



**AGENDA ITEM 12**

**GREATER BRISLINGTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP**

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**RECOMMENDATIONS**

**To note the contents of the report.**

**Neighbourhood Forum update:**

There were two forum meetings which were held on 12th November 2013 and 13 January 2014 (a further meeting is to be held on 12th March 2014).

At the meetings on the 12th November 2013, three local councillors, seven officers and 22 local residents attended.

The issues included:

Housing related issues i.e. single glazing, windows replacement, dampening within council properties.

Highway issues i.e. Pedestrian crossings and safety issues - in particularly issues regarding children, buggies/wheelchair users when using the pavement, the removal of traffic bump, speeding vehicles, parking on zigzags and double yellow lines.

Wicklea issues i.e. Site safety, Pathways, School access/dog walkers and environment concerns such as fly tipping, issues on inaccessible areas of the woods, overgrown hedge and tree and other issues such as out of control dogs.

At the meetings on the 13th January 2014, three local councillors, five officers and 27 local residents attended.

The issues included:

Parking on double yellow lines, blocked drains, recycling, tar barrels, rubbish, dropped kerbs.

A number of issues regarding the Wicklea site - access for local residents to the 'public open space', footpath, site safety, pedestrian crossings to wooded areas, access to Green Lane between Brooklea Health Centre and the Temporary classroom site etc.

### **Future Neighbourhood Forum Meetings:**

- Monday 12 May 2014, 7pm at St Brendans 6th Form College, Broomhill Road.
- Tuesday 15 July 2014, 7pm at Arnos Vale Cemetery, Bath Road.
- Monday 8 September 2014, 7pm at Brislington Enterprise College, Hungerford Road.
- Tuesday 11 November 2014, 7pm at Broomhill Junior School, Allison Road.
- Monday 12 January 2015, 7pm at St Brendans 6th form College, Broomhill Road.
- Tuesday 10 March 2015, 7pm at Arnos Vale Cemetery, Bath Road

### **Community Engagement Activities:**

There were over 21 community engagement opportunities between October 2013 and 28th February 2014 with over 216 people being engaged.

Three door knocking events and one poster distribution event were also held during October 2013 to February 2014 to promote the Neighbourhood Working priorities and publicise the Neighbourhood Partnership.

Attendance also occurred with the following meetings/groups: Brislington Community Partnership, Brislington Brook steering group, Hungerford Road Community Association, St. Peter's Over 50 groups. The NP provided information and recorded any issues raised by local people.

There was further participation on a Police Beat Surgery and a Visual Audit and Door Knock around Broomhill. The visual audit was arranged by Safer

Bristol and supported by the NP, BCC Housing, SARI and the Police to hear the concerns of local residents, providing information and noting any issues raised by local people.

### **Neighbourhood Partnership Review update:**

Recommendations regarding the NP review are still awaiting a response from senior BCC management. Once this has happened, meetings with NPs will take place to discuss the proposals and update people on the changes to the service. It is anticipated that these will take place in April. Any progress made prior to this NP will be provided, verbally, by the Area Coordinator at the NP meeting.

### **20mph update:**

The formal consultation for the proposed rollout of the 20mph Inner South area began on Thursday 20 Feb 2014.

This consultation forms part of the Speed Limit Order (SLO) for the Inner South area will run until Friday 14 March 2014.

The roads proposed to be exempt from the 20 mph speed limit in the South Area are as follows:

- A3029 Winterstoke Road
- A37 Wells Road
- A4 Bath Road
- A4 Bristol Hill
- A4174 Hartcliffe Way
- A4174 Hengrove Way
- A4174 Airport Road
- A4174 Callington Road
- A370 York Road
- A38 Bedminster Road / Parson Street Gyratory
- B3122 Bedminster Road
- B3122 St Johns Lane (except in the location of school and shops)
- B3122 Redcatch Road to Axbridge Road
- Clarence Road

You can view the paperwork at: [www.bristol.gov.uk/trafficorders](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/trafficorders) or visit City Hall, College Green between 10am and 4pm.

The paperwork is also available at Bedminster, Filwood, Knowle, Wick Road and Marksbury Road Libraries from Thursday 20 Feb.

The proposed implementation date for this phase is April/May 2014.

The NP has widely distributed the information through its contacts, to which there has been a significant response to the consultation from local residents.

### **Community Speed Watch:**

Community Speed Watch engages the community in addressing speed related offending.

Local volunteers join together and monitor traffic speeds at identified road locations in the community.

Information is recorded and passed to the police, which results in a warning letter being sent to the registered keeper.

The main objectives are:

- To secure a reduction in vehicle speeds to prevent collisions.
- To improve quality of life.
- To raise public awareness to inappropriate speed.

CSW volunteers will work closely with the Neighbourhood Policing Teams and in liaison with and supported by the Roads Policing Unit.

CSW will only take place at locations where there is an identified speeding issue. All volunteers are trained by Road Policing Officers in monitoring traffic speed and must comply with a code of practice.

CSW is not about spying or snooping on neighbours, it is about taking positive action on the ground working in partnership helping to improve the safety and quality of life for everyone in the community.

BCC and the Police are organising the delivery of CSW in south Bristol and have asked for residents who wish to become a part of CSW in Brislington East and Brislington West wards.

### **Meeting dates 2014 – 2015:**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>
Apr 2014				
May 2014	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Monday 12/05/14	7.00pm	
	Well Being Deadline	Friday 23/05/14	12.00pm	n/a
June 2014	Well Being Panel	Monday 02/06/14	6.00pm	
	NC/NP Briefing	Tuesday 03/06/14	3.00pm	Brunel House

<b>Month</b>	<b>Meeting</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>
	<b>NP (Mike Wollacott)</b>	<b>Monday 16/06/14</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Brislington West</b>
July 2014	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Tuesday 15/07/14	7.00pm	
Aug 2014	Well Being Deadline	Friday 22/08/14	12.00pm	n/a
September 2014	Well Being Panel	Monday 01/09/14	6.00pm	
	NC/NP Briefing	Tuesday 02/09/14	3.00pm	<i>Brunel House</i>
	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Monday 08/09/14	7.00pm	
	<b>NP (Jackie Norman)</b>	<b>Monday 15/09/14</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Brislington East</b>
Oct 2014				
November 2014	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Tuesday 11/11/14	7.00pm	
	Well Being Deadline	Friday 14/11/14	12.00pm	n/a
	Well Being Panel	Monday 24/11/14	6.00pm	
	NC/NP Briefing	Tuesday 25/11/14	3.00pm	<i>Brunel House</i>
December 2014	<b>NP (Mike Langley)</b>	<b>Monday 08/12/14</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Brislington West</b>
January 2015	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Monday 12/01/15	7.00pm	
Feb 2015	Well Being Deadline	Friday 20/02/15	12.00pm	n/a
March 2015	Well Being Panel	Monday 02/03/15	6.00pm	
	NC Briefing	Tuesday 03/03/15	3.00pm	<i>Brunel House</i>
	Forum (inc Environment Group)	Tuesday 10/03/15	7.00pm	
	<b>NP (Peter Main)</b>	<b>Monday 16/03/15</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Brislington East</b>