# Gilmorton Community Rooms Hopyard Close On Wednesday, 21 January 2009 Starting at 6:00 pm

### The meeting will be in two parts

6.00pm - 6.30pm

Meet your Councillors and local service providers dealing with:-

- Gilmorton Neighbourhood Agreement Consultation
- General council matters and other issues

6.30pm - 8.00pm

Get involved in your area and planning for the future

- Update on the Lansdowne N.C. Proposals
- Traffic Issues
- Police Joint Action Group
- Environmental Update
- 10,000 trees update
- BMX track and Games Area Briefing
- Budget

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

**Councillor Barbara Chambers Councillor Nigel Porter** 

#### INFORMATION FAIR

# PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS OF SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES YOU CAN TALK TO AT THIS MEETING.

- You can raise matters of concern, give any opinions and find out information which may be of use.

#### **Gilmorton Neighbourhood Agreement Consultation**

Talk to officers about the Gilmorton Neighbourhood
Agreement

#### **General Council Matters**

Talk to Ward Councillors or raise general queries.

#### 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 programme is Declaration of Interest where Councillors have to say if there is anything in the programme 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.

Councillors are asked to declare any interest they may have in the business on the agenda, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.

#### 4. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the meeting held on 17 September 2008 are attached to these agenda papers and Councillors will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

## 5. UPDATE ON THE LANSDOWNE NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE PROPOSALS

Rev Alistair Helm, Vicar of the Church of the Nativity, Cavendish Road, will give a short update on the proposals for the Lansdowne Neighbourhood Centre.

#### 6. TRAFFIC ISSUES IN AYLESTONE

Paul Commons, Team Leader, Transport Development Section, Regeneration and Culture Department will be present to lead a discussion on traffic issues in the Aylestone Ward.

#### 7. POLICE JOINT ACTION GROUP (JAG) ACTION PLAN

Members of the public will be given a presentation on the work of the Police Joint Action Group (JAG) and their current action plan for the ward.

#### 8. ENVIRONMENTAL UPDATE

**Appendix B** 

Barbara Whitcombe, City Warden Manager, Regeneration and Culture, will give a presentation on the environmental services provision in Aylestone. There will also be an update on the 10,000 Trees project and feedback on the suggestions that have been made for the Aylestone Ward.

#### 9. BMX TRACK AND MULTI USE GAMES AREA

lan Stapleton, Eyres Monsell Neighbourhood Housing Manager, will give a short presentation on the upgrading of the BMX track and a new multi use games area.

#### 10. BUDGET Appendix C

Steve Letten, Member Support Officer will give a brief update on the current budget position.

The meeting will consider the following budget applications:

Members are reminded that they will need to declare any interests they may have in the business on the agenda, and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 applies to them.

- C1) Aylestone Meadows Appreciation Society proposal for funding for meeting room hire. £60 requested from the Ward Community Fund.
- C2) Gilmorton Development Group, supported by Ian Stapleton, Eyres Monsell Neighbourhood Housing Manager proposal for funding for the purchase of Wayfarer Breedon Gravel to re-surface the BMX track off the Great Central Way. £2,000 requested from the Ward Community Fund.
- C3) Ian Stapleton and the Gilmorton Development Group proposal for funding for accessibility links to the proposed multi use games area. The attached papers give no details of the cost but the application is submitted to seek indication of support.

#### 11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held at 6.00pm on Wednesday 22 April 2009 at Aylestone Baptist Church.

#### 12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

#### Help us to make improvements!

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#### For further information contact

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