

## ACTION LOG

WARD: Evington Ward Community Meeting

DATE: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2024

TIME: 6:30pm

VENUE: St Chads Church



### Present

Cllr Deepak Bajaj  
Cllr Zuffar Haq  
Traffic and Highways – Rupert Bedder  
Housing – Alvin Raj  
WCEO – Angela Martin

### Apologies

Cllr Jenny Joannou  
Local Police  
City Warden – Nicole Powell

Item	Action to note	Who
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1.	<b>Introductions &amp; Apologies, Declarations</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The Chair, Cllr Bajaj opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.</li><li>No declarations were noted.</li><li>Apologies noted.</li></ul>	

2.	<b>Councillors Feedback</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The meeting noted an update from Councillors</li></ul> <p><b>Cllr Haq –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Update on pharmacy closure.</li><li>Update on Post Office closure</li><li>Headland Road surgery closed; NHS did not agree to another Doctor taking over. Lobbying to obtain another GP in the area.</li><li>Case work, street cleaning, tree cutting, and other environmental projects continue.</li></ul> <p><b>Cllr Bajaj –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ongoing casework outlined.</li><li>Parking re Schools.</li><li>Pop up Housing office.</li></ul>	

3.	<b>Community Development Section</b>	
	<p><b>Helen Pettman –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Presentation on £250,000 Heritage Funding availability for conservation, Evington ward application for funding outlined.</li><li>Invitation to a 'walk around' the conservation area to be improved, as part of the application to demonstrate positive public benefit element.</li></ul> <p><b>ROSE / Mr McFayden –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Outlined a new community action / pressure group for the ward, aimed at bringing back depleting services.</li><li>New members welcome.</li></ul>	

<b>Golden Token Young People's and Community Project –</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Video presentation on the work of the project and the young people involved.</li> <li>▪ Information and support on the development of a YP and adult local football team.</li> <li>▪ Request for support and training on housing information, and immigration support and sign posting.</li> <li>▪ School Streets / Safer Street scheme, the next steps.</li> </ul>		
4.	<b>Highways update</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Rupert provided an update on the developments and actions from the previous meeting -</li> <li>▪ These included – Road re-surfacing / pothole repairs / road safety schemes / speed cushions installations to Rowlatt's Hill / regulations orders re options for the safety at St Deny's.</li> </ul> <u>Complaints noted –</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Re Shady Lane signage.</li> <li>▪ Goodwood Crescent parking.</li> <li>▪ Wicklow Drive Road surfacing.</li> <li>▪ Parking issues re Spencefield Lane and Coleman Road.</li> </ul>		
5.	<b>Housing Update</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Actions and developments from the previous ward meeting provided.</li> <li>▪ Information on the Phase Two of the Hospital Development planned start April / May 2025.</li> <li>▪ 'Pop-Up' Housing Sessions scheduled via throughout the ward.</li> <li>▪ Housing to link in with the Golden Token to assist with information and signposting.</li> </ul>		
6.	<b>City Warden Update</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The meeting noted an update from the City Warden – <b>Appendix A.</b></li> </ul>		
7.	<b>Local Policing Update</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No Update Provided.</li> </ul>		
8.	<b>Ward Community Budget</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The meeting noted a Ward Funding update.</li> <li>▪ Ward Funding April 2024 – March 2025 - £18,000.</li> <li>▪ Number of applications supported to date: 9.</li> <li>▪ Balance remaining: £7,625.</li> </ul>		
9.	<b>Any Other Business (AOB)</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No AOB</li> </ul>		

The meeting closed at: 8:30pm.

# **Appendix A – City Warden update**

## **Evington Ward Meeting Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

### **Fly Tipping**

Barnstaple Road x 2 Completed

Gamel Road x 2 Completed

Rockingham Road Completed

Ambassador Road Ongoing Investigation

Rowlatt's Hill Road Ongoing Investigations

Hawthorne Drive Ongoing Investigation

Judith Drive

### **Community Protection Warning Letters**

12 Warning Notices served

9 Have Complied

### **Untidy Gardens**

I am Currently dealing with 4 Properties with untidy gardens.

### **Projects Business Duty of Care Starting in October**

Main Street Shops

Downing Drive Shops

Gamel Road Shops

Uppingham Road

### **Nuisance Parking**

Monitoring for untaxed vehicles and reported to DVLA.

Falmouth Road

Carrick Point

Checking for cars being repaired on The Highway.

Nicole Powell City Warden

Evington, Thurncourt, Humberstone & Hamilton.

To report issues please go to [www.leicester.gov.uk/lovecleanstreets](http://www.leicester.gov.uk/lovecleanstreets).

