

Chipping Barnet Area Resident Forum

2 July 2015

Members Present:-

Councillor Lisa Rutter (Chairman)
Councillor Caroline Stock (Vice-Chairman)

1. PARKS ENGAGEMENT

The Forum received a presentation from Jon Sheaff, representing the Landscape Architects, enlisted by the Borough, to work on this project.

It was noted that residents would be fully engaged in the process with a number of events planned to facilitate this. A questionnaire would also be widely available to seek residents' views.

Any members of the public wishing to comment directly to the Landscape Architects, were requested to liaise with the Governance Service in order to seek contact details.

2. PETITION TO: SEEK TO REDUCE SPEEDING VEHICLES (ON MANOR DRIVE, WHETSTONE) TO APPROPRIATE LEVELS – ISSUE 1

The Forum heard an oral representation from Cathy Bradish and other local residents, who spoke to the issue raised.

Following discussion of the Issue the Chairman referred the issue to the subsequent meeting of the Chipping Barnet Area Committee.

3. ISSUE RELATING TO BARNET FIRST MAGAZINE DISTRIBUTION TO THE BARNET BOROUGH HOUSEHOLDERS – ISSUE 2

The Forum heard an oral representation from Tozun Zeynel who spoke to the issue raised. The Forum discussed the frequency of the distribution of the Barnet First magazine. It was noted that although the magazine was warmly welcomed by residents it was not always received by all. It was also noted that this magazine could also outline in more depth what was taking place in the Borough. It was also suggested by resident that the Residents Forum publicity could be advertised in this publication.

- **that the response in the issues list be noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to investigate this matter and provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days.**

Action: Chief Operating Officer

4. ISSUES RELATING TO THE CHANGES TO THE AREA RESIDENT FORUMS INCLUDING THE DEADLINE TO SUMMIT AN ISSUES – ISSUE 3

The Forum heard an oral representation from Mr Keith Martin. He thanked the Governance for both the written response and the oral response provide to him.

The response in the issues list be noted

5. FEASIBILITY STUDY ON THE DANGEROUS JUNCTION OF WOODSIDE AVENUE, WOODSIDE PARK ROAD, AND GAINSBOROUGH ROAD – ISSUE 4

The Forum received an oral representation from a resident relating to the issue. It was noted that the resident looked forward to receiving an update on the feasibility study.

The response in the issues list be noted

6. ANY PROPOSALS REGARDING THE OLD UNDERHILL FOOTBALL SITE – ISSUE 5

The Forum received an oral representation from Mr Allan Greig relating to the issue. Mr Greig noted that the location endures traffic issues which in heighten during school travel times.

- **that the response in the issues list be noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days relating to any proposals at the location.**

Action: Chief Operating Officer

7. ISSUES RELATING TO THE CHANGES TO THE AREA RESIDENT FORUMS INCLUDING THE DEADLINE TO SUMMIT AN ISSUES – ISSUE 6

The Forum heard an oral representation from Mr Jon Dix. Mr Dix expressed his concerns and noted that he was disappointed that residents were not consulted in respect to the changes.

The response in the issues list be noted

8. ISSUES RELATING TO THE CHANGES TO THE AREA RESIDENT FORUMS INCLUDING THE DEADLINE TO SUMMIT AN ISSUES – ISSUE 7

The Forum heard an oral representation from Ms Barbarar Jacobson.

The response in the issues list be noted

9. ISSUE RELATING libraries CONSULTATION – ISSUE 8

The Forum heard an oral representation from Ms Barbarar Jacobson.

- **that the response in the issues list be noted;**

10. ISSUES RELATING TO AIR POLLUTION AND CAR ENGINES – ISSUE 9

The Forum heard an oral representation from Mr Phil Fletcher.

The response in the issues list be noted

11. Issues relating to the changes to the Area Resident Forums Including the deadline to submit an issues – Issue 10

The Forum heard oral representations from residents with regards to this matter.

The response in the issues list be noted.

12. ISSUE RELATING TO UNLAWFUL PARKING OF PARENTS IN QUEENS ROAD BARNET – ISSUE 11

The response in the issues list was noted.

13. ISSUES RELATING VARIOUS ISSUES DIRECTED AT THE CHAIRMAN – ISSUE 12

The response in the issues list was noted.

14. ISSUES RELATING TO LITTER BINS AND JUNCTION OF STAPYLTON ROAD/SALISBURY – ISSUE 13

The Forum received an oral representation from a Gordon Massey who spoke on behalf on the Barnet Residents Association. Mr Massery submitted picture of the streetscene at some locations which supported his concerns.

- **that the response in the issues list was noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident in respect to the litter bins issue within 20 working days regarding:**

Action: Director of Streetscene

15. ISSUES RELATING TO PARKING PROBLEMS AT MANSFIELD AVENUE AND VERONO – ISSUE 14

The Governance Officer noted that Dr Kim Coleman had spoken to the Re Officers in attendance prior to the meeting and had left content with her conversation.

The response in the issues list was noted

16. ISSUES RELATING TO PARKING PROBLEMS ON EAST BARNET ROAD – ISSUE 15

- **that the issues was noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident in respect to the litter bins issue within 20 working days regarding**

Action: Director of Highway – Re

17. STAPYLTON ROAD PEDESTRIAN CROSSING – IMPROVING THE LIGHT – ISSUE 16

The Forum received an oral representation from a Gordon Massey who spoke on behalf on the Barnet Residents Association.

- **that the issues was noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident in respect to the litter bins issue within 20 working days regarding:**

Action: Contract Manager | Street Lighting PFI

18. IMPROVING THE SALISBURY RD FOOTPATH BETWEEN STAPYLTON RD AND HIGH ST – ISSUE 17

The Forum received an oral representation from a Gordon Massey who spoke on behalf on the Barnet Residents Association.

- **that the issues was noted;**
- **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days regarding:**

Action: Director of Highway – Re

19. CHEWING GUM REMOVAL – ISSUE 19

The Forum received an oral representation from a Gordon Massey who spoke on behalf on the Barnet Residents Association.

- **that the issues was noted;**
- 2. **that Officers be instructed to provide an additional response to the resident within 20 working days regarding:**

Action: Director of Highways

The Forum noted the following meeting dates.

Date
21 October 2015 at 6.30pm
13 January 2016 at 6.30pm
30 March 2016 at 6.30pm

The meeting finished at 8.01pm