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Safer Neighbourhood Area 1 - North West (6.15 pm - 7.15 pm)

Interval with light refreshments 7.15 - 7.30 pm

and

# Etwall Area Forum (7.30 pm - 8.30 pm)

Wednesday 28th January 2015

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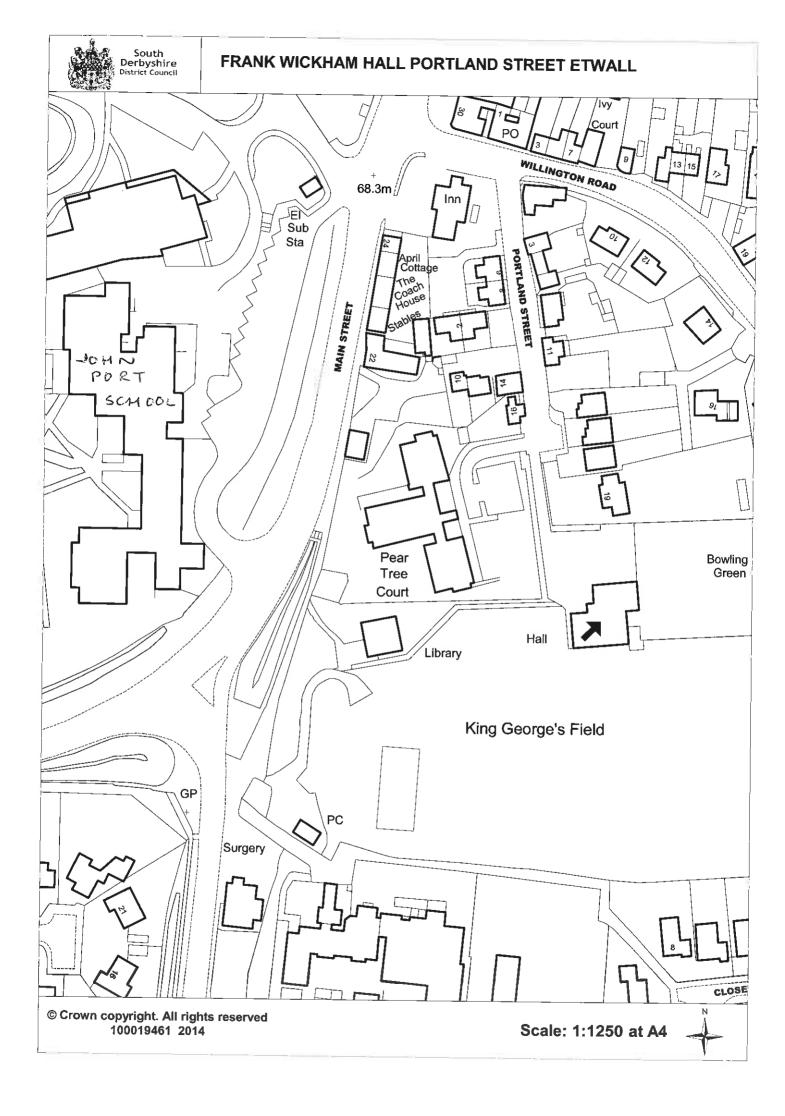
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# **COMMITTEE AND COUNCIL MEETINGS 2014/15**

## **Committee**

Finance and Management Overview and Scrutiny Planning Audit Sub Finance and Management (Special – Final Accounts) COUNCIL

Environmental and Development Services Planning Housing and Community Services Finance and Management Overview and Scrutiny Planning COUNCIL

Planning Environmental and Development Services Housing and Community Services Finance and Management Overview and Scrutiny Planning Audit Sub

