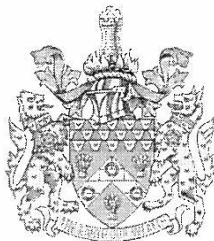




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Unless stated otherwise, all meetings will be held at the Council's Civic Offices and will start at 6.00 p.m.

<b>2014</b>	
Environmental & Development Services Committee - (Special Budget)	Thursday, 9th January 2014
Housing and Community Services Committee - (Special Budget)	Tuesday, 14th January 2014
Finance & Management Committee - (Special Budget)	Thursday, 16th January 2014
Planning Committee	Tuesday, 21st January 2014
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	Wednesday, 22nd January 2014
COUNCIL	Thursday, 23rd January 2014
Finance and Management Committee – (Special – NNDR)	Monday, 27th January 2014
Environmental & Development Services Committee	Thursday, 30th January 2014
Housing and Community Services Committee	Tuesday, 11th February 2014
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	Wednesday, 12th February 2014
Audit Sub Committee - (starts at 4.00 pm)	Wednesday, 19th February 2014
Finance and Management Committee	Thursday, 20th February 2014
COUNCIL	Monday, 3rd March 2014
Planning Committee	Tuesday, 4th March 2014
Environmental & Development Services Committee	Thursday, 6th March 2014
Housing and Community Services Committee	Thursday, 13th March 2014
Finance and Management Committee	Thursday, 20th March 2014
Planning Committee	Tuesday, 25th March 2014
Overview & Scrutiny Committee	Wednesday, 26th March 2014
Audit Sub Committee - (starts at 4.00 pm)	Wednesday, 2nd April 2014
COUNCIL	Thursday, 3rd April 2014
Environmental & Development Services Committee	Thursday, 10th April 2014
Planning Committee	Tuesday, 15th April 2014
Housing and Community Services Committee	Thursday, 17th April 2014
Finance and Management Committee	Thursday, 24th April 2014
Planning Committee	Tuesday, 13th May 2014
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	Wednesday, 14th May 2014
ANNUAL COUNCIL	Thursday, 22nd May 2014
CIVIC COUNCIL	Thursday, 29th May 2014



## **AGENDA**

### **NORTH WEST SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP - AREA 4**

**Tuesday 4th February 2014 at 6.15 pm**  
**at St George & St Mary's Parish Rooms, Church Gresley**

**(Light refreshments will be served from 5.45 pm)**

1. Chair's introduction, Apologies
2. Minutes of last Meeting (to be agreed) and update on actions
3. Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant's Overview /Priorities Update
4. Partnership Update / Funding / New project ideas
5. Local issues – open forum (20 minutes)
6. Agreed Priorities
7. Date of next meeting

Meeting close (7.15 pm)

### **AREA 4 - CENTRAL SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP**

<b>Present</b>	<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Cllr Ben Stuart (Chair); Sgt Jim Thompson; Cllr Gordon Rhind; Cllr Mick Mulgrew; Maureen Mycock; PC J Basra; Janice & Oliver Pallett; M Shepherd; R Thomas; Mr Sargeant; P Yates; Mark McKay (Burton Mail); Cllr Paul Dunn; Nigel Thorneloe; D King; R D Hyde; Cllr Yvonne Heath; Sephanie Foster; PC Stuart Kelly; PC R Pilkington; PCSO Badham-Spalding; C Dobson; Cllr Trevor Southerd; Ron Causer; Cllr Linda Chilton; Jenny Burley; Nancy Parry; D Shuttleworth; Helen Ward; Laura Worden; Cllr Neil Tilley; Lee Allsop; J Seaton  Also present: Sarah Winfield (Clerk)	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November 2013	Granville School

