

## Summary notes

**Ward: Handsworth Wood**

**Date of meeting: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

## Meeting overview

**Present :** Councillor Narinder Kooner

**Officers :** Lesley Bannister, Community Governance Manager

There were 17 residents in attendance.

### 1. **Notice of Recording** - Noted

### 2. **Apologies:** Councillor Gurdial Atwal, Councillor Paulette Hamilton, Neil De Costa and the local Police team

### 3. **Residents Issues and Concerns**

#### **Policing**

- Date of the next Police tasking meeting - some residents haven't received the normal notification from the local Police team. Some residents said the next meeting was to be held on the 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018. **Action Community Governance manager to contact the local Police team to establish when the next tasking meeting is taking place and to update the residents by email.**
- Issues raised by residents - What progress had been made on the closure of the brothel at 125 Gresdon Road; Speeding cars and Quad bikes on Gresdon Road and surrounding roads and residents want an update if possible on the stabbings on Rookery Road . **Action Community Governance manager to email these concerns to Sgt Hayley Thompson.**

#### **H.M.O's**

- Planning issues and retrospective planning permission were discussed with regard to properties on Friary Road, Somerset Road , Selbourne Road and Handsworth Wood Road .
- The residents discussed the negative impact badly managed H.M.O's had on the community of Handsworth Wood Ward.
- Residents said that they were talking to Pete Hobbs about Handsworth Wood Ward becoming part of a pilot scheme for licensing H.M.O's.

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- Councillor Kooner gave details on how to access the planning portal and said that planning enforcement issues could be reported on 303-1115.

### **Other issues**

- Fly tipping –Residents said that they believed that the change in policy to charge for bulky waste collection had contributed to an increase in fly tipping and asked if the Council had any stat's on this .**Councillor Kooner said that she believed this was already been looking at.**
- Fly tipping – hot spots Oxhill Road, Grove Lane, Soho Road and Rookery Road .**Action Councillor Kooner to chase up these issues.**
- Rubbish including Asbestos dumped on a plot of land near Friary Road, this has been reported .**Action Councillor Kooner to enquire when this will be removed .**
- A nuisance caused to residents by a neighbour keeping and breeding pigeons. **Action Councillor Kooner asked the resident to provide more details after the meeting had closed and she would investigate the matter for the resident.**
- Road safety around schools -**Action Community Governance Manager to forward details of Mode star shifts to residents**

### **4. Future Meeting Topics**

- Modern slavery.
- Presentations from all the recipients of the Local Innovation funding.
- Grass Verges

### **5. Date of next meeting -**

20<sup>th</sup> March 2018 7.00pm location to be confirmed

**9 Authority to Chair & Officers - Agreed**

**The meeting concluded at 8.50pm**

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NO.	Resident or Forum or Residents group Details	Concern/issue	Type of action to be taken (if any )	Officer or Member with responsibility
1	Residents  19 <sup>th</sup> September 2017	The area around Oxhill Road junction , Stockwell Rd and Osborne Rd– Lorries and vans causing obstruction by parking on pavement area's .  A.S.B in Stockwell Road,Westminister Road and Bernards Drive	To arrange a day of action to address the problem parking and ASB issues in the Ward.	Ward Councillors and Neil De Costa
2	Residents and Councillors  19 <sup>th</sup> September 2017  Completed	Ward Plan –residents concerned over the short timescale .	Information from residents to be collated by officers and sent to the Ward Members by 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Neil De Costa and Lesley Bannister
	Residents and Councillors	Fatal road traffic accident on Rookery road Police to forward to the Ward Councillors funding and training details for a volunteer speed watch scheme.		PC Glenpitt
	Residents and Councillors	Police tasking meeting – Communication breakdown due officers absence .	Measures to be put in place to avoid repeat	PC Glenpitt

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	Residents	Parking in Antrobus Road either side of the crossing .	Action Councillor Kooner to email the Highways officer	Councillor Kooner
	Residents	Will Handsworth Wood a part of a pilot scheme for the licensing of H.M.O.	Cllrs to seek clarification for the next Ward meeting	Cllrs Kooner and Hamilton
	Resident  Completed 17 <sup>th</sup> January	What progress had been made on the closure of the brothel at 125 Gresdon Road;Speeding cars and Quad bikes on Gresdon Road and surrounding roads and residents want an update if possible on the stabbings on Rookery Road	Contact the local Police team	Lesley Bannister
	Residents  Completed 17 <sup>th</sup> January	Road safety around schools . Community Governance Manager to forward details of Mode star shifts to residents		Lesley Bannister
	Resident	A nuisance caused to residents by a neighbour keeping and breeding pigeons	Investigate the problem	Cllr Kooner
	Residents	Fly tipping – hot spots Oxhill Road ,Grove Lane, Soho Road and Rookery Road	Cllr Kooner to chase this up	Cllr Kooner

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	Resident	Rubbish including Asbestos dumped on a plot of land near Friary Road ,this has been reported	Cllr Kooner to chase this up.	