

**EVINGTON COMMUNITY MEETING**

**TUESDAY, 26 SEPTEMBER 2023**

**Judgemeadow Community College, Marydene Drive, Leicester LE5 6HP**



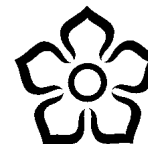
# Minute Item 11

## ACTION LOG

Evington Ward Community Meeting:

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2023

6pm – 8pm



Leicester  
City Council

### Present

Cllr Deepak Bajaj  
Cllr Zufar Haq  
Cllr Jenny Joannou  
Sgt Hake  
Barbara Whitcombe – City Warden Manager  
Graham Wells – Handy Person Service  
Peter Ababio – Housing Team Leader

WCEO Angela Martin.

### Apologies

Sgt Hake  
Rupert Bedder – Traffic and Highways

Item	Action to note	Who
1.	<b>Introductions &amp; Apologies, Declarations</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The Chair, Cllr Bajaj opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.</li><li>No declarations were noted</li></ul>	
2.	<b>Councillors Feedback</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The meeting noted an update from Councillors</li></ul>	
3.	<b>Local Policing update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The meeting noted apologies sent by Sgt Hake, no written update provided.</li><li>Complaint to be made to the Police Crime Commissioner, on behalf of Evington residents.</li><li>Police Crime Commissioner to be contacted re plan for Evington following ward visit</li></ul>	Cllrs.
4.	<b>Highways update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Actions and concerns for Highways noted in the meeting – Appendix A</li></ul>	WEO
5.	<b>City Warden update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Barbara Whitcombe provided an update on city warden matters within the ward.</li></ul>	
6.	<b>Housing update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Peter Ababio provided an update on housing issues within the ward</li></ul>	
7.	<b>Handy Person Services</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Graham Wells provided an overview on the 'Handy Person Service'.</li></ul>	

8.	<b>Ward Community Budget</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ The meeting noted a Ward Funding update. Opening balance: £18,000 Number of applications supported: 7</li><li>▪ Balance remaining: £12,400</li></ul>	

**Meeting Closed at 8:30pm.**

### **Appendix 1 - Traffic and Highways Actions**

#### **Shady Lane / St Deny's Church –**

- Development Plans previously agreed – Update requested.
- Road resurfacing, uneven/ bumpy
- Potholes – Not filled.

- Road signage re vehicle weight - Obscured.
- Revision of the Island layout, outside church/ main problems re traffic.
- Re-think of the road to area following fatal / and critical RTA's.
- Overall Comment – Not Fit for Purpose.

#### **Evington Road –**

##### **(Evington Lane fork, leading to Evington Rd.)**

- Traffic enforcement / parking both side of the road -hazard, obstructing emergency service/ frail elderly/ prams – via Evington Rd, and Whitehall Road.
- Investment in preventing speeding.

#### **Spencefield Lane –**

- Traffic enforcement / parking both side of the road -hazard, obstructing emergency service/ frail elderly/ prams.
- Investment in preventing speeding.

#### **Downing Drive –**

- School run – cars driving past the bollards, parking in front of houses preventing residents accessing property.

#### **Marydene Drive –**

- No parking (yellow) lines obscured.
- Pencil bollards down to pavement – prevents grass from being cut.
- Increase height of knee, high railings.

#### **Susan Avenue –**

- Bollards recently installed – situated on crossing area, for people with special needs /obscuring safe access, cross the road.

#### **Mickleson Drive –**

- Install Barriers / Humps prevent speeding.

#### **Miscellaneous Points –**

- What has section 106 Housing money been used for?
- What is the provision for additional pupils / cars in the area, with increased pupils to Avanti School, on Spencefield Lane?
- City of Leicester School - Install Zebra Crossing / Crossing Guide to Downing Drive / Spencefield Lane.
- Impact on traffic/ area from the ring round between Evington and Oadby.
- Leave blocking drains / road – Causing flooding issues.
- Leaves hindering view of yellow road line across the ward.