## <u>2015</u>

Environmental and Development Services (Special – Budget)	Thursday, 8th January 2015
Housing and Community Services (Special – Budget)	Tuesday, 13th January 2015
Finance and Management (Special – Budget)	Thursday, 15th January 2015
Planning	Tuesday, 20th January 2015
Overview and Scrutiny	Wednesday, 21st January 2015
COUNCIL	Thursday, 22nd January 2015
Finance and Management (Special – NNDR)	Monday, 26th January 2015
Environmental and Development Services	Thursday, 29th January 2015
Housing and Community Services	Thursday, 5th February 2015
Planning	Tuesday, 10th February 2015
Overview and Scrutiny	Wednesday, 11th February 2015
Audit Sub	Wednesday, 18th February 2015

### <u>Date</u>

Thursday, 4th September 2014 Wednesday, 10th September 2014 Tuesday, 16th September 2014 Wednesday, 24th September 2014 Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2014 Thursday, 25th September 2014

Thursday, 2nd October 2014 Tuesday, 7th October 2014 Thursday, 9th October 2014 Thursday, 16th October 2014 Wednesday, 22nd October 2014 Tuesday, 28th October 2014 Thursday, 6th November 2014

Tuesday, 18th November 2014 Thursday, 20th November 2014 Thursday, 27th November 2014 Thursday, 4th December 2014 Wednesday, 10th December 2014 Tuesday, 16th December 2014 Wednesday, 17th December 2014

## **Committee**

## <u>Date</u>

Finance and Management COUNCIL

## Planning

Environmental and Development Services Housing and Community Services Finance and Management Planning Overview and Scrutiny Audit Sub COUNCIL

Environmental and Development Services Planning Housing and Community Services Finance and Management Planning Overview and Scrutiny Finance and Management (Special – Provisional budget out-turn) ANNUAL COUNCIL CIVIC COUNCIL Thursday, 19th February 2015 Monday, 2nd March 2015

Tuesday, 3rd March 2015 Thursday, 5th March 2015 Thursday, 12th March 2015 Thursday, 19th March 2015 Tuesday, 24th March 2015 Wednesday, 25th March 2015 Wednesday, 1st April 2015 Thursday, 2nd April 2015

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Thursday, 21st May 2015 Thursday, 28th May 2015



## **AGENDA**

## **SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP - AREA 1**

## Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015 at 6.15 pm at Frank Wickham Hall, Etwall

## (Light refreshments will be served between 7.15 and 7.30 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 1 - NORTH WEST SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP

Present	Date of Meeting	Venue
Andy Billings (Chair); Sgt Thompson; Sgt Graham Summers; PC Martin; PC		
McCafferty; PCSO Waite; PCSO Barratt; Chris Hall; Brian Myring; T Beresford;	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Dalbury Lees
Steve Cooper; Ros Baker; Cheryl Pidgeon; Pam Wood; Cliff Noons; A	September	Millenium
Holgate; Ian Bennett; Ruth Slack; Cllr Lisa Brown; Cllr Amy Plenderith; Cllr	2014	Hall, Dalbury
Julie Patten		Lees
Also present: Julie Marson (SDDC)		

1	Chair's Introduction, Apologies	Action		
-	Andy Billings welcomed everyone to the meeting and introductions were made from the	Action		
	panel.			
	Apologies were received from Joy Nichols; Maureen Pateman; Alan Jenner; Cllr Bale			
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2	Minutes of last meeting (to be agreed) and update on actions			
	The minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a true record.			
3	Safer Neighbourhood Sergeant's Overview / Priorities Update			
	Sgt Summers updated the group on staffing changes within the SNT team:			
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	PC Parry is back on reactive duty as passed his exams and is working towards promotion.			
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	PC Martin will be concentrating on Patrols and Pc McCafferty will be concentrating on			
	Foston Prison			
	Sgt Summers updated the group with the latest crime statistics:			
	Figures reflect an increase in crime across this area and are similar to last			
	meeting:-			
	Violent Incidents are down from 43 – 41			
	Violent Robberies are down from 4 - 1			
	Burglary Dwellings are up from $9 - 14$			
	Burglary Non-Dwellings are down from 24 -15			
	Theft of Vehicles are down from $5 - 4$			
	Theft from Motor Vehicles are up from $18 - 39$			
	Criminal Damage are up from 41-47			
	Crime in General are up from 228 – 276			
	Anti-Social Behaviour are up from 202 - 205			
	Figures were particularly low last year and they tend to go in cycles and it has now gone			
	back to previous year's figures, however things are in place to contain figures at the			
	current level.			
	Regarding Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) incidents at Hilton Village Hall there was 7 calls to			
	Regarding Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB) incidents at Hilton Village Hall there was 7 calls to service but none since the 19 <sup>th</sup> August 2014.			
	ASB Frank Wickham Hall there was 5 calls; sections 59 was issued but have had no calls			
	since the 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2014.			
	5 Youths have been issued with ABC'S.			
	Speed checks carried out in Station Road, Hatton; The Mease, Hilton; Main Street, Etwall			