<b>1</b>	<b>Chair's Introduction, Apologies</b>	<b>Action</b>
	Cllr Ben Stuart welcomed everyone to the meeting. There would be three funding projects discussed later in the meeting and a vote on each would take place.  Apologies from Christopher and Shirley Horridge, Cllr Roy Bell, Cllr Steve Taylor and Mick Lunn.	
<b>2</b>	<b>Minutes of last meeting (to be agreed)</b>	
	The minutes were agreed as a true record of the last meeting.	
<b>3</b>	<b>Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant's Overview / Priorities Update</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sgt Jim Thompson discussed staff changes on the Central SNT Team. PCSO Adrian Miller has joined the regular Police Force. Church Gresley team will be PCSO Kelly Barrett with PC Rob Pilkington. Woodville team will be PCSO Dean Badham-Spalding. No news about PCSO recruitment. An announcement is expected in January 2014.</li> <li>• Gresley Ward Members passed their thanks onto PCSO Adrian Miller for his hard work and wished him every success as a Police Officer.</li> <li>• Sgt Thompson ran through crime statistics from 1<sup>st</sup> April to the end of October 2013, compared to the same period in 2012. Violent crime has decreased, domestic burglary has decreased, non-domestic burglary had increased, other thefts have decreased, robbery has decreased, shoplifting has increased, vehicle crime has decreased, damage and arson has increased. Anti-social behaviour has decreased by 8.1%, which equates to 64 less calls to service.</li> <li>• Throughout Halloween and Bonfire celebrations, dedicated patrols took place. Good work was carried out in the schools and with local shops not to sell eggs and flour. Only 3 calls were received during Halloween. Additional police patrols will be in place for the Swadlincote lights switch-on.</li> <li>• Shoplifting – plain clothes and high vis patrols are taking place with two dedicated officers working in the Town Centre. One male in Swadlincote has been arrested for shoplifting and failed to appear today at Court. ASB Officer hoping to obtain ASBO at Court tomorrow.</li> <li>• Neighbour disputes have increased in the area and police are working closely with the Partnership.</li> <li>• There have been complaints of ASB occurring around McDonalds. Police have worked</li> </ul>	

