

Minutes of the meeting of Surrey County Council's Local Committee in Epsom and Ewell

Held at 19.00 on
8 March 2010 at
Ewell Court House,
Lakehurst Drive, Ewell KT19 OEB

Members Present – Surrey County Council

Colin Taylor	[Epsom & Ewell South West]	[Chairman]
David Wood	[North East]	[Vice Chair]
Chris Frost	[Epsom & Ewell South East]	
Eber Kington	[Epsom & Ewell North]	
Jan Mason	[Epsom & Ewell West]	

Members Present – Epsom & Ewell Borough Council

Cllr Michael Arthur	[Ewell]
Cllr Mr Neil Dallen	[Town]
Cllr Robert Leach	[Auriol]
Cllr Anna Jones	[College]
Cllr Jean Smith	[Ewell Court]

62/ **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS** [item 1]
09 None

63/ **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING** [item 2]
09 Cllr Wood requested that the minutes be amended as follows:
Drawing no.18, Conaways Close – to implement only the junction protection markings – double yellow lines, and to look at further restrictions at a later date.
Drawing No.40, Queensmead Avenue - to continue as advertised and to look at further restrictions at a later date.
The Committee **agreed** that the minutes be amended.

64/ **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** [item 3]
09 Cllr Dallen declared an interest in Item 9 as he is group scout leader of the 7th Epsom Scouts and involved in the Duke of Edinburgh awards..

65/ **CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS** [item 4]
09 The Chairman advised that the Joint Parking Strategy Task Group had held its first meeting in January, with another due later this month. The Task Group are progressing issues in Epsom and Ewell, although Surrey County Council's parking strategy review is due in May 2010, and when this report is available detailed discussions with the SCC Parking Team can take place.

66/ **WRITTEN PUBLIC QUESTION TIME** [item 5]
09 Written public questions were received from 2 members of the public, asking 2 questions. The questions and responses are set out in Annexe A.

67/ MEMBERS' QUESTION TIME [item 6]

09 Questions were received from 1 Member, asking 1 question. The question and response is set out in Annexe B.

68/ ADJOURNMENT [item 7]

09 Several members of the public attended, and 2 informal questions were put to the meeting with responses from Officers present.

69/ PETITIONS [item 8]

09 There were no petitions received for this meeting.

70/ YOUTH SERVICES DELIVERY PLAN [Item 9]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed**:

- (i) the Youth Development Service component of the Services for Young People Delivery Plan 2010/11.
- (ii) to note the transformation strategy for young people.

71/ REIGATE ROAD, EWELL – OBJECTIONS TO TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER [item 10]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed** the following revised recommendation

- [I] to make the order as advertised and implement the proposed speed restriction within the limits previously agreed. In addition officers to arrange a meeting with Surrey Police, the Committee Chairman, Cllrs Wood and Frost to discuss the case for further extending the 30 mph speed limit to cover the whole of the Reigate Road.

Proposed by Cllr Frost and seconded by Cllr Wood.

72/ BLENHEIM ROAD WASTE SITE [Item 11]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed**

- [I] the Blenheim Road and Waste Site Task Group Terms of Reference [appendix A]

and a second recommendation was proposed by Cllr Taylor and seconded by Cllr Mason

- [ii] Should a serious problem become apparent within the experimental period, the closure will be removed immediately in consultation with the Committee Chairman and the Divisional Member.

73/ CAPITAL AND MAINTENANCE PROJECTS PROGRESS REPORT

09 [Item 12]

It was RESOLVED that this report be noted.

74/ CHAIRMAN'S REPORT [item 13]

09 It was RESOLVED that this report be noted.

75/ CLIMATE CHANGE FUND [Item 14]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed** that two of the funding proposals be submitted to the SCC judging panel:

i] raising public awareness of the many cycle trails within the Epsom & Ewell Borough

ii] Garden Partners – a garden share scheme matching people over 60 to help manage their gardens with volunteers who would tend the garden in exchange for growing space within Epsom & Ewell

76/ MEMBERS' ALLOCATIONS [Item 15]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed** the following expenditure from the Members' Allocations budget..

- 2.1 Additional lighting –Rosebery Park £1700 Cllr Frost
- 2.2 Nescot/Priest Hill Fencing £3000 Cllr Wood
- 2.3 Footpath to West Ewell Infants School £3000 Cllr Kington
- 2.4 A Place to Dance – Freewheelers Theatre Company £500 Cllr Mason
- 2.5 Epsom & Ewell Local Images Archive £960 Cllr Frost
- 2.6 Chalk Lane Gate £400 Cllr Frost
- 2.7 Cuddington Croft Primary School – Library Renewal project £500 Cllr Wood
- 2.8 Ewell Court Park Woodland Walk Enhancement £190 Cllr Kington
- 2.9 Shadbolt Park Pond Restoration £2902 Cllr Kington
- 2.10 Imagination Pods £2000 Cllrs Frost, Mason, Taylor and Wood
- 2.11 Familyline Volunteer Helpline Computer - £360 Cllr Frost
- 2.12 Drive for Volunteering across Surrey – Surrey Wildlife Trust £1059 Cllr Frost
- 2.13 Adventure Cabin – Ewell Grove Infant and Nursery School £500 Cllr Wood
- 2.14 Science AT2 Skills Development – Epsom Primary School £500 Cllr Taylor
- 2.15 Community Hub –Central Surrey CVS £500 Cllr Taylor
- 2.16 The Lighthouse Project £950 Cllr Mason
- 2.17 Picture Rails Glyn Hall £250 Cllr Wood
- 2.18 Signs for Nonsuch Park £3000 Cllr Wood
- 2.19 Wooden benches for Horton Country Park Local Nature Reserve £500 Cllr Mason
- 2.20 School Library Enhancements – West Ewell Infants & Nursery School £500 Cllr Mason
- 2.21 Thursday Night Youth Club – Stephen Woods Centre £500 Cllr

- Mason
- 2.22 Environmental improvements in Epsom & Ewell West Division £1179 Cllr Mason
 - 2.23 Cherry Tree Eco Garden – Meadow Primary School £500 Cllr Wood
 - 2.24 Library Enhancement – St Clement’s Catholic Primary School £500 Cllr Wood
 - 2.25 Playground Equipment – Ewell Castle Junior School £500 Cllr Wood.

Items 2.14 and 2.25 were agreed in principle by the Committee on the proviso that the Area Director seeks clarification that the criteria is met on these proposed allocations, and advises the Chair and Councillor proposing the bid, of the outcome.

The Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] noted the funds agreed under delegated powers.

- 3.1 Touch screen facility for Epsom & Ewell CAB £1,000 Cllr Kington.

The Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] **agreed** the following from the Capital Grant Allocation:

- 4.1 Community Hub – Central Surrey CVS - £2500 Cllr Taylor
- 4.2 Preston Drive Carriageway £4000 Cllr Kington
- 4.3 Elmstead Close [not Gardens] Roundabout £1500 Cllr Kington
- 4.4 Footway surfacing repairs in Epsom & Ewell West Division £3000 Cllr Mason
- 4.5 Lighting Columns for footpath alongside Cheam Rd £3000 Cllr Wood
- 4.6 Height restriction signs – Ewell East Station £4000 Cllr Wood

77/ FORWARD PROGRAMME [item 16]

09 It was RESOLVED that the Local Committee [Epsom & Ewell] noted the report.

78/ DATE OF NEXT MEETING [item 17]

09 Monday 7 June 2010, 7.00pm
Epsom & Ewell Borough Council, Council Chamber, The Parade, Epsom, KT18 5BY

Meeting Ended: 10.00pm