

TAKEnote

Dulwich Community Council



Minutes Agreements Form

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Date	Tuesday 13 January 2009
Venue	Kingswood House, Seeley Drive, London SE21 8QR
Start time	7.00pm
Finish time	10.00pm
In attendance	Cllr Nick Vineall (Chair), Cllr Robin Crookshank Hilton (Vice Chair) Cllrs, James Barber, Toby Eckersley, Jonathan Mitchell, Michelle Holford, Kim Humphreys and Lewis Robinson.
Absent	Cllr Richard Thomas
Apologies received	Cllr Richard Thomas An apology for lateness was received on behalf of Cllr Toby Eckersley
Urgent items	None were received.
Members' interests and dispensations	None were disclosed.

Public questions raised	
Q1.	<p>Maureen Cunningham submitted the following soap box questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. More zebra crossings in Lordship Lane – is a very dangerous area for mothers with prams, older people and school children crossing the road - Southwark Council should look at installing more zebra crossings in Lordship lane – in addition to Northcross Rd and Townley Rd crossings ? 2. Goose Green roundabout - under the Council's new road safety proposals the suggestion is to alter the roundabout which will be smaller than it is now – Did the Council receive approval from SE National Heritage ? 3. Ashbourne Grove / Chesterfield Rd – used as a rat run – Can the Council introduce a speed limit of 20mph (would prefer 15mph) on both roads as an option or block off part of /both roads ? (Although the Police have said this is not possible because of the ATM machines on either side)
A1.	<p>Cllr Mitchell's response to question 3: East Dulwich Ward Cllrs dealt with a petition from residents of Chesterfield Road – the police are using speed enforcement cameras in both roads as a result crime has dropped with less offences taking place.</p> <p>ACTION: Cllr Barber agreed to contact the resident concerned regarding points 1 and 2.</p>
Q2.	<p>A local resident (representative of Dulwich Going Greener) explained he had written to the Dulwich Estate asking for their views on making homes more energy efficient. He asked if the Council could contact the Dulwich Estate about this issue.</p>
A1.	<p>DCC agreed to do this.</p>

Summary of the decision or action

The following is a summary of the decisions and actions taken at this meeting.

The item number relates to the agenda item number where possible.

Clarification or queries on any points should be raised in the first instance with Beverley Olamijulo on **020 7525 7234**

Item number	Summary of the actions and Decisions	Action by
5.	<p>Chair's announcement:</p> <p>Cleaner greener safer 2009/10 The chair advised that the launch of the CGS scheme for 2009/10 is to be announced shortly. The CGS application forms are presently in the final stages of being approved and soon be available for circulation.</p> <p>DCC notes dates for the launch/ closing date would be in early February until mid March 2009.</p>	
6.	<p>Minutes from the previous meeting - 11 November 2008 (pages 7 – 12)</p> <p>DECISION: The Minutes of the Dulwich CC meeting held on Tue 11 November 2008 were agreed as an accurate record and signed by the chair.</p>	CCDO
7.	<p>Matters arising from the previous meeting</p> <p>Herne Hill notice board update: DCC previously approved CGS funding for a 'Welcome to Herne Hill' sign /notice board which received some objection from officers as the wording is not in line with the corporate design guide – and HH is not recognised as an administrative area.</p> <p>DCC notes that after subsequent discussions with the executive member for environment (Cllr Hook) the matter has now been resolved.</p> <p>Health facilities at Dulwich Community Hospital update: The chair reported that a consultation paper is due to be published next week Mon, 19 Jan 09 day which will outline new plans for DCH.</p>	

7.	<p>DECISION: DCC requests that the relevant officer from Southwark PCT attends the next Dulwich CC meeting on 4 March 09.</p>	Susanna White, Southwark PCT
10.	<p>Reports from the Safer Neighbourhood Teams & Community Wardens</p> <p>DCC received presentations from the ward sergeants from the Police SNT regarding ward panel meetings and priorities for the month.</p> <p>College <i>Sgt Warran presented:</i></p> <p>Ward priorities - have not changed from the previous month i.e.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Youth engagement - Undertaking School truancy patrols - Dealing with crime around Cross Wood Lane - Community Pay Back Scheme <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 arrests were made for drug offences, anti social behaviour, and vehicle crime • Expected police operation will take place this year • Search warrant executed on Kingswood Est <p>East Dulwich <i>Sgt Jackson presented</i></p> <p>Ward priorities – since the last meeting priorities have not changed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNT has seen a reduction in burglary by 50% • 2 arrests made for drug offences • ED SNT providing information about the security marking system • Produced E-newsletter to distribute to residents • Setting up safer neighbourhood schemes in the area 	

