

## ALVASTON NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD

### Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 15 July 2013 at Humber Close, Community Room – 6.00pm

<b>Present</b>	Councillor Linda Winter	- Chair
	Councillor Paul Bayliss	- DCC
	Councillor Mark Tittley	- DCC
	Lorraine Howe	- Derby Homes
	Anjela Mapp	- Derby Homes
	Brian Farthing	- NHW
	Mary Rowland	- Resident
	Kyle Walker-Endsor	- Resident
	Linda Urquhart Hughes	- Resident
	Rachel Morris	- YMCA
	Neil Woodhead	- Resident
	Kevin Winson	- NHW (Came Late)
<b>Apologies</b>	Inspector Kam Bria	- Police
	Edith Lang	- Resident
	Arron Marsden	- Resident
	Jackie Blaney	- Resident

<b>1</b>	<b>WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS &amp; APOLOGIES</b> Councillor Winter welcomed everyone to the meeting and apologies were taken	<b><u>ACTIONS</u></b>
<b>2</b>	<b>DECLARATIONS INTEREST</b> None	
<b>3</b>	<b>LATE ITEMS</b> Funding Application for funds for Neighbourhood Officer to use in her day to day duties	
<b>4</b>	<b>MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING &amp; MATTERS ARISING</b> The minutes were agreed as a true and accurate record.  A question was raised by Lynda Urquart Hughes regarding Restorative Justice and did we use it in the ward. Lorraine advised it was and normally we were made aware if it specifically affected Derby Homes properties, but we could check with Safer Neighbourhood Team if it was used and if there were figures.  Lorraine also advised that we used Community Payback and Remedi in the neighbourhoods	
<b>5</b>	<b>POLICE REPORT</b> Year to date since April, Derbyshire Police has seen an increase in overall crime of +3.5% (this was anticipated, bearing in mind the significant reductions we have had over the past 10 years).	

	<p>Derby East section, currently has an increase in overall crime of +5.2% (this should be considered against the significant reductions we had last year of - 22.1%)</p> <p>Alvaston ward is currently showing an increase in overall crime of + 7.8%. ( this again should be taken in consideration with the reductions seen on the ward from the previous year )</p> <p>The areas of concern on Alvaston are :</p> <p>Negatives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1, Dwelling house burglaries have seen an increase with 12 more offences being reported against the same period from last year</li> <li>2, None Domestic Burglaries ( Sheds / Garages Commercial premises have seen an increase of 2 offences against the previous year )</li> <li>3, Vehicle crime is showing an increase of 29 offences being reported against the same period from last year.</li> </ol> <p>Positives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4, Violent crime is showing a decrease with 5 fewer offences being reported against the same period from last year.</li> <li>5, Robbery has seen a decrease with 2 fewer offences being reported from last year</li> <li>6, Shoplifting has seen an decrease of 14 fewer offences being reported from last year</li> <li>7, Other Stealing ( Fraud, Metal Thefts etc are also showing a decrease with 8 fewer offences being reported from the same period last year</li> </ol> <p>The general observation is that other neighbourhoods on Derby East section - Chellaston &amp; Boulton wards have also seen an increase in crime compared to the previous year. This is being addressed with Policing operations being conducted to combat the increasing crime trends.</p> <p>It's going to be a challenging year however we will continue to give the best service we can and tackle crime</p>	
6	<p><b>NEIGHBOURHOOD MANAGERS REPORT</b></p> <p>a) Lorraine gave the report on the devolved budget and presented the applications for funding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Neighbourhood Team (DMC)</li> <li>• Neighbourhood Team (leaflets r us)</li> <li>• Parks</li> <li>• Funds for Neighbourhood Officer</li> </ul> <p>£450.00 requested for DMC at the council house to print</p>	

	<p>7,500 neighbourhood leaflets. Board members agreed.</p> <p>£375.00 requested for 'Leaflets R Us' to deliver the above leaflets, but also to deliver the neighbourhood charter once it has been completed. Board members agreed.</p> <p>£214.99 additional funding for a more ornate commemorative bench for Alvaston Park. Board members agreed.</p> <p>£5,000 requested for Neighbourhood Officer to spend on dealing with issues on a day to day basis without having to wait for a Board Meeting to apply. Will report back at each Board meeting on spend. Board members agreed.</p> <p>b) Lorraine distribute to the Board the Neighbourhood Plan for 2012/13 which gave an overview of what works, money the Board had agreed within that financial year.</p> <p>c) Lorraine also gave the report for LTP 2014/15 for noting</p>	
7	<p><b>NEIGHBOURHOOD OFFICER UPDATES</b></p> <p>Anj gave an update on her new role as Neighbourhood Officer. Also advised she would be working on a newsletter and if anyone had any information they wanted putting in the newsletter to let Anj know.</p>	
8	<p><b>ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM – “YOU SAID WE DID”</b></p> <p>Councillor Winter gave an update on questions raised at the last Forum</p> <p>Could we have an update on Tesco site</p> <p>Tesco are currently reviewing their business structure due to the current financial climate. Some of the proposed new builds have been scrapped as part of this review. Tesco's intention is to still build on the Allenton site, however it will be on a smaller footprint than the original planning application.</p> <p>Durley Close development - A resident raised a query as to why a three storey building had been allowed to be built to the site as they understood that permission had only been granted for 2 storey buildings.</p> <p>The planning application has been checked and permission was granted for a three storey apartment block (six units) within the original planning application.</p>	

9	<p><b>QUESTIONS AND REPORTS</b></p> <p>Brian advised that speed watch was carried out on Keldholme Lane no issues, also carried out on Ascot Drive lorry from Magfern's clocked going 49 miles per hour. Brian also advised that 11 new watches had opened.</p> <p>What was happening regarding the canal path be reinstated, Councillor Tittley advised that the bid for the lottery funding had been unsuccessful.</p> <p>Board advised next COPs walkabout on 21 July.</p> <p>Councillor Bayliss thanked Anj for all her hard work and best wishes, as she was going on maternity leave.</p> <p>Board advised London Road Bridge was closing for refurbishment, could possibly be closed for approx 18 months. There would be access for pedestrians and cyclists.</p>	
10	<p><b>DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS</b></p> <p>Date of next meetings:</p> <p>Alvaston Neighbourhood Forum 16 September Trent Social Club</p> <p>Alvaston Neighbourhood Board 14 October at Humber Close Community Room</p>	