HIHENDON RESIDENTS FORUM

VENUE: Hartley Hall, St Michaels and All Angels Church, Mill Hill, London, NW7 2JA.

18th October 2017

Chairman: Councillor Sury Khatri Vice Chairman: Councillor John Hart

ISSUES TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE FORUM MEETING

Items must be submitted to Governance Service (Hendon.residentsforum@barnet.gov.uk) by 10.00am on the fifth working day before the meeting

(For this meeting this will be Wednesday 11th October 2017).

	Issue Raised	Response
1	Issue: Rubbish at the back of properties at 49-57 Church Road in Ravenshurst Avenue Submitted by: P Mistry	
	Over the period of the last 15 years, myself and my neighbours, all residents of Ravenshurst Avenue, have been complaining to the Streets Services Team regarding the rubbish left on a regular basis on the corner that is behind 49 Church Road and on the corner of 42 Ravenshurst Avenue (where the roads meet as a service road but also partially pavement of Ravenshurst Avenue). This service road and the rubbish belong to the commercial properties (Bagel Bakery, Chinese restaurant and Primer Doors) between 49-57 Church Road, Hendon and the tenants that occupy flats above these commercial properties.	
	The black bins and large commercial bins overflow on a regular basis and the wind scatters the rubbish over our street. The black bins are left on a public footpath, thus blocking it. Surely this current storage of the black bins on the public pathway cannot be allowed in this location	

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	as no pedestrians can walk here. I would be very surprised if this is in agreement with planning and building regulations. Also the obstruction of public pavement cannot be in agreement with health and safety regulations. Further, not only is this visually and aesthetically disturbing, smelly and unpleasant for any passer-by and us who live in Ravenshurst Avenue, but it also encourages vermin and fly tipping, resulting in greater cost to the Council.	
	Could the Council please escalate this issue with the urgency and seriousness it deserves, since regardless of our persistent complaints to the department and interventions by Councillors, the issue has not only returned but has worsened. We are very upse and discouraged by the speed with which the offending behaviour returned, indicating the arrogance and lack of consideration for the neighbours and total contempt for the authority of the Council.	
	We would really appreciate it if you could establish with certainty to whom these bins belong, why they are situated on public footpaths, who is dumping rubbish onto the street in which we live and please deal with them to the full extent that the law allows.	
	Issue: Rectify the state of the pavements in Upcroft Avenue. Submitted by: Mr Mervyn	
2	Rectify the state of the pavement in Upcroft Avenue – they are highly dangerous, forcing people to walk in the road, which is also dangerous.	

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	Issue: Vandalism against shops on Mill Hill Broadway Submitted by: Mr Logue Richard	
3	There has been a spate of vandalism against shops on Mill Hill Broadway in recent months. In one case a particular shop has had its window smashed three times in the last few weeks. Shop owners are reporting difficulties in getting the council to hand over CCTV footage to the police.	
	I want the council to readily share all CCTV footage with the Metropolitan Police. Traders are reporting that the council are asking them to say in what 20 minute time window the vandalism occurred. This is not acceptable. Markus Weigl will be attending the meeting on my behalf to submit a supplementary question if necessary.	
	Petition: Opposing Abercorn Road Becoming a One-Way Road Submitted by: Signatures: 143	
4	The is the petition of the residents of Abercorn Road and affected neighbouring streets. We the undersigned residents are strongly opposed to Abercorn Road becoming a one-way road under Option A. We hereby petition the Council to desist pursuing and abandon Option A. We strongly support the traffic calming measures proposed under Option C.	
	Issue: Controlled Parking Zones (CPZ) Ravenshurst Avenue Submitted by: P Mistry	
5	Property owner-occupiers of Ravenshurst Avenue are having difficulty parking their car near their house. This is due to overdevelopment of the neighbouring properties, mainly at the Church Road (49-57) that now cater for many tenants of whom some have more than one care. In addition to this, workers from the commercial properties at 49-57	

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Church Road park their cars in Ravenshurst Avenue.	
Could the Council make provision for the property owner occupiers to be able to park their car near their home?	
On footpaths and road channels, rubbish scattered in Ravenshurst Avenue from number 1 to number 9 is swept by my wife on a daily basis. My wife phones to Council every week regarding this but nothing happens.	

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Future meeting dates:

Date of meeting	Location
23 rd January 2018	TBC