

Stoneygate Community Meeting

**St. Philip's Parish Church, Evington Road,
Leicester, LE2 1HN,**

**On Tuesday, 3 December 2013
Starting at 6:00 pm**

There will be a **cake sale** before the meeting starts to raise support of the Lord Mayor's charity appeal for Macmillan Cancer Support

**WE ARE
MACMILLAN.
CANCER SUPPORT**

6:00pm – 8:00pm

Get involved in your area and planning for the future. There will be presentations and discussions on:

- Information on setting up Neighbourhood Watch
- Play Street Project
- Evington Brook Clean-up Project
- City Warden Update
- Police Update
- Ward Community Meeting Budget

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

**Councillor Lucy Chaplin
Councillor Iqbal Desai
Councillor Mustafa Kamal**



Making Meetings Accessible to All

WHEELCHAIR

Meetings are held in a variety of community venues. We will only hold meetings in venues where there is suitable access for wheelchairs. If you have any concerns about accessing a venue by wheelchair, please contact the Democratic Services Officer on the details provided.

BRAILLE / AUDIO TAPE – CD / TRANSLATION

If you require this agenda or a particular part of it to be translated or provided on audio tape, the Democratic Services Officer can organise this for you (production times will depend on equipment facility availability). In certain cases, subject to the agreement of the local Councillors, translation facilities can be provided at the meeting.

The first part of the agenda covers formal items which the Councillors need to deal with to ensure that regulations on holding meetings are kept to.

1. ELECTION OF CHAIR

Councillors will elect a Chair for the meeting.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The first main item on the agenda is Declarations of Interest where Councillors have to say if there is anything on the agenda they have a personal interest in. For example if a meeting was due to discuss a budget application put forward by a community group and one of the Councillors was a member of that group, they would not be able to take part in the decision on that budget application.

Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed.

4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the previous Stoneygate Community Meeting, held on 24th September 2013, are attached, and Members will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

This next part of the agenda covers items where input from you on issues that affect your community is welcomed.

5. INFORMATION ON SETTING UP NEIGHBOURHOOD

WATCH

The Chairman of Neighbourhood Watch and Leicestershire Police will advise the meeting on setting up local Neighbourhood Watch schemes.

6. PLAY STREET PROJECT

The ward meeting will receive an update on a project carried out on Northcote Road in Knighton Ward, to give residents an understanding of how to set up similar projects in Stoneygate Ward.

7. EVINGTON BROOK CLEAN UP PROJECT

Riverside Officers from Parks Services at Leicester City Council will give an update on the project to clean up Evington Brook.

8. CITY WARDEN UPDATE

The City Warden will give an update on work done in the ward and inform the meeting of additional powers assigned to City Wardens.

9. WARD COMMUNITY BUDGET

Councillors are reminded that they will need to declare any interest they may have in budget applications, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.

The following applications have been received for consideration:

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| i) | <u>Exotics 60 Plus Group</u> | £3,000 |
| | Application received for funding to renovate the building located on the Ajani Centre site to provide groups and users with meeting, event and general use space. | |
| ii) | <u>Cleansing Services, Leicester City Council</u> | £1,840 |
| | Application received to install 4 litter bins in Evington Ward. | |
| iii) | <u>Parks Services, Leicester City Council</u> | £1,000 |
| | Application received to carry out community clean-ups/environmental enhancements/action days on the Evington Brook. | |

Applications Approved under the Fast Track Process

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| (1) Stoneygate Shops Retailer Forum – Allandale Road / Francis Street
Christmas Market | £500.00 |
| (2) Art House – Hopper Buses and publicity for events showcasing artwork | £250.00 |

- (3) Evington Road Business Association – to revive a business group for businesses in or around the Evington Road area. **£450.00**
- (4) Cyrlene Braithwaite 'Enough is Enough' (joint bid with Castle and Spinney Hill wards) – to organise a community meeting following recent incidents in the ward. **£200.00**

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Dates of Future Meetings

4th March 2014.

Help us to make improvements!

Please help us to improve Community Meetings by filling in an **Evaluation sheet** to let us know what you thought of the meeting. Thank you.

For further information contact

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