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	and Egginton Road. 8 people were dealt with for excessive speed and on Main Street, Egginton two motorists were reported for excessive speed of 44 and 48 mph.	
4	Partnership update / funding / new project ideas	
	On the 20 <sup>th</sup> October 6 new powers for dealing with Anti-Social Behaviour will be launched. These powers will replace 19 existing powers and should make orders easier to obtain. At present there are 3 live ASBO's in the district which are all half way through their 3 year term, and there are currently 6 live Acceptable Behaviour Contracts.	
	PC Denise Lomas runs the Restoritive Disposal Repay Scheme from Swadlincote Station Since its commencement on 1st July 2013 there has been 39 young people attend the Swadlincote Youth Clinic and sign up to a repay contract. Of those 36 young people just 5 (12.8%) have re-offended.	
	Local PCSO's continue to visit local primary schools to give input on staying safe while online, road safety and stranger danger. Safer parking poster competitions were carried out in Stenson, Hilton and Aston Primary Schools with the winning entry's being incorporated into a leaflet that was sent to all parents.	
	PC Denise Lomas and ASB Officer Claire Rawlins arranged for 12 young achievers from each of the 4 secondary schools to spend a day at Police HQ. Demonstrations were given by the Firearms, Dog, Traffic and Task squad sections of the police.	
	The theft of number plates is still on the rise, 10 operations have been held locally over the summer with Tamper Proof Screws fitted free of charge to over 500 cars. The next operation will be held on the 17 <sup>th</sup> September at Willington Health Centre between 3pm and 6pm.	
	With the rise of Non Dwelling incidents a scheme has been set up so that Victims of Non Dwelling crime will receive a security pack to help improve their security. This pack will include the free fitting of a shed alarm, padlock, Hasp and staple and property marking. The referrals will be made by the SNT team to the CVS Safer Homes worker who will conduct the visits. The SNT will also post leaflets into neighbouring homes to make them aware and to take advantage of the Free security pack.	
	Farm Watch has now been rolled out to areas 1 and 2. All of the farms in the area will be encouraged to sign up to Derbyshire alert and will receive a pack with signs, stickers and a Selecta DNA property marking kit.	
	The Safer Homes scheme is available for self-referrals from over 60's this is for security advice and equipment Inc. door chains and window alarms which will be fitted for free. If you know of anyone who could benefit from this scheme please contact the CVS on 01283 219761.	
	Funding update	
	Sgt Thompson announced that no applications had been received for funding since the last meeting which leaves £2750.00 in the pot. If no applications are received before Christmas the remaining amount would go into central pot.	
	Etwall Neighbourhood Watch requested funding at the meeting for an additional two CCTV Camera's for The Bowling Green and Frank Wickham Hall. The proposal was for updated CCTV Camera's to be integrated within the systems already in place at the two locations. The estimated cost for the two cameras' is $\pounds2,800$ , they would like $\pounds1,000$ out	

