HUMBERSTONE AND HAMILTON COMMUNITY MEETING FRIDAY, 17 MAY 2024

Held at: Hamilton Library, 20 Maidenwell Avenue, Hamilton, Leicester, LE5 1BL

<u>ACTION LOG</u>

Present:

Councillor Bonham Councillor Joel Councillor Kaur Saini

NO.	ITEM	ACTION REQUESTED AT MEETING
1.	ACTION LOG	PLEASE SEE ATTACHED.

Minute Item 1

Humberstone & Hamilton Community Meeting

Action Log

Friday 17th May 2024



Present

Cllr Stephen Bonham Cllr Ashiedu Joel Cllr Manit Kaur Saini Police

Police		
Randeep Singh Mattu (WCEO)		
Apologies		
Item Actions to note		Who
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1. Introduction Apologies & Declarations		
The Chair, Cllr Saini opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.		Cllrs
There were no Declarations noted.		
2. Ward Clirs Feedback		
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Meeting Noted Cllrs update.		
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3. Local Policing Update		
 Meeting Noted Police update. 		
 Scraptoft Valley Primary School Parking issues 	Police /	Traffic
	Warden	s/Cllrs
 Issues regarding a tenant in number 33 Chestnut causing concerns amongst 	Cllrs	
residents, Cllr Bonham to speak with Leicestershire County Council and the		
NHS who have placed that tenant in that house.		
4. Highways Update		
 Meeting Noted Highways update (Appendix 1) 		

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•	Chestnut Avenue used as a rat run, motorcycle going up and down.	Cllrs/Highways
•	Humberstone Drive issues with White Van Parking on the pavements	Highways
•	Proposed Laybys on Netherhall Road, Cllrs to decide where to place these.	Cllrs/Highways
•	Scraptoft Vally Primary School missing 3 knee high rails	Highways
•	Speed issues on Romney Crescent and Netherhall Road	Highways
•	Three missing speed humps on Netherhall Road, were taken up when	Highways
	resurfacing but not put back in.	
•	Issues regarding cutting of grass verges in the ward.	Cllrs/Parks
•	Brompton Road make one way.	Highways

5.	Housing Update		
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6.	City Warden Update		
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- M	 Meeting Noted City Warden update. (Appendix 3) 		
4.	Ward Community Budget		
 Meeting Noted Ward funding update. Opening Balance £18,000 Ward Funding Application Received 39 Closing Balance £1800 (Which will be carried over into the new Ward Budget Year 24/25) 			

Meeting Closed at 8pm

Appendix 1 - Highways Update

Highways Maintenance Works

We continue to inspect the footways and carriageways around the ward and repair actionable defects as we find them on our inspections. In the last 6 months we have identified and repaired the following defects:

- Carriageway = 81 repairs
- Footway = 123 repairs

Works completed 23/24

- Hungarton Boulevard Carriageway Resurfacing (linked with local safety scheme) completed August 2023.
- Hungarton Boulevard Traffic Signal Renewal (linked with local safety scheme) completed January 2024. The traffic signals work at these sites included a complete refresh of all the street furniture which will improve the look of the area as well as taking advantage of modern Extra Low Voltage LED technologies that will use much less power and therefore generate much less CO2.
- Cardinals Walk (Lynmouth Road to Wigley Road) Carriageway Resurfacing Completed March 2024
- Maidenwell Ave/Burnett Close Traffic Signal Renewal completed November 2024

Works Programmed 24/25

 Uppingham Road (Humberstone Drive to junction of Scraptoft Lane including up to the entrance of shell petrol station) – Carriageway Resurfacing

School Streets

We've done a lot of School Run Parking work at both Kestrels Mead Junior and Infant sites at Maidenwell Avenue and Mundesley Road/Bessingham Close. There are a few more wooden knee rails to go in at Bessingham Close. Residents indicate that they would like a school street scheme, but it is difficult to implement due to too many properties being behind the closure point.

We have also completed School Run Parking work at Scraptoft Valley school - Local residents would like further improvements, but we need to share the finite budget around schools where little School Run Parking work has been done.

Parking Enforcement around schools in the ward continues:

School Last Visit
Hope Hamilton 07/05/2024
Kestrel Fields 13/05/2024
Scraptoft Valley 18/04/2024
St Joseph's 25/04/2024
Humberstone infant and junior 08/05/2024

Other Schemes.

We have had a lot of interaction with Cllr Bonham regarding the work at the Netherhall Road shops. Much of this is a Housing/Estates scheme, but Highways are leading on the repairs to the surface water sewer connection and engaging with Cllr Bonham over the Neighborhood Street Scene Improvement Project.

Appendix 2 – Housing Update

WE continuous tackle the issues with anti-social behavior with the area and we are actively working with the Police and Community Safety to overcome them. The local letting policy introduced in September last year has shown massive improvements but we still have some way still to go change behavior and it is key local resident keep reporting issues.

We are working on improvement within the communal area of block of flats but completing enhanced cleaning and tackling weeds and moss in the surrounding area to tackle grout spot to enhanced the living environment for our tenant.

Appendix 3 – City Warden Update

<u>Community Warning letters-</u> (issued mainly for accumulations of waste and small-scale fly tipping).

Abelia Close

Wansbeck Gardens

Moat court

Laburnum road

Portcullis Road

Fly Tipping Investigations

Wainwright (Private land) on going.

Dalton Road (Untidy Private Land) completed.

Austin Rise Fly Tip (mattress) completed.

Nether hall road Rear shop Garages & Flats Duty of care Starting in July

Rayleigh Green /Portcullis Road Fly Tip removed.

Portcullis Road Fly Tip Fridge Freezer served notice removed.

Lambourne Rd untidy land served notice completed.

Abelia Close (Untidy Land) Served Notices and Fixed Penalty issued Ongoing.

Wansbeck Gardens Untidy Land Notices served and Fixed Penalty issued. Ongoing

Copgrove Close Ongoing





<u>Duty of Care Businesses</u> – (checking businesses are disposing of their waste legally and correctly

Monitoring Tesco Recycle site for Fly Tips and Businesses using residential Bins.

Main Street Humberstone (Current)

Sandhills Avenue (April/May) Just Starting

Netherhall Road (July /August)

Dog Fouling Reported and investigated.

Timble Road

Cardinals Walk

Barlow Road

Winslow Green

Netherhall Road

Sent to cleansing to be removed. Dog fouling stencils being sprayed on the footpaths, when weather permits and is requested, extra patrols in the areas affected.

Volunteers needed for small scale litter picks please Email me if you would like to arrange a litter pick. Nicole.powell@leicester.gov.uk

Clean up on Humberstone Park

