Fosse Community Meeting

Fosse Neighbourhood Centre, Mantle Road On Tuesday, 13 October 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:-

INFORMATION STALLS:

- Traffic and Highways Issues
- Council Housing Advice and Benefits
- Police Issues
- Health Issues STOP! Smoking Service
- General Council matters and other issues.

6:30pm - 8:00pm

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

PRESENTATIONS ON:

- Traffic and Highways Issues
- Community Services in Fosse
- Football Summer Project -Feedback

OTHER ISSUES INCLUDE:

- Police Update
- Update on Ward Priorities
- Budget 2009/10

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

Councillor Manish Sood Councillor Rob Wann



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.

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We provide a loop system at every meeting for people with hearing aids. If you have a hearing aid, please speak to the Democratic Services Officer at the meeting for further assistance if you think you won't be able to hear what's being discussed. There is also a facility which can help people hear better if you don't have a hearing aid but are hard of hearing, again please speak to the Democratic Services Officer about this.

INFORMATION FAIR

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

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

Highways and Transport	Council Housing Advice and Benefits
An Officer from the Highways	
department will be present to discuss	An Officer will be present to answer any queries relating to Council
any Highways and Transport issues in the area.	Housing or Benefits issues.
Police Issues	Health Issues – STOP! Smoking
	Service
Talk to your Local Police about	
issues or raise general queries.	Find out about the NHS's Stop
	Smoking Service.
Ward Councillors and General Information	
Talk to your local councillors or raise general queries	

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.

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 PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the previous Fosse Community Meeting, held on 1 July 2009, are attached and Members are 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. HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT ISSUES

An Officer from the Highways department will be present to discuss any highways and transport related issues in the local area.

6. COMMUNITY SERVICES IN FOSSE

Steve Goddard, Head of Community Services will be present discuss Community Services provision in the Fosse Ward.

7. FOOTBALL SUMMER PROJECT FEEDBACK

An Officer from the Sports Services section will be present to provide feedback on the Summer Soccer Academy funding application that was approved at the last Community Meeting.

8. POLICE UPDATE

The Police will provide an update on crime issues in the area.

9. UPDATE ON WARD PRIORITIES

Anita Patel, Members Support Officer will be providing an update on the ward priorities for the Fosse ward.

10. BUDGET Appendix B

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.

Anita Patel, Member Support Officer will give an update on the Fosse Community Meeting Budget.

The following budget applications have been received:

Epworth Methodist Church, Kitchen Refurbishment
 £10, 000
 Appendix B1

- Paul Saville, Extended Services Co-ordinator, February Half Term Activities – £2,622
 Appendix B2
- Ahmed Faraji, Parks Officer, Tudor Gardens Refurbishment £2,580.80
 Appendix B3

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

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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