	<p>closely with the Manager and Partnership to address these issues.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Operation Safedrive took place in Area 6. Some vehicles stopped were from Area 4. Drivers were charged with seatbelt offences, using mobile phones, not being in control of their vehicle, no insurance and red diesel offences. A similar operation will be taking place in Hartshorne during the next few weeks.</li> <li>• PC Basra introduced himself to the group. He has been working on the area for the last 6 months. Non-dwelling burglaries were an issue, work was carried out into patterns and crime analysis. One juvenile charged with offences and given a detention training order, one received a 3 months referral order and another received a one year youth rehabilitation order. ASB offenders are initially put on ABC (Acceptable Behaviour Contracts) contracts with restrictions and curfews imposed. HGV's on High Street and Moira Road - some vehicles have been ticketed. Drug activities – warrants undertaken, one male on bail and one male had dogs seized. Currently a high level of neighbour disputes.</li> <li>• PCSO Badham Spalding discussed a recent number plate operation carried out on Goseley Estate. Tamper proof screws are available from the Council to all residents</li> <li>• PC Pilkington discussed a number plate operation carried out in Church Gresley where 50+ cars had tamper proof screws fitted and also scooters and bikes marked. Speed checks have been carried out across the district. Nuisance bikes around Pit Lane, Gresley and Tunnel Woods. Some bikes seized and Section 59 warnings issued, which has reduced the calls to service. York Road School now moved to the new school on Pennine Way. Parking issues are a problem in the area.</li> <li>• PC Kelly introduced himself as the beat officer for the Town Centre. An assault which took place on 14<sup>th</sup> June remains undetected. Two assaults took place, with one detected and one where the victim did not wish to pursue the matter. One arson incident resulted in a bench being set on fire. Damage to tree saplings remains undetected. P3 residential home adjacent to Eureka Park - staff work closely with Police and the Partnership and aim to carry out a clean-up operation on the park. Reports of drug dealing around Town Centre area. Need to establish the exact location. High viz and plain clothes patrols have taken place. Shoplifting in Town Centre escalated in the summer holidays but since the schools have been back this has reduced significantly.</li> <li>• Cllr Stuart wished to record his thanks to Police for their presence at the Remembrance Service on Sunday</li> <li>• Cllr Stuart raised there was currently no Vice Chair for Area 4. Cllr Rhind and Southerd nominated Cllr Mulgrew. Cllr Mulgrew duly elected Vice Chair for Area 4.</li> </ul>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Partnership Update/ Funding/ New Project Ideas</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sgt Bateman discussed a new project called "Repay" co-ordinated by Claire Rawlins, the Partnership's ASB Officer for young offenders who have committed low level crime. Restorative Justice has been in place for some time but young offenders were re-offending. Over the half-term holiday a clean-up operation was carried out in Eureka Park.</li> <li>• Fire Service consultation until 23<sup>rd</sup> December, proposals are that the Fire Station will become a retained station. Consultation day on 15<sup>th</sup> November between 9 am and 4 pm, or on-line via their website.</li> <li>• Get safe on line brochures available at the meeting.</li> <li>• Prison me no way a huge success in schools. Partnership continues to fund these sessions on a rolling programme.</li> <li>• Partnership has been in schools promoting National Safety Week. All four secondary schools were visited. Subjects discussed included ASB, legal highs, substance misuse and ABC contracts.</li> <li>• Partnership are currently in Granville School discussing hate crime and disability hate crime.</li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Partnership have distributed bikeability bags with high viz goods.</li> <li>Application was submitted for lighting in Eureka Park on footpath towards McDonalds. Lighting has now been completed.</li> <li>Skate Park in Swadlincote. Consultation events have taken place, which culminated in an event on 31<sup>st</sup> October where local youngsters were invited to view 3 design ideas for the new skate park area. A final design was chosen following this event, with work scheduled to commence next spring.</li> <li>Town Centre training sessions will take place with shop staff on raising awareness around shoplifting before Christmas.</li> <li>McDonalds has suffered with littering and ASB issues. They are now included within the Town Centre Business Watch Scheme. Group have the power to ban individuals from majority of shops in the town.</li> </ul> <p><b>Funding Applications</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 4G Debate Group started sessions at William Allitt School and want to bring those sessions to Granville School. The young people are engaged in discussions on local topics. Application was for £400 to cover a laptop, projector and travel expenses. These sessions started 6 years ago with year 8 and 9 students.</li> <li>St Giles Hospice Charity Shop in Swadlincote has had issues with goods being stolen and vandalised etc which are stored outside in their yard. Their application is for £500 towards a CCTV camera to cover their premise.</li> <li>An application towards the development of a Duke of Edinburgh Award Centre based at Woodville Youth Centre. The centre will be staffed by volunteers to provide young people not in mainstream education with a chance of obtaining an award. The application was for £500 from areas 4 and 5.</li> </ul>	
5	<p><b>Local Issues – open forum (20 minutes)</b></p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resident asked if the Police and Crime Commissioner attended public meetings. Sgt Thompson confirmed that Alan Charles had recently attended a public meeting at Sharpes Pottery, which was well attended.</li> <li>Resident from Coppice Side raised issues with traffic along that street. It was agreed that this be dealt with in the Forum meeting.</li> <li>Resident from the Sorrell Drive area raised issues with parking and traffic around the Woodville Schools. Numerous bikes without registration plates, no helmets or protective gear have been seen riding around in the area and a wall has been knocked over near Tesco's on Woodville High Street. Resident also questioned why police had a large involvement in neighbour disputes when others had been advised to approach Solicitors. Sgt Thompson confirmed that many neighbour disputes were civil issues but on occasion police and the Council need to get involved.</li> <li>Littering and dog fouling was raised. Phil Marriott to pass this onto the Neighbourhood Wardens.</li> <li>Resident raised that speeding and dangerous driving was an issue along Sandcliffe Road. A speed check was carried out. Sgt Thompson discussed the speed check operation and, following a change of staff, that this would take place again soon once all the staff were trained using the speedgun.</li> <li>A request had been made for volunteers to carry out a community speed watch in Sandcliffe Road but not enough people came forward. Residents confirmed that more people would now come forward.</li> <li>Parish Council requested statistics from the speed check operation in Sandcliffe Road. Sgt Thompson confirmed these statistics were available and could be made available to the Parish Council.</li> </ul>	<p>P Marriott to notify Wardens of dog fouling &amp; litter in Woodville</p>



