

**Minutes of the meeting of Surrey County Council's
Local Committee in Epsom and Ewell
held at 19.00 on
Monday 2 March 2009 at
St Martin's C of E Infants School, Epsom**

Members Present – Surrey County Council

Chris Frost	[Epsom & Ewell South East]	[Chairman]
Nigel Petrie	[Epsom & Ewell North East]	[Vice Chairman]
Jan Mason	[Epsom & Ewell West]	
Jean Smith	[Epsom & Ewell North]	
Colin Taylor	[Epsom & Ewell South West]	

Members Present – Epsom & Ewell Borough Council

Cllr Michael Arthur	[Ewell]
Cllr Mr Neil Dallen	[Town]
Cllr Robert Foote	[Cuddington]
Cllr Anna Jones	[College]
Cllr Michael Richardson	[Woodcote]

PART ONE

IN PUBLIC

[all references to items refer to the agenda for the meeting]

- 52/ APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS [Item 1]**
08 An apology for absence was received from Cllr David Wood, and Cllr Michael Arthur substituted.
- 53/ MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING [Item 2]**
08 Minutes of the meeting held on 1 December 2008 were agreed. These were duly signed as a correct record.
- 54/ DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST [Item 3]**
08 There were 4 declarations of interest.
C Cllr Colin Taylor – item 9 as Christchurch Mount is the road he lives in, and item 14, 2.1 and 3.3 as his wife is associated with the Ebbisham Association that is part of the Sunnybank Trust.
C Cllr Jean Smith – item 11, as a member of the Epsom Downs Conservators, as is Cllr Mike Richardson..
Cllr Anna Jones - item 9 as her daughter attends St Martin's school in Ashley Road.

- 55/08 WRITTEN PUBLIC QUESTION TIME [Item 4]**
Written public questions were received from 4 members of the public and the questions and responses are set out in Annexe A.
- 56/08 MEMBERS' QUESTION TIME [Item 5]**
Member's questions were received from 4 Members, and the questions and responses are set out in Annexe B.
- 57/08 ADJOURNMENT [item 6]**
Several members of the public attended and their questions, comments and informal responses are set out in Annexe C
- 58/08 PETITIONS [Item 7]**
There was no petitions received for this meeting
- 59/08 TRADING STANDARDS ANNUAL REPORT [item 8]**
It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Committee noted the report
- 60/08 PHASE 4 WAITING RESTRICTIONS [item 9]**
It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Committee agree that the proposed waiting restrictions listed in Annexe 1 of the report are finalised by the Parking Task Group and advertised in accordance with the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Committee agree the Terms of Reference for the Parking Task Group in Annexe 2 of the report.
- 61/08 A 240 REIGATE ROAD, EWELL – CHANGE OF SPEED LIMIT [item 10]**
It was **RESOLVED** that the Epsom & Ewell Local Committee agree that authorisation is given to advertise the proposed traffic regulation order to introduce a 30 mph speed limit on A240 Reigate Road between Ewell By Pass and a point 100m southeast of the junction with Longdown Lane North.

It was **RESOLVED** to retain the 40 mph speed limit on the A240 from a point 100m south east of the Longdown Lane North junction to the College Road junction.

62/ 08 NEW SPEED LIMIT AT TATTENHAM CORNER, EPSOM DOWNS [item 11]

The Officer advised that Surrey Police have been consulted and have requested further information before they can respond. Once agreement is received from them, the statutory consultation process for the TRO will be started. Epsom & Walton Downs Conservators are also to be consulted.

It was **RESOLVED** that authority is given by the Epsom & Ewell Local Committee to advertise a notice in accordance with the Traffic Regulation Act 1984 the effects of which will be to implement the proposed speed limit changes shown in Annex A of the report and subject to no objections being maintained the order be made.

It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Highways Manager is authorised, in consultation with the Chairman and Divisional Member to consider any objections received.

