

## **Finchley and Golders Green Resident Forum**

13<sup>th</sup> January 2016

Members Present:-

Councillor Shimon Ryde (Chairman)  
Councillor Reuben Thompstone (Vice-Chairman)

### **DRAFT PARKS AND OPEN SPACES CONSULTATION**

The Forum received information regarding two consultations that will be launching on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2016. They relate to how Barnet manages parts of its environment and environmental impact in the future. These consultations are for our Draft Parks and Open Spaces strategy and Draft Recycling and Waste Strategy. The details of the consultation were made available at the meeting, and were also appended to the issues list.

**1. ENFORCEMENT OF BLUE BADGE HOLDERS PARKING ON DOUBLE YELLOW LINES  
SUBMITTED BY WENDY BERNADELLE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

Councillor Geof Cooke spoke in his capacity as ward councillor, and reiterated the severity of the issue raised.

**The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**2. REFUSE BINS ON UPTON CLOSE AND DRAYCOTT CLOSE  
SUBMITTED BY HONORA MORRISSEY**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

**The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**3. STATE OF WOODSIDE PARK ROAD  
SUBMITTED BY RYAN HERRMANN**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

**The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**4. PROPOSED CPZ FOR HEATHGATE  
SUBMITTED BY JANE BAILEY**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

The resident, Ms Jane Bailey, made an oral representation at the forum and thanked both officers and councillors for their support with the issue.

**The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**5. CLOCK ON CRICKLEWOOD BROADWAY/DEAD TREES ON CRICKLEWOOD BROADWAY  
SUBMITTED BY: MARLENE WARDLE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

Officers present at the meeting said that they would provide more information regarding the ownership of the clock to the resident.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list**
- **The Chairman instructed officers to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days.**

ACTION: MIKE HITCHINGS, REGULATION SERVICES MANAGER

**6. CPZ IN LESLIE ROAD  
SUBMITTED BY SONIA SINGHAM**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

Councillor Arjun Mittra spoke in his capacity as ward councillor. He spoke in support of the requested CPZ.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list**
- **The Chairman referred the item to the following meeting of the Finchley and Golders Green Area Committee.**

**7. DEAD TREES IN KARA WAY POCKET PARK  
SUBMITTED BY DERVLA FLYNN**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from two residents, Ms Jessica Howey and Ms Marlene Wardle. The resident stated that there had been significant delay in resolving the issue of discussion.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list**
- **The Chairman instructed officers to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days, to:**
  - 1. Inform the resident which trees will be replaced.**
  - 2. To provide reassurance that the action will be completed by March 2016.**

ACTION: MIKE HITCHINGS, REGULATION SERVICES MANAGER

**8. TRAFFIC ON HERMITAGE LANE  
SUBMITTED BY CHRIS WOOLLERY**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**9. PUBLIC SPACE PROTECTION ORDER  
SUBMITTED BY JESSICA HOWEY, SECRETARY – CRICKLEWOOD RAILWAY  
TERRACES' ASSOCIATION**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident, Ms Howey.

Matt Leng, Community Safety Manager, verbally responded to the issue and stated that the Community Safety Team would be addressing many of the concerns raised by the resident in the following months.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**10. DAMAGED PAVEMENT – KARA WAY; STILL NOT REPAIRED  
JESSICA HOWEY, SECRETARY – CRICKLEWOOD RAILWAY TERRACES'  
ASSOCIATION**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident, Ms Howey.

Mike Hitchings, Regulation Services Manager, verbally responded to the issue and stated that this issue has recently been investigated twice. He noted that his team will revisit the location to investigate areas which the resident cited as points of concern.

The resident also raised an urgent concern relating to the pavement outside of Tesco on Cricklewood Broadway, which is in need of fixing.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list**
- **The Chairman instructed officers to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days in regard to the pavement outside Tesco on Cricklewood Broadway.**

**ACTION: MIKE HITCHINGS, REGULATION SERVICES MANAGER**

**11. REGENT CLOSE  
SUBMITTED BY JACKY KIRWAN**

Councillor Or-bach spoke in his capacity as a ward councillor, and raised concerns about the monitoring and disposal of trade waste.

The Chairman and Councillor Or-bach noted a need for more robust enforcement concerning the disposal trade waste.

- The Forum noted the response in the issues list.

**12. REQUEST FOR KERB MARKINGS AND UPRIGHT SIGNS “NO WAITING AT ANY TIME” TO REINFORCE DOUBLE YELLOW LINES AT JUNCTIONS OF FALLOW COURT AVENUE/ MONTROSE CRESCENT AND MONTROSE CRESCENT/GRANVILLE ROAD AND FOR THESE AREAS TO MONITORED AND REGULATIONS ENFORCED BY LONDON BOROUGH OF BARNET PARKING ENFORCEMENT**

**SUBMITTED BY JACKY KIRWIN**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- The Forum noted the response in the issues list.

**13. COST OF RELAYING THE PAVEMENT ON HENDON AVENUE  
SUBMITTED BY ANDREW DISMORE, GLA MEMBER FOR BARNET AND  
CAMDEN**

Councillor Arjun Mittra spoke on behalf of Mr Dismore and made a representation in regard to the concerns presented in the issues list.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- The Forum noted the response in the issues list.

