

11th July 2018

Minutes of the proceedings of the **Sandhurst Neighbourhood Action Group** held this day in the **Kitty Dancy Room, Sandhurst Town Council** commencing at **9.30am** and finishing at **10.40 am**.

PRESENT

Chairman: Cllr M Brossard (STC)
Cllr Mrs J Bettison, A Blair (Resident), Cllr A Blatchford, V Crosby-Clarke (SRA), A-M Graham (TVP), M Lewis (STC) S O'Sullivan (Resident), V Routledge (Resident)

INTRODUCTIONS (Agenda Item 1)

The meeting opened with a welcome from the Chairman, introductions were not necessary.

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE (Agenda Item 2)

Apologies were received and accepted from:
G Campion (TVP), A Carey (STC), A Hull (Resident), C Oswald (TVP), T Walmsley (TVP) and P Widdowson (Resident)

MINUTES OF THE MEETING 11th April 2018 (Agenda Item 3)

It was proposed by the Chairman and the following was

**RESOLVED
1575**

that the Minutes of the Neighbourhood Action Group held on 11th April 2018 be received as a true and correct record and that they be confirmed and signed by the Chairman.

THAMES VALLEY POLICE UPDATE (Agenda Item 4)

- a) PCSO A-M Graham informed the group Sgt Cassandra Oswald had been assigned to the Sandhurst & Crowthorne Neighbourhood Policing Team.
- b) Resolution 1480 is now complete; the meeting took place and proposed that the group be offered use of STC facilities. The leader was very grateful for the offer and had wanted to attend to express thanks. Cllr Mrs J Bettison thought it better they attended a council meeting. A-M Graham had arranged for the group to be included in the Co-Op 1% reward scheme.
- c) Cllr M Brossard reported that the mobile food unit at Shepherd Meadows would be offered a one month licence which would be extended to 12 months if these were no issues during the 'probationary' period. An application to BFC licensing for a mobile unit to operate 18.00 – 22.00 on Saturdays only from Wildmoor Heath Nature Reserve car park will be heard shortly. The group thought the location very isolated for passing trade and 8 objections had been received.
- d) A-M Graham reported that G Campion and T Walmsley should have been in attendance but were required to work that evening due to the England semi-final game. She went on to report that crime rate remains very low; with the warm weather and residents in their gardens, calls to neighbour disputes had increased. Horseshoe Lake is also a focus for the community team. In response to a question from T Blair,



A-M Graham said that they had spoken with the parents of two involved from Sandhurst.

- e) The RMAS Heritage Day was attended by around 20,000 and were very well behaved. The Freedom March was also a good day, the stall had lots of engagement but was a little isolated. Cllr J Bettison explained that the event would not fit onto one field with three arena areas, community stalls, food vendors and attractions.

MEADOWS GYRATORY RECONFIGURATION (Agenda Item 5)

Surrey County Council (SCC) are leading on the upgrades, work started on 9th July and will take around 10 months to complete with the aim of completing most of the work overnight. A dedicated A30 right turn lane from the Blackwater direction will be created so traffic won't have to negotiate the roundabout when heading east onto the A331 towards the M3. There will be 2 new overhead gantries with ANPR and traffic cameras. Using camera monitoring, SCC will be able to remotely change traffic light priorities to speed the flow.

SPEEDWATCH EXERCISE AT CONSTABLE WAY (Agenda Item 6)

The request for monitoring the speed of traffic on Yorktown Road near the RMAS College Town gates has taken place. Results have shown that from the College Town direction towards Laundry Lane 12% of traffic exceeded 35mph and none in the reverse direction. A Hull had requested that a speed check be conducted on Branksome Hill Road and T Blair added that there was also a speeding problem in College Road. Further to discussion it was proposed by Cllr Mrs J Bettison and the following was

**RESOLVED
1576**

that two speed monitoring sessions be held on 11th September 2018, meeting at Sandhurst Town Council at 10.00am. The event will be supported by PCSO A-M Graham, Cllr M Brossard and Cllr Mrs J Bettison. A Hull will observe the sessions.

ACTION: Cllr M Brossard

SSE VAN PARKING ON WELLINGTON ROAD (Agenda item 7)

Further to the last NAG report it was reported that the SSE van was still parking in a dangerous spot. There had been an accident in the vicinity of the van where a motorist could not see around the van and had collided with another vehicle. A-M Graham stated that there was nothing that could be done from a police perspective. Further to discussion it was proposed by Cllr Mrs J Bettison and the following was

**RESOLVED
1577**

that the van owner would be approached to see if an alternative parking location could be agreed.

ACTION: Cllr Mrs J Bettison

VAN PARKING ON PINEHILL RISE (Agenda item 8)

The meeting was informed that the owner of the van had submitted a planning application, part of which was to create additional parking spaces. Cllr A Blatchford stated that BFC should be approached if the work was causing the problems. . Further to discussion it was proposed by Cllr M Brossard and the following was



**RESOLVED
1578**

that BFC should be approached to see if the terms of planning consent were breached.

ACTION: Cllr M Brossard

CCTV SANDHURST DAY CENTRE SHOP (Agenda item 9)

It was reported that this item was resolved and could be removed from the agenda.

DOUBLE YELLOW LINES PROPOSAL ON YORK WAY (Agenda item 10)

The group were informed that the double yellow lines opposite Uplands School entrance were already in place. Bracknell Forest Council will consult with residents before installation of the no waiting and no loading restrictions signs. The main problem was during the school children drop/ pick up.

ROAD RESURFACING VARIOUS ROADS (Agenda item 11)

STC had received notification from BFC Highway Network Management of a number of road resurfacing projects in Sandhurst starting 23rd July 2018.

COLLEGE TOWN POLLING STATION CHANGES (Agenda item 12)

In response to concerns about disrupting school work due to closure for use as a polling station, the College Town polling station will move from College Town Infants School (CTIS) to Sandhurst Sports Centre, Sandhurst School when CTIS have exams. Cllr A Blatchford offered that the move should be permanent if it did not disrupt Sandhurst School.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS (Agenda item 13)

- a) S O'Sullivan reported that there was a problem with overhanging trees in Calvert Walk. Cllr M Brossard had been in contact with BFC Parks & Countryside for resolution.
- b) The group was informed of a proposal to place a 50mph speed limit on the A3095 between the new Broadmoor Hospital roundabout and the junction with Laundry Lane at the Meadows. The majority of the group were not in favour of this and questioned how it would be enforced.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING (Agenda Item 14)

The date of the next meeting is Wednesday 10th October 2018, commencing at 9.30am. Neither hall is available at STC so the Day Centre should be approached.

SIGNED AND DATED BY CHAIRMAN