	<p><b>Funding Applications</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It was confirmed that enough funding was available to facilitate all three applications.</li> <li>• A vote was taken on funding the debate group application, the St Giles Hospice application and the DofE application. All three were duly funded.</li> </ul>	
<b>6</b>	<p><b>Agreed Priorities</b></p> <p>Speeding and road safety across Area 4.</p> <p>The meeting closed at 7.20 pm</p>	
<b>7</b>	<p><b>Date of next meeting</b></p> <p>To be advised</p>	

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Cllr Mick Mulgrew

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# SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM SWADLINCOTE**

(Covering Church Gresley, Swadlincote, Woodville, Hartshorne Village and Goseley)

**Meeting to be held at;  
St George & St Mary's Parish Rooms  
Church Street  
Church Gresley  
Swadlincote  
DE11 9NR**

**on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2014  
at 7.30 p.m.**

### Members:

District Councillors: Councillor Tilley (Chairman), and Councillors Bell, Mrs. Heath, Mulgrew, Murray, Rhind, Southerd, Stuart and Taylor.

County Councillors: Councillors Chilton, Dunn and Southerd.

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## **AGENDA**

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. Chairman's Announcements.
4. To note the Minutes of the Meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> November 2013 (copy attached).
5. Report back on issues raised at the last Meeting.
6. Public questions on issues raised by residents.
7. County Council issues.
8. District Council issues.
  - Budget 2014-15
9. Date of Next Meeting.

## **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM**

**SWADLINCOTE**

**12<sup>th</sup> November 2013**

### **PRESENT:-**

#### **District Council Representatives**

Councillor Tilley (Chairman) and Councillors Stuart, Dunn, Rhind, Mulgrew and Mrs. Heath.

F. McArdle (Chief Executive) and S. Winfield (Safer South Derbyshire Partnership).

#### **Derbyshire County Council Representatives**

Councillors Chilton, Dunn.

P. Jameson (Forum Liaison Officer).

#### **Parish Council/Meeting Representatives**

M. Mycock (Hartshorne Parish Council).

#### **Members of the Public**

P. Yates, M. Barsby, A. Clarke, R. Causer, G. Sargeant.

### SA/10 **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence from the meeting were received from Councillor Bell and Taylor and M. Lunn.

### SA/11 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None.

### SA/12 **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To be discussed later in the meeting.

### SA/13 **MINUTES**

The Minutes of the Swadlincote Area Forum held on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2013 were noted.

### SA/14 **REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING**

The Chairman reviewed those items raised at the last meeting and reported the progress made in each case.

Item 2. It was reported that a good job had been made of the carriageway repair.

Items 3&4. Senior officer agreed to meet local members on site to look at options available. No date fixed as yet. Cllr Dunn & Taylor met with DCC regarding traffic calming along Moira Road and Belvedere Road.

Item 7. Carriage way patching to be done in conjunction with other works outside Toons. Cllr Stuart raised that the stretch from Newhall to Toons was an issue with regard to the damaged drains.

Item 10. Complaints have been minimal and compliments have been many. Thanks were issued to residents for their patience. Residents present at the meeting praised the new recycling collections.

Item 11. The Chief Executive responded that he met on site with the developer's agent about 12 months previous and agreed the sign to be used. Developer, unfortunately, was unable to provide the sign and so it was agreed that the tenants notified their suppliers with the correct postcode for satnav's which made a significant difference.

#### SA/15 **PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON ISSUES RAISED BY RESIDENTS**

Resident thanked the County Council for removing a wheel clamping sign on West Street, Swadlincote.

Resident raised that a lampstand sited in the road opposite the old Dominoes pub at Goseley Estate was very corroded. There was also water constantly leaking out of the rubble adjacent to the footpath, which could be a burst pipe. **The Forum Liaison Officer agreed to raise this issue and report back to a future meeting.**

Cllr Heath raised that the island outside Springfield Road School has structural damage to its construction. Cllr Mulgrew raised that it is also one of the main routes into the town.

