

Spondon Neighbourhood Board

Minutes of meeting held on 4 February 2009 at St Werburghs Church Parish Room, Spondon

Present:

Councillor Williams	Derby City Council
Councillor Berry	Derby City Council
David Hayes	Spondon Community Association
Carole Chambers	Spondon Community Association
Derek Hathaway	Resident
Angie Doughty	Resident
Colin Davies	Resident
Grace McFadden	Young resident
Hazel England	Young resident
Cliff Perry	Asterdale School
Ruth Hardy	Integrated Children's Services Youth Support
Dennis Barron	Spondon Resident
Richard Smail	Neighbourhood Manager
Sergeant Mark Bonsor	Derbyshire Constabulary
Zoe Boyes	Derby City NHS
Lorraine Howe	Derby Homes
Mark Roberts	De Montfort University
Angela Spurling	Minute Taker

Apologies: Councillor Poulter, Tom Strachan, Claire Siddons, Ruth Kellogg, Pat Hulland, Cat Smedley, Inspector Keene

		Action
1/09	Minutes of the Previous Meeting Agreed as an accurate record	
2/09	Matters arising 50/08 The Councillors are continuing to look to identify individuals who can respond to articles in the press. Agreed to refer to Communications sub group to discuss. While Ockbrook weight limit issue now not being progressed, David Hayes stated that he would like a traffic flow study to be undertaken. Cllr Williams confirmed that investigations into traffic flow in the village was one of the Boards priorities, subject to being approved, exactly how Highways to decide to investigate will be up to them. Highways are fully aware of the issues and it is anticipated it would incorporate a traffic flow study. Richard confirmed he has had no further details about the reasoning behind the work done on the Nottingham Road/Derby Road traffic corridor. 58/08 The PCSO's have distributed the distraction burglary information. The first Safer Spondon Sub group meeting has taken place.	Coms Sub Group

	<p>Angie informed the meeting that a definite quote for the t shirts/polo shirts will only be provided when the wording has been agreed. The estimated cost for polo shirts would be £360 and t shirts £207.</p> <p>The Board agreed to order green t shirts with the following wording in black: Spondon Neighbourhood Board on the front and Making Spondon Better on the back</p> <p>ACTION: Angie order t shirts</p>	Angie Doughty
3/09	<p>Neighbourhood Forum Update and Police Report</p> <p>Richard distributed a condensed version of the Vehicle Actuated Sign (VAS) study report. The following recommendations have been made:</p> <p>Dale Road To install a permanent VAS be installed at a location between 188 and 222 Dale Rd.</p> <p>Locko Road To not install a VAS on Locko Road.</p> <p>The traffic speed data indicated that there was not an existing speeding problem. Therefore, there was little reduction in traffic speeds once the temporary VAS was introduced.</p> <p>The Board agreed that it would accept the recommendation for Dale Road and that it would like a little time to read the report before responding to the recommendation on Locko Road.</p> <p>ACTION: Richard to distribute full report, Board members to send comments to Councillor Williams Councillor Williams to respond to Highways.</p> <p>Police Report</p> <p>Sergeant Bonsor reported that the Police are aware of the complaints about speeding problems on Dale Rd/Locko Rd. A number of officers at Roe Farm station are now trained to use the hand held speed detectors and he agreed to target these two roads and other problem roads in Spondon. Councillor Williams will send a list of hot spot areas to Sgt Bonsor.</p> <p>ACTION: Councillor Williams to send Sgt Bonsor list of speeding hot spots</p> <p>He reported that the new Extended Community Watch patrol Service funded by Spondon and other Boards was due to start in next few weeks.</p> <p>He reported that 15 calls for service were received on 16 January in relation to an incident of anti social behaviour at the precinct in Spondon. Four offences of criminal damage were recorded and 1 crime for public order. Two males were arrested, one from Chaddesden and one from Oakwood. Police officers are actively targeting the precinct area. The section 30 order expires in May and</p>	<p>Richard Smail All Cllr Williams</p> <p>Cllr Williams</p> <p>Cllr Williams</p>

