Evington Community Meeting

DATE: Wednesday, 10 September 2014

TIME: 6:00 pm

PLACE: Evington Park House, Cordery

Road, Evington, Leicester

YOUR community. YOUR voice.

Your Ward Councillors are:

Councillor Deepak Bajaj Councillor Baljit Singh

Conduct Guidance

The behaviour of people at ward community meetings is important to the success of the meeting. Everyone attending today's meeting is kindly asked to comply with the following arrangements:

- Respect the views of others
- Keep to the Agenda
- One person speaks at a time
- Keep disruption to the minimum (mobile phones on silent) and no side discussions

If anyone does not comply with the guidance, they may be warned that they may be asked to leave the meeting.

Making Meetings Accessible to All

Access – 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 Support Officer on the number given below. If you feel you may not be able to hear what's being discussed at a meeting please contact the Democratic Support Officer on the number below.

Braille / Audio tape / Translation

If you require this please contact the Democratic Support Officer (production times will depend upon equipment/facility availability).

Social Media - The Council is committed to transparency and supports efforts to record and share reports of proceedings of public meetings through a variety of means, including social media. If you wish to film proceedings at a meeting please let us know as far in advance as you can so that it can be considered by the Chair of the meeting who has the responsibility to ensure that the key principles set out below are adhered to at the meeting.

Key Principles. In recording or reporting on proceedings you are asked:

- ✓ to respect the right of others to view and hear debates without interruption;
- ✓ to ensure that the sound on any device is fully muted:
- ✓ where filming, to only focus on those people actively participating in the meeting;
- ✓ where filming, to (via the Chair of the meeting) ensure that those present are aware that they may be filmed and respect any requests to not be filmed.

1. INTRODUCTIONS

The Chair will introduce those present and make any necessary announcements.

The Chair and any other Councillors who are present will make any declarations as required by the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. ACTION LOG

Appendix A

Attached for information and discussion.

4. WARD COUNCILLORS' REPORT

Councillors Deepak Bajaj and Baljit Singh will provide an update on the issues they have been dealing with as Councillors for the Evington Ward.

5. HANDYPERSONS' SERVICE

There will be a presentation on the Leicester City Council's Handypersons' Service

6. HIGHWAYS UPDATE - HEADLAND ROAD

There will be an update following the installations of the new speed cushions on Headland Road

7. GREEN BINS AND WASTE SITE

Officers will provide an overview of the Green Bin Scheme and the City Council waste site.

8. LOCAL POLICING UPDATE

Officers from the Local Policing Unit will be at the meeting to provide an update on police issues in Evington Ward.

9. CITY WARDEN

The City Warden will provide an overview of street scene enforcement issues in the Evington Ward.

10. WARD COMMUNITY BUDGET 2014/15

Councillors are reminded that under the Council's Code of Conduct they

should declare any interest they may have in budget applications

To note the following funding applications have been fast tracked and approved for payment:

Bid: 1132

Applicant: Mrs Audrey Matthews

Project Name: Quilling and Paper Craft Class

Project Summary: To purchase an X-club machine and dyes to be used by the

group bringing the techniques more up-to-date

Amount Requested and supported £200

Joint Bid: 5042

Applicant: For Families

Project Name: Children's Activity Sessions

Project Summary: They want to provide an after school family session. On future meetings they want to promote a healthy lifestyle and care for the environment. Additionally, they intend to support and participate in craft workshops and physical activities for children / parents. They also want to reunite all cultures and celebrations on many events.

Amount Requested £500. Amount supported £200

The following bids will be considered at the meeting:

Bid: 1133

Applicant: Downing Drive Friends and Neighbours

Project Name: Install 30 Linear Metres tanalised timber knee rail fencing, to

prevent parking on the grass area and causing rutting.

Project Summary: Fencing required in order to prevent parking on the green, ruts in the ground and general damage to the area.

Amount Requested £1942

Bid: 1125

Applicant: Linden Primary School

Project Name: Link between Linden's Forest School and the local community

Project Summary: They want to use an eco hut in the school grounds that will have both school use and use during term times and weekend and holiday time when it can be used by the community. The eco hut will house tools and other materials and will be a way of organising gardening and forest school activities. Amount Requested £2500

Bid: 1151

Applicant: Evington Youth Group

Project Name: Continued Activities for the Evington Youth Group Club

Project Summary: This year, they have lost two of their youth leaders, so for all outside activities they will have to pay two further leaders to help with their activities. They need to replace a lot of the sporting equipment and their canteen equipment.

Amount Requested £2500

Bid: 1161

Applicant: Asian Gardeners Project Name: Room Hire

Project Summary: To have funding for room hire at Evington Park House for the group to meet and socialise. The group has 23 members who meet regularly and provide friendship and support for each other. As part of the meeting they also help community groups and undertake volunteering and join in with organised community sessions.

Amount Requested £600

11. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

Further Evington Community Meetings have been arranged as follows:

Monday 15 December 2014 at 6.00 pm at Judgemeadow Community College

Wednesday 11 February 2015 at 6.00pm at Judgemeadow Community College.

12. 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, please contact

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