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Village

Sgt Jenkinson presented

Ward priorities

- Combating robbery - 3 arrests made for robbery offences
- Youth anti social behaviour
- Village Police SNT – are now speed camera enforcement trained and are focussing on the following areas East Dulwich Grove, Gallery Road & Half Moon Lane (30mph roads)
- Licensing visits – routine checks on licensed premises and identify those unlicensed premises
- Herne Hill & Half Moon Lane – bicycle theft from residents' sheds – figures indicate this has fallen
- Community Pay Back Scheme in Dulwich Park – involves clearing drains and gardening etc
- Carried out 43 victim crime visits where crime advice was given

Community wardens update

DCC notes the officer's presentation who outlined that since the last the meeting the wardens have been involved in a number of activities referred to below:

- Focussing on licensed premises - how they can deal with drunkenness and antisocial behaviour
- Dealt with homelessness & fire safety
- Made numerous referrals to victim support and London Fire Brigade
- High visibility patrols during Christmas & dedicated operations around schools e.g. Kingsdale School
- Routine operations daily – dog foulers
- Dealt with child abuse incident on the Kingswood Estate
- Continue to engage with residents – e.g. to mark their properties, if stolen they can easily be traced
- New priorities for Lytcott Grove, Melbourne Grove and Playfield Crescent due to persistent youth problem

11.

College Ward focus – discussion of aspirations for input to the local plan

Following on from the two ward focus meetings in Sept and Nov 08 - DCC received a presentation by the neighbourhood & renewal manager (Dulwich & Camberwell) on College ward.

The DCC area action plan sets out priorities identifies key issues and people's local expectations which will be linked in with the Borough Strategy Plan.

The officer outlined the Index of Multiple deprivation for this College Ward and the different levels of deprivation around for example Kingswood Estate and Crystal Palace Triangle. Cross border issues – SNT and community safety issues.

ACTION:

Officers agreed to take on board the views of residents and College Ward members highlighted at the meeting and agreed to meet separately with the chair shortly about these issues.

ACTION:

Pride of Place Visits:

Stan announced that the chief executive will be visiting DCC main on 4 March 2009 to give her views and perceptions on the local plan.

The views below were highlighted at the meeting:

- *Youth issues* – lack of youth provision in the area and concerns about anti social behaviour particularly around Croxted Rd area. As a result College Ward Cllrs are working hard to address this.
- *Lack of transport provision* across College ward – e.g Croxted Rd – there is a need to improve transport be it TfL or London buses etc
- *West Dulwich train station* is pretty inaccessible – suggest the Council should press Network Rail for ramps and possibly a lift to make it more accessible
- *South Croxted /Kingswood Drive* a lot of accidents happen at that roundabout – nothing has been done to restrict traffic

11.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sydenham Hill Station</i> – need to improve lighting around that area particularly as there has been a spate of muggings (Cllr KH working with SNT and Network Rail using CCTV to identify perpetrators) • <i>Isolation – Kingswood Est</i> – need better access into East Dulwich and transport links to Herne Hill • <i>Cross border issues</i> – difficult to tackle problems which are on the border (College Ward members work closely with their Lambeth colleagues) • <i>Paxton roundabout</i> – which raised a lot of concern - officers stated that not many accidents occurred at the roundabout and no bids have been made to TfL for improvements <p>ACTION: The chair requested the Paxton roundabout be included as an agenda item for the next meeting.</p>	
13.	<p>Core Strategy local development framework Suzanne Johnson from planning policy presented this item.</p> <p>ACTION: To include as an agenda item for DCC in March/April 2009.</p>	Suzanne Johnson
14.	<p>Update on improving Local Retail Environments (ILRE)</p> <p>Stan Dubeck (manager) Dulwich area management team presented this item.</p> <p>ACTION: That DCC urge officers to liaise and consult with the area’s local amenity societies.</p>	

<p>15.</p> <p>Executive decisions</p>	<p>Members' decisions</p> <p>School governor appointment:</p> <p>DECISION: DCC agreed to the new LEA appointment of Dr Christopher Miele at Dulwich Hamlet Junior and reappointment of Mrs Kerry Muraszko at Heber Primary School.</p> <p>Local Parking issues:</p> <p>(i) Gilkes Crescent DECISION: DCC approved the local parking schemes set out in the report for implementation subject to the outcome of any necessary statutory procedures.</p> <p>(ii) Croxted Road DECISION: DCC approved the local parking schemes for implementation subject to local consultation and report to DCC by letter on the outcome of any necessary statutory procedures carried out with stakeholders/traders on Norwood Rd and those traders on the North of Croxted Rd.</p>	<p>Pam Rayment</p> <p>Tim Walker /Paul Gellard</p>
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The information included in this form, together with the attached notes, form the minutes from the above meeting and have been agreed as a true and accurate recording of that meeting. Any necessary amendments shall be detailed in the **Summary of Actions** held at the Town Hall by the relevant Community Councils Development Officer.

Chair.....

Date.....