Pheasey and Paddock Local Neighbourhood Partnership

24 October 2006

Update on items from the last meeting

Item		Action	Progress
Introductions	Round table. Yvette Sheward, WBSP Partner, Vice-Chairman welcomed		
Apologies	Councillor Rose Martin John Punch Sharon Froggatt Councillor Zahid Ali The LNP noted that Gary Brookes, the Housing Group representative,		
	had moved to another LNP. It was also noted that there was no replacement representative yet The LNP thanked Mr. Brookes for his contribution to this LNP.	Helen Owen to write to Gary Brookes	Done

Minutes			
<u>Update</u> :			
Vice-Chair - LAP	The LNP selected Jeet Sohal as the LAP Vice-Chair, subject to her acceptance.	Helen Owen to write and confirm appointment and invite to agenda/briefing meetings	Done
Neighbourhood Watch, Pheasey	Ward Councillors reported that the situation remained unchanged. They would ask Alan Crunden to co-ordinate.	Ward Councillors	
Three Crowns School - Closure	It was noted that the Council was still looking at options and once the development brief had been produced, the LNP would be consulted.	Judith Sunley to monitor	Development brief awaited
Three Crowns School - Hot food van	Resolution to Licensing and Safety Committee to review the status of streets within the Borough for the purposes of street trading.	Helen Owen to forward minute to Licensing and Safety Committee	Done. The Council's Public Protection Section have indicated their willingness to take on a process in respect of a Boroughwide check of street trading as an ongoing improvement to the service offered to Walsall
Declarations of Interest	None	None	
Petitions	None	None	

Public Forum	The LNP: (1) Welcomed a presentation from the Arboretum User Group which explained the background to the Group and how they had spent the	None	
	funding allocation and; (2) Received representations from the Arboretum/Leckie Senior Club for advice on accessing funding.	Chairman to liaise with the Club	Done. Mike Gaffney, External Funding Manager, assisting
Traffic management - Response to issues raised at the last meeting	Councillor Walker, Cabinet Portfolio Holder and Glyn Oliver, Traffic and Transport Services Manager, responded to concerns raised at the last meeting in respect of traffic management issues.	Judith Sunley (Glyn Oliver) to investigate/confirm suggestions raised: • Junction approaching Broadway Island - left hand lane only for left turns to A34. Can this include "straight on" to reduce queue? If not, signpost needed to indicate left only turn to avoid confusion	(Update will be available at next meeting)

		 Car parking. Attention drawn to side streets by Birmingham bus stops being used as unofficial "park and ride" 	(Update will be available at next meeting)
		 Car parking in Town Centre. Confirm new College car park can be used on weekends for shoppers. Confirm ASDA car park to remain in Council control and free of charge 	(Update will be available at next meeting)
		Barry Road, Park Hall - possible one-way system. Investigate costs	(Update will be available at next meeting)
Increasing life expectancy	The LNP received a presentation from the tPCT which explained a project commissioned by the WBSP to identify ways of increasing life expectancy.	Yvette Sheward to progress project	
Update from Community Action Groups	The LNP received feedback from the recent Community Action Groups. Yvette Sheward, the tPCT representative, agreed to progress the feasibility study for the provision of a breast screening unit at a Broadway North site and the health needs assessment for a Medical Centre for Paddock.	Yvette Sheward to progress	

Funding priorities for action	The LNP received a report which informed of the progress of the previously agreed funding projects. The LNP agreed the two proposed projects suggested in the report.	Parpinder Randhawa to progress	See funding report for progress
Termination of meeting	8.15 p.m.		