Our Lady of Lourdes School subject to:-

- i) the appropriate consultation with local residents/occupiers and the school community who are directly affected by the proposals, and with public transport operators and the emergency services;
- ii) consultation with ward members; and
- iii) any unresolved material objections being dealt with by the Director of Environment and Transport under delegated powers in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environment & Transport and the Chairman of this Sub-Committee.

**12. ADDITIONAL VEHICLE ACTUATED SIGN IN DUNSTAN ROAD NW11 (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport – (Agenda Item 13))**

The Sub-Committee, having heard a verbal briefing from the Chief Highways Officer RESOLVED – That the Director of Environment and Transport be instructed to implement the necessary works to install a vehicle-actuated sign subject to:-

- i) funds being available;
- ii) appropriate consultation with local residents/occupiers directly affected by the proposals, public transport operators and with the emergency services;
- iii) consultation with ward members; and
- iv) any unresolved material objections being dealt with following consultation with Ward Members by the Director of Environment and Transport under delegated powers in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environment and Transport and the Chairman of this Sub-Committee.

**13. INVESTIGATION INTO 20MPH SPEED LIMIT IN DUNSTAN ROAD NW11 (Report of the Director of Environment and Transport – (Agenda Item 14))**

RESOLVED – That consideration of the need for a 20mph limit in Dunstan Road be deferred to a subsequent meeting to allow assessment and consideration of the effect of the installation of the planned vehicle actuated signs.

The meeting closed at 9.00pm