

TAKE note

Dulwich Community Council



Notes from the meeting on Monday January 28 2008
Christ Church, 263 Barry Road, London SE22

Issue no. 18

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Please note the next meeting of Dulwich Community Council is on Monday March 10 2008

Main items discussed at this meeting:

- Traffic options – renewal of Red Post Hill Bridge
- Calton Avenue and Court Lane – transport proposals
- Cleaner greener safer – launch 2008-09
- Supplementary planning documents (SPD) consultation



Traffic options – renewal of Red Post Hill Bridge

Todd Strehlow, public realm projects manager presented this item and spoke about the current position on the renewal of Red Post Hill Bridge.

What is actual happening?

- The demolition of existing road bridge superstructure at North Dulwich Railway Bridge and rebuilt to bring it up to modern standard
- The road closure around Red Post Hill is now in place and North Dulwich Station will remain open whilst the bridge is under construction
- Diversion of bus routes particularly for bus 37 and P4 along Half Moon Lane and Village Way
- The planning application for listed building consent was granted at Dulwich CC planning on Tue Jan 15 2008 for the road bridge parapet and associated brick work.

DCC Members noted:

- Local residents concerns about the proposed traffic calming measures around Red Post Hill
- Officers agreed to contact Network Rail about improving the 'road closure' signage in surrounding roads along Red Post Hill
- Consider proposals to remove the left lane turn at the pedestrian crossing across three lanes at Village Way.

For further information, please contact Andrew Downes on 020 7525 2091 or email andrew.downes@southwark.gov.uk

Calton Avenue & Court Lane SE21 (Village ward) - transport proposals

Todd Strehlow, public realm projects manager spoke about proposed traffic calming measures being implemented in the borough until 2010 - which will be a 3 year rolling plan. The Council has identified 15 priorities for Southwark one of the priorities identified by Consultants is Calton Avenue and Court Lane.

It also includes:

- More 20 mph zones being introduced around East Dulwich

- Introduce traffic calming measures along Calton Avenue/Court Lane because the junction of Court Lane is difficult to navigate if you are walking or cycling
- Change the crossing at Townley Road and to have suitable road signage from Townley Road facing the East Dulwich side

All proposed traffic calming measures will be subject to statutory consultation.

Dates for the consultation period are February 08 until March 08. Any progress regarding plans and design etc will be discussed in Spring (2008) and implemented shortly after.

For information, please contact Todd Strehlow on 020 7525 0869 or email todd.strehlow@southwark.gov.uk



Cleaner greener safer – launch 2008-09

At the meeting Todd Strehlow announced that £370,000 of CGS funding has been allocated to Dulwich community council for 2008-09.

This year's cleaner greener safer programme is being launched slightly earlier than in previous years so that applicants have more of an opportunity to submit their applications in advance of the deadline. The area management officers in the public realm projects team are arranging workshops to publicise the programme.

Cleaner greener safer application forms are available at the Council offices –

Public Realm Projects Team, Municipal Offices, 151 – 153 Walworth Road, London SE17 1RY. The e-form is available at www.southwark.gov.uk/cleanergreenersafer

Deadline for completing forms is March 31 2008.

At the meeting people were told to speak to their local ward Councillor before submitting their applications.

For information, Andrea Allen is the senior projects manager for Dulwich and Jabeen Ayub is the projects officer (Dulwich) – contacts details given below:

For further information, please contact Jabeen Ayub (area management officer) on 020 7525 0816 or email jabeen.ayub@southwark.gov.uk

Community council consultation – Supplementary planning documents (SPDs) on draft residential design standards, affordable housing and sustainable transport

Suzanne Johnson from the planning policy team was present to discuss about the consultation process for the supplementary planning documents concerning draft residential design standards, affordable housing and sustainable transport. Suzanne explained that the Council are still consulting on these documents which will be used when determining planning applications. They also give further guidance on the detail of the Council's development plan – Southwark Plan and London Plan.

Residential standards design – closing date for comments is Tue February 19 2008 This document provides further detail about amenity space.

Sustainable Transport – closing date for consultation is Tue February 19 2008 This document will encourage more sustainable transport i.e. cycling and parking routes etc.

Affordable Housing – consultation period is from February 26 until April 8 2008 This document will expand on the policies set out in the Southwark Plan.

The SPD documents can be viewed at Chiltern House, the town hall, libraries, area housing offices and one stop shops. Southwark residents and community groups can request a copy free of charge from the planning policy team.

For information, please contact the planning policy team on 020 7525 5471 email planningpolicy@southwark.gov.uk

Visit: www.southwark.gov.uk/YourServices/planningandbuildingcontrol/planningpolicy



Your next Dulwich Community Council meeting is on Monday March 10 2008 from 7pm at Christ Church, 263 Barry Road, SE22

The next meeting will be about Adult Learning Opportunities, Health Care for Londoners – consultation and reports from the Police safer neighbourhood teams

Everyone is welcome.

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