	of the funding pot and Etwall Parish Council and the Neighbourhood Watch group would fund the remaining amount. A vote was taken and everyone was in agreement to the proposal providing a suitable application was submitted and approved by the Partnership.	
	This now leaves £1750.00 in the funding pot.	
	Sgt Thompson asked if there were any nominations for Vice-Chairman – none were given at the meeting. Application forms are available from Chris Smith at SDDC.	
5	Local issues – open forum	
	The police were asked to confirm if a caravan had been stolen from Hilton Storage Park last week where three police cars attended an incident. Owners of Caravans which are stored there were concerned. The police confirmed that nothing was stolen from the site and the incident was a dispute and had been dealt with.	
	People raised the question about future dates of the Tamper Screws Operation could be announced more in advance so that the dates could be put in Parish Council Magazines and the CVS would announce them on their E-Bulletins and could these events be held more at the weekends.	
	It was agreed that it would be a good idea to get dates into Parish Magazines and on E- Bulletins and that any future dates could be e-mailed to the Parish Clerks directly.	
	Tony Beresford announced that on the $24^{th}$ , $25^{th}$ and $29^{th}$ September there is going to be a diversion in place from the A50 and the diversion will be going through Scropton.	
	A question was raised in relation to the meeting to be held w/c 15/9/14 regarding the proposed Pig Farm in Foston. The Midland Pig Company has asked for police presence at the open meeting where the public can go and view the proposed plans for the development. This request was declined and they were advised to hire private security but the police would respond if necessary to any incidents if they arose. It has been documented that 27,000 letters of objections have been received regarding this proposal but this was 12 to 18 months previous and no new information is available. The meeting was announced in both the Burton Mail and Derby Evening Telegraph inviting people to view the plans but no discussions will be taking place. It was advised that when South Derbyshire District Council held a Planning Committee with the above proposal on the agenda there were a few protestors outside the Council Offices but there was no trouble to report, it is now a County Council decision.	
	A question was put forward to ask what the general approach is by police in dealing with dog attacks on both other dogs and people. This was asked as there have been a number of attacks recently and there have been a couple of incidents with the same dog. The police answered that all attacks from dogs are taken seriously but there are no hard and fast rules and each case is taken on an individual basis. A year ago PC Collins 320 was nominated to become a Dog Liaison Officer and he can be contacted in relation to incidents and also for information.	
	PC Mark Parry was asked to check speeds between Hilton and Etwall, this was carried out and the Highways department said that the speed would not change as it was not deemed necessary under the guidelines.	Sgt Summers to e-mail Highways for a response.
	Sgt Summers will look into this and contact the person at DCC for an explanation. Highways have looked into this and the road meets the criteria. Cllr Brown said that with more houses being built this means more Children etc. could the police add any weight to the argument to improve the case with the Highways Department. Cllr Brown suggested writing a letter with police support and it was said to be a good idea, one of	

7	Parking and Obstruction at John port School / Etwall leisure Centre (Monitor the coaches parking outside the Etwall Leisure Centre during term time) Any Other Business / Date of next meeting It was asked if there were any updates on keeping the Police Hut at The Mease, Hilton. The reply was not at the moment.	
0	Agreed priorities Antisocial Behaviour at Hilton (Halloween and Bonfire Night). Speeding at Dalbury Lees (SNT to request Speed recording strips) Parking and Obstruction at John port School / Etwall leisure Centre	
6	<ul><li>it would also depend on the criteria of the Highways Department. These issues would need to be raised within the Area Forum Meeting.</li><li>Dalbury Lees PC said that they have speeding problems and they contacted the Highways Dept about signage and were told that it was not within the criteria. They also requested speed strips to be laid between the Village Hall and Long Lane to gain information and put data together for a case to be put forward.</li></ul>	PSCO Kerry Waite to order Speed Strips.
	the reasons could be down to the cost of changing the speed limit and changing the signage. If this is the case it was asked if money from the funding pot could be used for larger signs. A proposal for the funding would have to be put forward and looked at and	

#### SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD - NORTH WEST AREA 1 - Useful Contacts

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### Websites/ Social Media

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Police Area 1 SNT Twitter	www.twitter.com@HiltonEtwallSNT
Crime Statistics for your area	www.police.uk
Safer South Derbyshire Partnership	www.south-derbys.gov.uk/ssdp
Safer SDP Facebook Page	www.facebook.com/SaferSouthDerbyshirePartnership
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## SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM ETWALL

(Covering Ash, Barton Blount, Bearwardcote, Burnaston, Church Broughton, Dalbury Lees, Egginton, Etwall, Foston & Scropton, Hatton, Hilton, Hoon, Marston-on-Dove, Osleston & Thurvaston, Radbourne, Sutton-on-the-Hill and Trusley)

Meeting to be held at: -

## Frank Wickham Hall Etwall

On

## Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015

at 7.30 pm

Members:

District Councillors: Councillors Mrs Brown (Chair); Bale, Ford, Lemmon, Mrs Patten, Mrs Plenderleith and Roberts

County Councillors: Councillors Ford and Mrs Patten

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## **BUSINESS**

- 1. Apologies for absence.
- 2. Declarations of Interest.
- 3. Chairman's Announcements.
- 4. To note the Minutes of the Meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 (copy attached).
- 5. Report back on issues raised at the last Meeting.
- 6. David Simcox CEO of South Derbyshire Citizen's Advice Bureau
- Martin Buckley SDDC Tree Officer update on Ash Die Back Disease
- 8. Public questions on issues raised by residents.
- 9. County Council issues.
- 10. District Council issues
- 11. Date of Next Meeting.

#### SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM

#### <u>ETWALL</u>

#### 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at Dalbury Lees Millenium Hall

#### PRESENT:-

#### **District Council Representatives**

Councillor Mrs. Brown (Chairman) and Councillors: Mrs Patten and Mrs Plenderith.

Frank McArdle (Chief Executive) Julie Marson - Clerk

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

Councillor Mrs Patten

#### Parish Council/Meeting Representatives

S.Cooper (Hilton Parish Council); I.Bennett, D.Muller and N.Ireland (Etwall Parish Council); B.Myring and Cliff Noons (Etwall Neighbourhood Watch); T.Beresford and A.Holgate (Foston & Scropton Parish Council); R.Slack (Dalbury Lees Parish Council); C.Hall (Burnaston Neighbourhood Watch) <u>Members of the Public</u>

S.Jolly, G.Wale, C Pidgeon

#### EA/13 APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Bale; Paul Jameson (DCC) David Simcox; Andy Billings; Barry Peyton; Jackie Drake, Maureen Pateman and Joy Nichols

#### EA/14 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

None

#### EA/15 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUCEMENTS

Pig Farm is up for determination by the County Council and a public meeting is being held in Foston w/c  $15^{th}$  September 2014.

**Draft Local Plan –** Part 1 (Large Strategic Sites) has been submitted and received by Inspectorate we have a Lady Inspector. Review maybe late autumn.

Part 2 (100 dwellings or less) – Alterations to Boundaries and Village Envelopes and Boundaries. 600 Dwellings around the district in the New Year.

#### EA/16 REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING

Wind Turbine Applications – No applications have been received as of the 21<sup>st</sup> August 2014.

#### EA/17 TO NOTE THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 4<sup>th</sup> June 2014 (COPY ATTACHED)

The minutes from the previous meeting were agreed as a true record.

#### EA/18 DAVID SIMCOX – CEO OF SOUTH DERBYSHIRE CITIZEN'S ADVICE BUREAU

This item has been postponed until the next meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015.

#### EA/19 PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON ISSUES RAISED BY RESIDENTS

A question was raised about the application for Solar Panels off Main Street, Dalbury Lees; there is also a similar application at Badger Farm, Hilton. Plans for both applications can be viewed on the website; through the Parish Councils or at the Council Offices in Swadlincote. – The Chairman is unable to comment on live applications and asked whether representations had been sent to the Planning Department.

