

Welcome to the Aylestone, Eyres Monsell and Freeman Area Committee

DATE: Thursday, 15 February 2007

TIME: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

PLACE: Lansdowne Neighbourhood Centre, Knighton Lane,
Aylestone Park, Leicester

Members of the Committee

Councillor Barbara Chambers, Aylestone

Councillor Mark Farmer, Eyres Monsell

Councillor Dale Keeling, Freeman

Councillor Nigel Porter, Aylestone

Councillor Dean Ramsdale, Eyres Monsell

Councillor Carlym Sandringham, Freeman

Programme for the meeting

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This is the programme for today's meeting:-

1. **DECLARATION OF INTERESTS**

Councillors will say if there is anything on the programme which they have a personal interest in.

2. RECORD OF THE LAST MEETING

Appendix A

Councillors will decide whether they agree that the record of the last meeting is correct.

3. RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS FROM THE LAST MEETING

Appendix B

6.05pm

There will be a report back on the responses to questions raised by members of the public at the previous meeting.

4. LEICESTER SOUTH AREA PROFILE, SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Appendix C

6.10pm

Attached to the agenda papers is a report which gives details about the area which the Committee covers. The report also makes suggestions about the possibilities which exist for a community regeneration scheme in the area. Rebecca Hayward, Regeneration Officer will be in attendance to gather the views of residents and give advice as to how any ideas could be taken forward.

5. THE RIVERSIDE AREA

6.30pm

Anne Provan, Riverside Development Officer will be in attendance to inform the meeting about the expenditure which the Council makes in the Riverside area. She will be able to respond to any questions about this and possibly take ideas from the meeting to inform how future expenditure is undertaken.

6. AREA COMMITTEE BUDGET

Appendix D

6.50pm

A summary of the current position and details of previous expenditure of the Committee's budget is attached at appendix C.

Residents and groups are welcome to put forward requests for funding from the budget. However if requests are received at the meeting or just before, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to approve them at the meeting.

Details of the current budget requests are attached to the agenda papers as follows:-

D1 – Aylestone Park Residents Group – application for the cost of hall hire for Group meetings.

D2 – Southfields Library Boundary Gates Renovation – application to reinstate gates at the library to make it more difficult to gain casual access.

D3 – Linwood Centre Community Association – application to provide office and workroom equipment for community group

D4 – Saffron Community Website – funding to pay for an administrator of a website.

D5 – Saffron Community Food Workers – funding to pay for a training course for 10 – 15 people.

D6 – Linwood Community Luncheon Club – visit to another luncheon club.

Councillors will be asked to give their view on these applications at the meeting.

7. 20 MILES PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT OUTSIDE GRANBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

7.00pm

Jerry Connolly from the Chief Executive's Office undertook some research with regard to the possibility of a 20mph limit outside Granby Primary School. He will report the results of this research at the meeting.

8. MEETING WITH CRICKET CLUB

7.10pm

Jerry Connolly will give the meeting a brief update on a recent meeting held with the Cricket Club regarding parking problems on matchdays.

9. JOINT ACTION GROUP UPDATE

Appendix E

7.15pm

A representative from the Police will the meeting a brief update on discussions at the recent meeting of the Joint Action Group.

Also attached with agenda papers are details of crime statistics for the area committee area. A representative from the Police will be able to provide background to these figures at the meeting.

10. PUBLIC QUESTIONS

7.25pm

Members of the public will be invited to ask questions about local issues. The purpose of this session is to collect and clearly record the questions.

The Committee administrator will write the questions down. If we know the answer we will give a response immediately, but in most cases we will need to take the question to a relevant officer after the meeting for a full response. You can get more information about how to submit questions and what will happen to them from **Your guide to Area Committees**.

11. PETITIONS

Members of the public will be invited to present petitions to the committee on local problems.

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12. INFORMATION SHARING

Members of the public and Councillors will announce any forthcoming events in the area.

13. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS

Councillors will be invited to raise any other urgent business.

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