

**ACTION LOG**  
**Belgrave Ward Community Meeting**  
**29<sup>th</sup> August 2024**  
**6pm – 8:30pm**



**Present**

Cllr Shital Adata  
 Cllr Jaiantilal Gopal  
 Cllr Yogesh Chouhan  
 Insp Charles Edward  
 LCC Highways Rupert Bedder  
 LCC City Warden Jethro Swift  
 WCEO Laura Burt

**Apologies**

Item	Action to note	Who
1.	<b>Introductions &amp; Apologies, Declarations</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Chair, Cllr Jaiantilal Gopal 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>City Warden Update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The meeting noted an update from Jethro Swift, City Warden for Belgrave Ward.</li> <li>City Warden to replace out of date fly tipping leaflets spotted around the Loughborough Road area.</li> <li>City Warden to investigate the fly tipping along Shaftsbury Avenue.</li> <li>City Warden and Cleansing to investigate reported needles at the top of Vicarage Lane.</li> <li>City Warden to investigate rubbish dumped on Checketts Road.</li> <li>Residents requested to know how many Paan shops are along Belgrave Road and who grants the licence?</li> </ul>	CW  CW CW CW CW
4.	<b>Police Update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The meeting noted a Police update from Inspector Charles Edward.</li> <li>Residents requested number of people arrested during the 2022 community unrest.</li> </ul>	Police
5.	<b>Housing Update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The meeting noted a written update from LCC Housing team for Belgrave Ward – <b>Appendix 1</b></li> </ul>	
6.	<b>Highways Update</b>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The meeting noted an update from Rupert Bedder LCC Highways.</li> <li>▪ Residents raised concerns over speeding along Checketts Road and Loughborough Road.</li> <li>▪ Residents reported an abandoned vehicle on Doncaster Road which had been there since Nov 2023.</li> <li>▪ Pavement parking concerns were raised along Belgrave and Melton Road.</li> <li>▪ Residents reported blocked drains along Doncaster Road and all the way to Shaftsbury Avenue.</li> <li>▪ Residents were asked to report any dangerous parking to the Police.</li> <li>▪ Residents were asked to request bollards through local Councillors.</li> </ul>	<p>Highways Highways</p> <p>Highways</p> <p>Highways Highways</p> <p>Residents Residents</p>
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7.	<b>AOB</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No business was noted</li> </ul>	

8.	<b>Ward Community Budget</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The meeting noted a Ward Funding Update. Opening balance: £19,800 Number of applications supported: 6 Balance remaining: £15,573</li> </ul>	WCEO

**The meeting closed at 8:30pm**

## **Appendix 1**

### **Belgrave Ward**

#### **Housing Update**

We have been working closely with the City Wardens in relation to the fly tipping. All staff have been trained to check fly tipping for evidence and if any is found, we are sending photographs to the City Wardens, who are then inviting all parties in for an interview and issuing fines and a clean up fee. If the perpetrator is an LCC tenant, we enforce the conditions of their tenancy, if they are a Leaseholder, we enforce the conditions of their lease. Can the residents please be provided clear instructions on how to dispose of their rubbish by either visiting one of the tips (permit needed for a van but not for a car)

The tip addresses are:

**Gypsum Close, Leicester, LE4 9AB**

**Islington Street, Freeman's Common, Leicester, LE2 7SQ**

**Or** by booking a bulky waste collection online. 5 large items can be taken for free, or 15 bags of garden waste. Absorbent items must be covered to keep them dry.

2. We have been receiving complaints in relation to the overgrowth in the area. Grounds Maintenance are currently six weeks behind schedule due to a backlog. They are working extremely hard to cut back areas that are hazardous or are obstructing roads etc. We appreciate the patience of the residents whilst the team are working to get back on track.

3. Housing are working closely with the Police officers and anti social behaviour officers to tackle any anti social behaviour in the area. Please continue to report anti-social behaviour to allow us to alleviate the issues within the area.