

Decisions of the Hendon Area Environment Sub-Committee

26 March 2014

Cllr John Hart (Chairman)

Cllr Joan Scannell (Vice-Chairman)

* Maureen Braun
* Brian Gordon

* Geoffrey Johnson
* Julie Johnson

* Charlie O'Macauley

1. MINUTES (Agenda Item 1):

The sub-Committee agreed to amend the draft minutes prior to their approval and added the following '*with a view to extend the CPZ*' to the first resolution of item 6. This resolution therefore read:

- *The Sub-Committee requested that the appropriate officer investigate the site and consider proposals to enhance road safety with a view to extend the CPZ.*

The sub-Committee approved the minutes of the meeting held on 15 January 2014 as a correct record.

2. ABSENCE OF MEMBERS (Agenda Item 2):

All Members were present.

3. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND NON PECUNIARY INTERESTS (Agenda Item 3):

There were none.

4. PUBLIC QUESTIONS (Agenda Item 4):

There were none.

5. MATTERS REFERRED FROM HENDON RESIDENTS FORUM (Agenda Item 5):

The Sub-Committee received the items below, which had been referred to the Sub-Committee by the Chairman of the Hendon Residents Forum, Councillor Brian Gordon.

<i>Item 6 – Extract from Hendon Residents Forum Agenda – 26 March 2014</i>	
Parking Proposal for Ajax Avenue and Chequers Close NW9 I would like to request that the parking issues and a parking proposal for Ajax Avenue and Chequers Close NW9 be added to the agenda for the Hendon Residents Forum on Wednesday 26th March 2014. The proposal of the residents of Ajax Avenue and Chequers Close is as follows;	It is believed that the issue of parking in Ajax Avenue NW9 was addressed in the last Hendon Residents Forum on 15th January 2014, and the Hendon Area Environment Sub-Committee on the same date. It was decided that Officers should investigate the request, and Officers will shortly be engaging with Ward

<p>1) That the controlled parking zone be extended from 7am to 7pm Monday to Saturday</p> <p>2) That the Ajax Avenue and Chequers Close be granted a specific parking permit exclusively for the use of residents of Ajax Avenue and Chequers Close NW9 but excluding any residents of the Fairview flats on the corner of Ajax Avenue and Colindale Avenue known as Brent Works.</p> <p>We have a petition with more than 30 signatures which we would like to submit with this proposal.</p> <p>Charlotte Gracias</p>	<p>Councillors in relation to this.</p> <p>Traffic and Development</p>
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The traffic and development officer stated that the situation had developed and noted the concerns of the resident.

The sub-Committee noted the urgency of this item and requested that officers investigate the location and carry out any necessary consultation with residents and Ward Members.

Resolved

That the sub-Committee requests that the residents' concerns are investigated and that a consultation takes place which engages with Ward Members.

6. MEMBERS ITEM (Agenda Item 6):

Installation of a Zebra Crossing on Shirehall Lane

The Sub-Committee considered a Members' Item submitted by Ward Member Councillor Ansuya Sodha which highlighted a requirement for a zebra crossing whilst highlighting safety issues.

Having considered oral representation from Councillor Ansuya Sodha as she introduced the report the Sub-Committee having given consideration:

Resolved

- To instruct officers to investigate the proposal and take action within a reasonable time.
- That Ward Members are consulted

Highways Issues in West Hendon Ward

The Sub-Committee considered a Members' Item submitted by Ward Member Councillor Julie Johnson. The report contained four locations which requested that road safety and traffic control be enhanced.

The sub-Committee heard representation from Jackie Anderson as she informed the sub-Committee of her concerns, more so in relation to the junction of Cool Oak Lane and Woolmead Avenue.

Having considered the the item Sub-Committee:

Resolved

- To instruct officers to engage with Transport for London in order to establish a strategy to outweigh the concerns highlighted within this report.
- That Ward Members are consulted

7. HIGHWAYS PLANNED MAINTENANCE WORKS PROGRAMME FOR HENDON AREA - 2014/2015 (Agenda Item 7):

The sub-Committee received the planned maintenance works programme for the Hendon constituency for 2014/15 with an amended Appendix A which offices tabled.

Having considered the report the sub-Committee:

Resolved

That the report be approved subject to 1.2 of the report and the amended appendix A.

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN DECIDES URGENT (Agenda Item 8):

The Chairman noted that he had accepted the circulation and publication of the report that addressed Traffic Movement on Silkstream Road, Edgware.

The sub-Committee were concerned that the report did not capture a suitable solution and therefore considered options which may alleviate the pressures within the road.

Resolved

- That the sub-Committee refuse the recommendation as set out in section 1 of the report.
- That the sub-Committee request that an investigation be conducted in order for the location to be reviewed with an intention of a one way system to be introduced.

The meeting finished at 9:15pm