

Humberstone & Hamilton Community Meeting

**Hamilton Library, Maidenwell
Avenue, Hamilton, Leicester.
LE5 1BL**

**On Tuesday, 5 March 2013
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:-**

- Police
- Housing
- City Warden

6:30pm – 8:00pm

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

- Youth Services – Update
- Housing
- Police
- City Warden
- Budget

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

**Councillor Rita Patel
Councillor Barbara Potter
Councillor Gurinder Singh Sandhu**



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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

Ward Councillors and General Information Talk to your local councillors or raise general queries	Police Issues Talk to your Local Police about issues or raise general queries.
City Warden Talk to your local City Warden	Local Housing Issues Talk to your local Housing Officer

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 Humberstone and Hamilton Community Meeting, held on 5th December 2012, 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. CHANGES TO YOUTH SERVICE PROVISION - UPDATE

Linda Holmes, Youth Operational Manager at Leicester City Council will be attending the meeting to give an update on the provision of Youth Services, following her previous visit to the Community Meeting in December 2012.

6. LOCAL POLICING UPDATE

The Community Meeting to receive an update on local policing issues.

7. LOCAL HOUSING UPDATE

The Community Meeting to receive an update on Local Housing issues.

8. CITY WARDEN UPDATE

The Community Meeting to receive an update from the City Warden.

9. 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 Community Meeting will be informed of funding applications received since the last meeting: -

Application deferred from the last meeting

- i) **LE5-Boxercise-Fitness for All** **£3,500**
Application received from Forgotten Estate Community Association to fund specialist equipment for a new Boxercise/Fitness Centre in the area.

At the last meeting it was agreed that, whilst the application represented

a good project, it was felt that the project should secure a base to operate from and also apply to other Community Meetings and other funding sources before funding was granted by this Community Meeting. The Community Meeting therefore defer the application.

Applications received since the last meeting

- ii) **Toddler Time at Hamilton Library** **£250**
An application has been received from Hamilton Library to fund a stock of craft materials and some new toys for existing Toddler Time sessions that run at the Library on Wednesday mornings for Under5's and their parents and carers. The materials/toys to be purchased are to replace depleted stocks and worn out toys.
- iii) **Educational Awareness Evening – Somali Community in Leicester** **£1429.30**
Application received from Horn of Africa Services and Develop Organisation (HASDO) to fund an educational awareness seminar on 21st July 2013 at Taylor Road School, St. Matthews Estate. The seminar is aimed at giving attendees a broad picture of the UK education system.

The applicants are also seeking similar funding from Latimer, Coleman and Spinney Hills wards.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

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