	officers will be looking to renew it.	
4/09	<p>An Introduction to NHS Derby City</p> <p>Zoe Boyes is the new Neighbourhood Link representative from NHS Derby City. A link person has been identified for each Neighbourhood Board in the city. The aim is to develop relationships, provide support in relation to relevant health issues/questions that are raised.</p> <p>Zoe provided a brief overview of the role of NHS Derby City including its responsibility to commission services. It is based in the city centre and employs approximately 150 people. It has a £390 million to spend on services. It has 3 main aims:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Staying healthy agenda 2 Ensure services are of high quality and meet the needs of the population 3 Consider how to engage with a range of organisations and the population across the city <p>The Board thanked Zoe and were interested in how NHS Derby City links into the other health services such as Derby Hospital Foundation Trust. Zoe agreed to provide information to a future meeting.</p> <p>ACTION: Zoe to provide information to future meeting</p>	Zoe Boyes
5/09	<p>The Big One Event 09</p> <p>The Big One event used to be known as Chaddesden Carnival. This year it aims to engage more communities within Spondon, Derwent and Oakwood to help promote the event as one for the whole of the north east of Derby and beyond. As a way to encourage more involvement from Spondon, the following has been agreed at the Big One Steering Group meetings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Time will be allocated in the arena to Spondon groups who wish to perform. Councillor Williams will be contacting groups and organisations in Spondon 2 There will be a walking parade from Spondon to the park. The theme will be safer, cleaner, greener and it will involve a fancy dress competition. 3 Spondon Traders Association is interested in arranging a competition. Local businesses will put up displays in their windows to promote the event 4 Any non profit making organisation will be allowed to have a stall for free 5 Any profit making organisation can have a stall at a reduced rate - £20 instead of £80 <p>ACTION: Angie volunteered to attend the steering group meetings with Councillor Williams.</p>	Angie Doughty

6/09	<p>Spondon Neighbourhood Priorities</p> <p>Derek Hathaway and Richard Smail presented a report listing the 4 main priorities for the Board to focus on in 2009. These are grouped under broad “themes”, and agreed actions may address more than one priority.</p> <p>The Board agreed the broad priorities - any actions need to be developed by the sub groups and comments fed back to the Board</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A more inclusive community 2. A safer community 3. A more attractive community 4. A healthier community <p>ACTION; Sub groups to consider actions under each priority</p>	Sub groups
7/09	<p>.Neighbourhood Board Sub Groups</p> <p>Communications sub-group No meetings held since last Board meeting</p> <p>Disabilities Sub Group Dropped kerbs planned for two locations with funding already allocated to the sub group</p> <p>Arts Class proposal - starting on Thursday 19 March, initially for six consecutive weeks from 2pm to 4pm in the Village Hall at £2 per person. The workshop will be developed by ‘pARTicipate’. Funded partly by pARTicipate and partly by the Board</p> <p>Spondon Youth Initiative – SYI, Sub group The sub group met on 28 January with a new lease of life to support and monitor the projects funded to provide more activities for young people and reduce anti social behaviour.</p> <p>Derby CVS Volunteering project, being promoted widely, little take up for the training sessions so far. Groups interested event increasing. – Sporting Futures, activities for young people – to start in February with 3 sessions a week. Flyers being sent out. Police to attend</p> <p>Directory/database – database of all community groups that provide activities and ‘services’ in Spondon, being pulled together</p> <p>Funding.- nearly £5,000 still to allocate.</p> <p>Future meetings –Wednesday 4 March</p> <p>Cleaner, Greener Spondon Sub Group To encourage some young people to join the group.</p> <p>Supported the Compactor days planning</p> <p>Springfield Wood – meeting school head to consider re-instigating the proposal to use the redundant land at the school for community use.</p> <p>Implement a “Free to a good home” and “Swop Shop” scheme in Spondon.</p> <p>Future plans identified</p> <p>Next meeting Tuesday 10 March</p> <p>Safer Spondon Sub Group First meeting held on 15 January attended by Tom Strachan, PC Azizi, PCSO Bannister and Angie Doughty</p> <p>Focussing on bogus callers/distraction burglaries. Take forward target</p>	

	<p>hardening measures and security advice for vulnerable elderly residents.</p> <p>The Board noted the Sub group reports</p>	
8/09	<p>Neighbourhood Board Community Budget Funding</p> <p>Richard updated the Board how Spondon Traders Association propose to spend the £2,500 of funding that it has applied for on basic admin, Derbyshire safeguard, support businesses that need security improvements, purchase a stall to be used at events to promote the association. The Board agreed to release the funding.</p> <p>The Board received and considered the following application</p> <p>1 Big One Event</p> <p>£1000 to help promote the attendance at the event and activities.</p> <p>Board agreed to allocate the funding with a caveat that the money is spent well in advance to promote the day.</p>	
9/09	<p>Date of Next Meeting</p> <p>The next meeting will take place on 25 March 2009, 6.30 pm, St Werburghs Church.</p> <p>Future meetings to be agreed at the next Board meeting</p>	