In relation to Solar Panel applications Tony Beresford questioned why the application site which is within the Sudbury Parish but is on the border of South Derbyshire, why no one has been notified. – Councillor Brown has received an e-mail.

Also raised was the proposal of 50 houses on the Etwall Road into Egginton. No application has been submitted to the authority. A meeting was held with the Planning Consultants where they decided to defer submitting an application at this time. The site is a SHLAA site within the Local plan. There are two maps available to view showing the SHLAA sites in the district through Etwall Residents Association.

Further to Martin Buckley's talk at the last meeting in relation to Ash Die Back and if it has spread any further in our district. As Ash Die Back has been spotted in the grounds of the Winery in Burton on Trent.

#### Action: Julie to ask Martin Buckley to give an update at the next meeting.

Etwall Parish Council wanted an update on the Rail Freight Application. The Chief Executive was invited to a meeting with Repton Parish Council to discuss the application. A local MP has sent a letter saying about the lack of information being supplied. Egginton and Etwall Parish Council would like to be invited to any future meetings as it affects those parishes also. The Chief Executive said that he is unable to comment as the meeting was arranged by Repton Parish Council, but said to write to Repton and ask to be included in any future meetings. Councillor Brown informed the meeting there is a further one to be held on the 27<sup>th</sup> September 2014.

#### EA/20 COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUES

Broadband: - Councillor Patten is unable to get any update on the situation and Councillor Brown referred to the previous minutes on the presentation by Natalie Brooks. There is a lack of progress it seems and is not moving as fast as people would like.

# Action: Julie to e-mail Paul Jameson at DCC to ask for a further update for the next meeting.

Church Broughton are looking to go independent by having satellite's on the Church Roof if this is the case BT will not get involved in putting cables in etc. They are just looking at their options at present.

It was raised to see if cables had been laid in Long Lane, Dalbury. Councillor Patten is to contact Natalie Brooks. If you have a BT Landline you can contact Natalie and she can see when improvements will be made in your area.

The lamp posts between Marston Turn (Uttoxeter Road) to the Salt Box Hatton have been removed and no new ones to replace them. No-one was aware that they had been removed or why.

# Action: Julie to e-mail Paul Jameson at DCC to question why this is and if and when any replacements will be in place.

#### EA/21 DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES

The Government settlement is reduced year on year, the Council is where we need to be we have cut costs and restructured 4 times this has made a saving of 3.1 million over 4 years but there has been no cuts in the services the Council provide.

The LDF has gone to the Inspector and the Chief Executive attended a meeting in North Derbyshire where 6-8 plans have failed within Derbyshire. We have had a change of inspector and we are still waiting but believe our plan is fit for purpose we have to work with both Derby City and Amber Valley to provide the housing provisions.

Over the last ten years we have been in the top 6 for Growth. We will know by the next meeting in January if Part 1 of the LDF has been accepted.

Part 2 of the LDF is for small non-strategic Sites which could include some villages in our district.

Major employment at Nestle Factory Site, which includes a 32 hectares expansion and approaching 1,000 jobs. 78% of workers employed at the site live within a 3 mile radius of the site.

Also there is 300- new jobs in Swadlincote from a firm called 'Clippers', who have taken over two factories that are already built.

The Golf Course will give a boost to the area there will be approx. 600 houses built in the heart of town and monies received will help revive the leisure centre and there will be a Golf Academy set up for the local schools free of charge.

Challenges to comprise of large industrial projects that we need to boost our growth, but we need the balance for rural homes, which has been put in place in the Local Plan. Planning of the district is between individual needs; urban and rural and infrastructure to be put in place. Politics change but developments have progressed within the district and this is down to members and developers working together for the district.

