

MICKLEOVER NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD

**Minutes of the Board meeting held on Thursday 23rd September 2010,
6.00 pm, Mickleover Library, Holly End Road**

Present	Councillor Maggie Hird (Chair)	- Derby City Council
	Councillor Hillary Jones	- Derby City Council
	Councillor Fay Winter	- Derby City Council
	Sarah Dosunmu	- Neighbourhood Manager
	Sean Andrews	- Board Member
	Sue Storry	- Board Member
	Martin Follows	- Street Pride
	John Kelsey	- Board Member
	Nanda Savage	- Youth Service
	Inspector Gamblin	- Police
	Geoff Smount	- Board Member
	Mike Bellamy	- Board Member
	Tony Roelich	- Board Member
	Liz Limbert	- NHS Derby City PCT
	PeterBarker	- Board Member

28/10	Welcome, Introduction and Apologies Councillor Hird welcomed everyone to the meeting. There were no apologies.	
29/10	Declarations of Personal and/or Prejudicial Interest None.	
30/10	Late Items None.	
31/10	Minutes of the Previous Meeting Fire Service Update – Paragraph one This should read. It was noted that the Fire Service are currently working with Murray Park School to help educate and advise young people on the importance of not starting deliberate fires. With this amendment the minutes were agreed as an accurate record. Matters Arising Sarah will prepare a report for the Crime and Community Safety Group once she has met with Councillor Jones.	
32/10	Police and Community Safety Update The new Inspector – Richard Keene will be attending future meetings as Inspector Gamblin is moving to St Marys Wharf	

	<p>Police Station.</p> <p>The price of lead and copper has soared and as a result there has been a significant increase in theft of lead from homes and churches.</p> <p>The Vulcan public house was raided recently in order to disrupt the class A drug market. It was a very successful operation resulting in 26 people being arrested and remanded with another 23 to be dealt with. This will have a significant impact on the drugs market.</p> <p>There has been a slight increase in theft from motor vehicles. Four people were arrested last week who admitted to 12 offences.</p> <p>Operation relentless starts on 27th September and will run for 6 weeks. The themes for this year will be, improving local neighbourhoods, family engagement, community action week, alcohol harm reduction, nuisance reduction and fire safety.</p> <p>Non dwelling burglaries are down by 50%. Burglaries increased by 9 this was mainly due to a team coming over from Nottingham. There has been a reduction in criminal damage across the division.</p> <p>On 3rd October the local SNT will be holding a crime prevention day at Tesco. On 7th October there will be a Neighbourhood Watch event at Varsity Grange. On 22nd October there will be an event on Vicarage Park on Road Safety and alcohol advice.</p>	
33/10	<p>Streetpride</p> <p>Streetpride was launched in May 2010. The city has been split into 4 areas, North, East, City and West. Mickleover is covered by the West area team which Martin is responsible for.</p> <p>Geoff asked if it would be possible to have a copy of the hot keys when contacting Derby Direct as the telephone process is rather cumbersome. A list of the hot keys will be included in each forum pack.</p> <p>Streetpride's mission is to work with the community to maintain and improve the street scene to a standard which will promote community pride and responsibility. The number to ring for Streetpride is 03332006981. The areas that are covered by the service are highway maintenance, street cleansing, grounds maintenance, car parking, waste management, refuse collection, road safety, traffic management and school crossing patrols.</p> <p>One of the key areas that Streetpride will be working on is</p>	

	<p>community engagement. Money will be allocated for the community to spend. The amount will be based on the population and the length of highway. The community will be involved in the service delivery and will be invited to comment on design process from the beginning. A representative from streetpride will be present at all forum meetings to answer any questions.</p> <p>Concern was expressed about the amount of grass left on footpaths and cycle paths when the grass has been cut. Martin will raise the issue.</p> <p>Councillor Winter felt that there had not been enough promotion of streetpride in the Mickleover area. Martin stated that more banners were being made.</p> <p>Sean stated that some of the tarmac gang that were working on Melbourne close approached one of the residents offering to tarmac her drive with the tarmac that was left over. Martin will look into the matter.</p>	<p>MF</p> <p>MF</p>
34/10	<p>Youth Issues in Mickleover</p> <p>The youth outreach sessions will be starting back this Friday. A 3 week summer programme ran during the holidays.</p> <p>The problems that are being reported on Vicarage Park are not as bad as perceived. There was some graffiti at the end of the park believed to be gang related. Nanda did not recognise the tags and they have now been removed.</p>	
35/10	<p>Highways and Transport and Planning</p> <p>There have been a couple of successful highways sub group meetings. Tony agreed to give a presentation on cycling provision at a future meeting.</p> <p>The meeting agreed to the items of expenditure identified by the sub group with the exception of the legal fees for the square and the speed limit reminders. These two items will be placed on hold.</p>	
36/10	<p>Petitions and Community Issues</p> <p>Any comments on the proposals for the square need to be submitted before 1st October</p> <p>The Board agreed to the £510 for enforcement action on Devonshire Drive</p> <p>Ladybank Road does not meet the criteria for the installation of a pedestrian crossing.</p>	

	<p>Board members need to identify locations for the speed indicating signs. The following was agreed:</p> <p>Councillor Winter will be responsible for Ladybank Road, Geoff – Western Road and Brisbane Road, Sue – Vicarage Road, Sarah – Etwall Road, Mike – Bryfield Way, John – Kipling Drive.</p> <p>The Board agreed that it would like to receive the accident data for the Mickleover area.</p>	SD
37/10	<p>Neighbourhood Activity and Action Plan</p> <p>The results from the electronic voting will be discussed at the next meeting.</p> <p>One item for consideration by the communications sub group will be the fact that there will be no paperwork issued for any future forum meetings.</p>	
38/10	<p>Community Budget</p> <p>Three applications have been received:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community speed watch – agreed by the Board • Police primary challenge £200 - agreed by the Board • Parks and open spaces sub group £1500 – agreed by the Board 	
39/10	<p>Date and Time of next Meeting</p> <p>Thursday 11 November 2010.</p>	