**14. DERELICT STRIP OF LAND NEXT TO NORTH CIRCULAR IN EAST FINCHLEY  
SUBMITTED BY ANDREW DISMORE, GLA MEMBER FOR BARNET AND  
CAMDEN**

Councillor Arjun Mittra spoke in his capacity as ward councillor, and expressed concern in regard to the council and TfL working together on the matter raised in the issues list.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- The Forum noted the response in the issues list.

**15. DETERRING DUMPING AROUND CRICKLEWOOD LANE  
SUBMITTED BY ANDREW DISMORE, GLA MEMBER FOR BARNET AND  
CAMDEN**

Councillor Jack Cohen spoke in his capacity as ward councillor and asked whether more signs could be put up stating that fly-tipping is monitored. The Chairman responded by saying that there are several signs in the area already that state that dumping is not permitted.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**
- **The Chairman instructed officers to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days with information regarding a CCTV upgrade in the area.**

ACTION: PETER CLIFTON, COMMUNITY SAFETY

**16. KEEPING PRIMROSE CLOSE N3 FREE OF PARKED VEHICLES  
SUBMITTED BY ANDREW DISMORE, GLA MEMBER FOR BARNET AND  
CAMDEN**

Councillor Arjun Mittra spoke on behalf of Mr Dismore and made a representation in regard to the concerns presented in the issues list.

Councillor Graham Old spoke in his capacity as a ward councillor and said that the road in question is an un-adopted road and is therefore a private matter.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**17. PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ON WOODHOUSE LANE  
SUBMITTED BY ANDREW DISMORE, GLA MEMBER FOR BARNET AND  
CAMDEN**

Councillor Anne Hutton spoke in her capacity as a ward councillor, and state that there is potential confusion over the location of the issue.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**
- **The Chairman instructed officers to provide an additional response to the resident, and Councillor Anne Hutton, within 20 working days in order to clarify the location in question and provide a revised response.**

ACTION: MIKE HITCHINGS, REGULATION SERVICES MANAGER

**18. PARKING ON STANLEY ROAD  
SUBMITTED BY ZIZ CHATER**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

Mike Hitchings, Regulation Services Manager, provided an additional response and mentioned that there are plans to include additional zig-zag lines in Stanley Road. Mr Hitchings noted that he would be willing to meet the resident on site to discuss the issue in greater depth.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**19. PARKING ON EVERSLEIGH ROAD, FINCHLEY CENTRAL, N3  
SUBMITTED BY RESIDENT ON EVERSLEIGH ROAD**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

Councillor Jim Tierney spoke in his capacity as a ward councillor to say that this issue has previously been raised on many occasions, and that the most recent survey of the issue indicated that there is not support of controlled parking.

The Chairman recommended that the resident contact their ward councillors in respect to taking the issue forward.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**20. FREQUENCY OF RESIDENTS' FORUMS  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

Edward Gilbert, Governance Officer, provided a verbal resident to the resident and stated that he would be willing to discuss any wider concerns the resident had outside of the meeting.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**21. RESIDENTS' FORUMS 'SIX MONTH RULE'  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**22. SALE OF VICTORIA PARK LODGE  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

Councillors Peter Zinkin and Reuben Thompstone, in their capacities as ward councillors, stated that the legal grounding for the sale of the lodge was clearly laid out in the Full Council report of November 2014.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**23. VICTORIA PARK LODGE VANDALISM  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**24. WEEDS ALONG DOLLIS BROOK  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues. The Chairman also recommended that the resident contact the officer listed in the issues list if they would like to discuss the issue in more depth.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**25. SIGNS ON THE DOLLIS VALLEY GREENWALK  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues. The Chairman also recommended that the resident contact their local ward councillor(s) to address concerns that they have in regard to this issue.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**26. SIGNS ON LOVERS WALK  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues. The Chairman also requested that officers inform the resident of the outcome of the review of signs on Lovers Walk.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**27. SALE OF VICTORIA PARK LODGE  
SUBMITTED BY MARY O'CONNOR**

The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from the resident.

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**28. ISSUE RELATING TO CAPITA CONTRACT  
SUBMITTED BY THERESA MUSGROVE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**29. CUTS TO LIBRARIES  
SUBMITTED BY THERESA MUSGROVE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**30. ACCESS TO LIBRARIES UNDER NEW PROPOSALS  
SUBMITTED BY THERESA MUSGROVE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**31. CLOSURE OF LIBRARIES  
SUBMITTED BY THERESA MUSGROVE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**32. LIBRARIES  
SUBMITTED BY THERESA MUSGROVE**

The Forum considered the issue which was outlined in the list of issues.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

**33. PARKING IN ADDISON WAY  
SUBMITTED BY PHILIP OKRENT**



The Forum heard an oral representation of the issue from a local resident.

Councillor John Marshall spoke in his capacity as ward councillor and supported swift action to be taken regarding the issue.

- **The Forum noted the response in the issues list.**

The Forum noted the following meeting dates:

Date
30 March 2016 at 6.30pm

The meeting finished at 7.39PM.