A question was raised if the local plan neighbours with Derby City and Amber Valley does it include East Staffs, but our local plan is for Derbyshire – people do not recognise boundaries.

The Chief Executive replied to say that boundaries are placed by Government but it is to do with the Connectivity in place. The College is now named 'Burton and South Derbyshire College' and there is 64,000 sq. feet in Swadlincote for College Campus and a number of the students live in our district and travel. Also Conkers is in NWLDC but people come into Swadlincote before and after and help with the growth of the district.

At present unemployment is at 1.6% this is being helped by asking new companies who are looking to recruit go through the Job Centre before advertising in papers to help local unemployment. Also the Construction College is skilling up the younger generation and helping people re-invent them to enable them to find employment. South Derbyshire was named most productive district by The Sun newspaper.

Within the Local Plan and the housing provision we have to supply by 2013, it was asked what measures were in place for supplying materials. E.g.: Brick makers have closed down in the recession and developers are unable to obtain the materials required. – This supply is now starting to ease and materials are more obtainable now.

Tony Beresford from Foston & Scropton Parish Council said that they are in a pilot scheme with County Council known as Community Resilience. This is an initiative whereby responsible members of the local community will assist and advise the County Emergency Planning Department about the situation on the ground until officers arrive and are able to take over. As well as keeping DCC officers informed, it is intended that local people would put out and later collect "Road Closed" or "Road Flooded" signs at appropriate locations. In this Parish we have a long standing problem with flooding which the recent Lower Dove Flood Risk Management Scheme has not entirely removed; indeed the County Council is well advanced with an investigation under Section 19 of the Flood and Water Management Act because flooding of property in the centre of Scropton from the watercourse alongside the west side of Watery Lane remains a proven threat.

Flood Wardens are an essential part of the Community Resilience Scheme but both the County and Parish Councils want to recruit people and firms with expertise in First Aid, etc. together with specialist equipment and operators suitable for use during an emergency. The only positive response has been from Faccenda (formerly Cranberry Foods) who said they could provide hot drinks and food at the turkey processing factory but their assistance is restricted because of food production regulations. There have been no other positive replies which are disappointing given the number of large companies located within the Parish. Following the floods of the early 2000's, DCC asked all Parishes to compile a Community Response Plan but there were no replies from these companies to letters from the PC

Action: Chief Executive to help with the above scheme by contacting businesses at Dove Valley Park, ATL and JCB. A name was given as a point of contact for JCB who deals with the Press and PR.

28<sup>th</sup> January 2015 at Frank Wickham Hall, Etwall

### MRS L BROWN

#### CHAIRMAN

The meeting terminated at 8.31pm

## SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### ETWALL AREA FORUM

(Covering Ash, Barton Blount, Bearwardcote, Burnaston, Church Broughton, Dalbury Lees, Egginton, Etwall, Foston & Scropton, Hatton, Hilton, Hoon, Marston-on-Dove, Osleston & Thurvaston, Radbourne, Sutton-on-the-Hill and Trusley)

## Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014

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

At the last Etwall Area Forum held on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at Dalbury Lees Millennium Hall, the following issues were raised and a progress report is provided:-

#### 1. <u>Public Questions raised regarding the situation in our district on The Ash Die Back</u> <u>Disease.</u>

Julie Marson contacted Martin Buckley and he is attending the next meeting to be held on the 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015 to give an update on the above subject.

# 2. <u>Public Questions raised in relation to the Broadband situation and also the removal of Lamp-posts between Marston Turn (Uttoxeter Road) to Salt Box at Hatton.</u>

Julie Marson e-mailed Paul Jameson at DCC to ask him to look at the questions raised and to report back at the next meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup> January 2015.

#### 3. <u>Tony Beresford of Foston & Scropton Parish Council asked for help in contacting</u> <u>local businesses to help with donations in relation to the pilot scheme with DCC.</u>

The Chief Executive is still looking into this and will report back in a future meeting.