63/ 08 INTEGRATED TRANSPORT SCHEME PROGRESS REPORT [item12]

The change of title from Integrated Transport Scheme Progress Report to Capital and Maintenance Projects Progress report was noted.

It was **RESOLVED** that this report be noted.

64/ 08 CHAIRMAN'S REPORT [item 13]

It was **RESOLVED** that this report be noted.

65/ 08 MEMBERS ALLOCATIONS [item 14]

The Local Committee agreed to fund the following from the County Councillors Members' Allocation Revenue Budget, totalling £21,764.

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| 1. | Sunnybank Trust – website and database development,
Chris Frost, Jan Mason & Colin Taylor | £2525 |
| 2. | Fencing at St Martin's Church, Ewell Village
Nigel Petrie | £1500 |
| 3. | Lower Mole Countryside Management Project
Utilisation of Locally produced timber
Nigel Petrie | £1500 |
| 4. | Promotion of Domestic Abuse Outreach Service
Jean Smith | £1000 |

5.	'No Cold Calling' Signs Chris Frost	£750
6.	Surrey Youth Games Jan Mason, Nigel Petrie and Colin Taylor	£1500
7.	St Johns Ambulance Responders Chris Frost and Colin Taylor	£1000
8.	Court Recreation Ground – interpretive notice board Colin Taylor	£1000
9.	Advocacy in Action Chris Frost	£1300
10.	Hogsmill Local Nature Reserve Information Board [Green Lanes Information Board Horton Country Park] Jan Mason	£500
11.	Riverview Breakfast Club Jean Smith	£1200
12.	St Martin's School – replacement of resources lost in recent flooding Chris Frost	£1000
13.	Epsom PHAB Activity Holiday Jean Smith	£1167
14.	Glyn Hall, Ewell Village – 2 nd tranche Nigel Petrie	£1080
15.	The Wells Community Involvement Project Colin Taylor	£500
16.	Danetree School Garden Improvements Jan Mason	£500
17.	Hogsmill Nature Reserve New Benches Jan Mason	£500
18.	Blinds and equipment for Epsom Boxing Club Jan Mason	£742
19.	Friends of Nonsuch Nigel Petrie	£1500
20.	Signposts for the Epsom Salt Well Colin Taylor	£1000

Cllr Jean Smith expressed her concern as to the proposed level of funding towards the footpaths in The Grange, Worcester Park, [para 3.6]. After some discussion it was agreed to increase the grant to The Grange to a total of £4900, and reduce the funding to St Johns Ambulance to £2500 [para 3.1]

The Local Committee agreed to fund the following from the Capital Grant totalling £14,800.

1.	St Johns Ambulance Responders	£2500
2.	Expansion and improvement of Youth Engagement Scheme	£1000
3.	Sunnybank Trust – IT equipment	£1400
4.	Vehicle Activated Sign for Wells Road	£2500
5.	Vehicle Activated Sign for Chessington Rd	£2500

6. Surfacing for footpath – The Grange, Worcester Park £4900

It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Committee agreed the expenditure from the Members Allocations budget and Capital Grant budget.

**66/
08 FORWARD PROGRAMME [item 15]**

It was **RESOLVED** that the Local Committee noted the report.

**67/
08 DATE OF NEXT MEETING [Item 15]**

The Committee noted the date of the next meeting on Monday 13 July 2009, at 7.00pm, Bourne Hall, Spring Street, Ewell.

The Chairman, C Cllr Chris Frost, thanked the Local Highways Manager, David Curl, and his team for their reports to the Local Committee and support to the Members. He also thanked James Painter, Lynda Tarling and Margaret Bower from the Local Partnership Team for their valuable support to the Local Committee and its members.

The Vice Chairman, C Cllr Nigel Petrie, took the opportunity to congratulate the Chairman for running the Local Committee meetings so efficiently in the last year. He also added his thanks to David Curl and his team, and to James, Lynda and Margaret for their hard work, particularly in the last month in regard to collating the bids for the Members Allocation and Capital Grant funds.

Meeting Ended: 10.05