**The Forum Liaison Officer agreed to raise this issue and report back to a future meeting.**

Resident questioned what was happening around Gresley Common. The Chief Executive confirmed that this was a continuation of the original scheme with the wooden stumps.

A discussion took place regarding the upkeep of the island at the bottom of Coppice Side outside Morrison's.

**The Forum Liaison Officer agreed to raise this issue and report back to a future meeting.**

Resident raised that an article in the Burton Mail confirmed that funding was no longer available for Woodville regeneration. Cllr Dunn discussed

the funding situation and confirmed this would be considered at another round of bidding.

A discussion took place over the Memorial Hall adjacent to Gresley Common, which stands in a derelict state.

Resident raised flooding issues opposite the skate park and black shed island.

**The Forum Liaison Officer agreed to raise this issue and report back to a future meeting.**

SA/16 **COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUES**

None.

SA/17 **DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES**

The Chief Executive discussed the draft local plan and that consultation is still ongoing. Residents can make comments by contacting the planning department and many have attended drop in sessions.

SA/18 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The date of the next Meeting would be confirmed in due course.

N TILLEY

CHAIRMAN

The Meeting terminated at 8.25 pm

## **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

### **SWADLINCOTE AREA FORUM**

(Covering: Church Gresley, Swadlincote, Woodville, Hartshorne and Goseley)

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2014

#### **REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING**

At the last Swadlincote Area Forum held on 12<sup>th</sup> November 2013 at Granville School, the following issues were raised and a progress report is provided.

#### **Derbyshire County Council issues: -**

##### **Corroded lampstand opposite entrance to Goseley Estate**

The column has been inspected and a new base is to be ordered; this will be fitted in due course.

##### **Ponding water on and around the footway alongside the former Snooty Fox PH.**

Enquiries have been carried out with the area's Maintenance Team. The matter has subsequently been passed to Severn Trent Water to investigate a possible water leak at this location.

##### **Locations along the A444 which pose a risk to cyclists**

- a) Drain covers between Park Road and The Gate Inn

Concerns were passed to the Road Works Centre and officers subsequently attended site on 26 November to undertake repairs as necessary.

- b) Surface on Cadley Hill roundabout

Carriageway patching works have been identified here and will be undertaken within the current (2013/14) financial year.

An ad-hoc inspection on 7 December revealed a single pothole and repair work was undertaken on the same day.



- c) Surface of drain and holes opposite Home Farm Court
- d) Surface damaged just after Toons

Concerns were passed to the Road Works Centre and officers subsequently attended site on 26 November to undertake repairs as necessary.

#### **Damage to traffic island outside Springfield Road School**

The roundabout was inspected by an officer from DCC's Highways Maintenance section on 18 December who has advised that there are currently no defects or damage to the block-paved chevron on the roundabout. Due to the absence of any defects or damage, there are no plans to carry out any improvements at this time.

A further enquiry with the area's Traffic & Safety Team has established that there are no concerns here to justify improvements to the roundabout on road safety grounds either.

A request to clean-up the chevrons on the island has been forwarded to South Derbyshire District Council Clean Team.

#### **Sir Herbert Wragg Way/Coppice Side – overgrown vegetation**

Enquiries are currently being carried out with the contractor responsible for maintenance of the island. An update will be provided to the forum in due course.

#### **Flood issues at Black Shed Island and Skate Park**

All the gullies - from the dip in the carriageway to Blackshed roundabout – were cleansed on 25 November 2013.

The gullies on the right-hand side, approaching the roundabout, run to a soakaway which appears to be blocked at the lowest point in the dip. There are currently no plans to carry out improvements to the soakaway but we may do so in the future if funds become available.

Cleansing was undertaken on 25 November 2013. The gully at Blackshed roundabout was cleaned and jetted to a chamber in the footway at the junction of Bridge Street. The gully in the dip on Common Road (adjacent to Maurice Lea Park) was also cleaned and jetted

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