

Outer East Area Committee

Halton Moor Forum

Minutes from 9 June 2009 Halton Moor One Stop Centre

Present:

Cllr Mick Lyons (Chair), Sam Lowe (South East Area Management Team), James Nundy (SE AMT, minutes), Stuart Mason (West Yorkshire Police), Marlene Grant (resident), Margaret Wilson (resident), Vicki Hooper (East North East Homes), Maria Adams (ENEHL), Andrea Dolan (ENEHL), Paul Palmer (ENEHL), Coullin Meikle (Youth Service), Mrs B Naylor (resident), Mr & Mrs R Firby (resident), Maggie Bellwood (EASEL Team), PCSO 552 Liam Thompson (WYP), PCSO 817 Tracy Murphy (WYP), Susan Hoddell (resident), Jaqueline Birkby (resident), Mrs G Townend, Sue Speak (LCC Planning), K. Townend (Save Our Homes), V. Broadley (SoH), D. Gill (SoH), B. Scott (SoH), D. Thompson (resident), P Thompson (resident), Steven Monkman (resident), Amanda Leaf (resident), Marcelle Howells (resident), Maggie Bell (resident), Margaret Wilson (resident), Marlene Grant (resident)

Apologies:

Dayvid Cox (LCC Safer Leeds), Margaret Blenkhorn, Marie Ferguson (ENEH Leeds), John Booth, Revd. Mark Heather

1.0	Welcome, introductions and apologies	Action
1.1	Cllr Lyons welcomed everyone to the meeting, introductions were made and the above apologies noted.	
2.1	This meeting is non-quorate as only one councillor was present.	
2.0	Minutes from the meeting on 17 February 09	
2.1	(4.1) Should say East North East Homes, rather than Aire Valley Homes. Otherwise, agreed as accurate.	
3.0	Matters arising	
3.1	None.	
4.0	10 minute open floor	
4.1	East Leeds incinerator site – there are still four bidders interested. Proper consultation is still required on the site use.	
5.0	Highways Update	
5.01	Dropped kerbs to be done where people are already parking their cars in their gardens (in Wykebeck Mount and Selby Avenue)	
6.0	EASEL Consultation – Sue Speak	
6.1	Leaflets were tabled (and have been delivered to residents) and discussed.	
6.2	The strategic plan for EASEL is over 15-20 years	
6.3	Residents were encouraged to fill in the form on the back of the leaflet.	

6.4	The Action Plan is to be published next year.	
6.5	Brian Mumby rallied the troops to come to the Halton Moor Residents Meetings. A special meeting concerning regeneration in the area is to be organised. BM to liaise with Sam Lowe.	BM/SL
7.0	Community Safety - Police	
7.1	More police presence over the last few weeks to combat burglaries. Additional funding was available for top 10 burglary areas - Temple Newsam ward had two areas coming in at $1^{\rm st}$ and $3^{\rm rd}$ places, which have now dropped to $8^{\rm th}$ and $9^{\rm th}$.	
7.2	There has been a disproportionate amount of red nominals on Halton Moor at the moment, but 16 of them were arrested over the last three weeks so the crime statistics should reflect that in the next update. There were also two Operation Champions in May.	
7.3	The police off-road motorcycle team are back due to popular demand as of 15 June.	
7.4	More robust barriers are being arranged for the land where the off-roading is taking place.	
7.5	The launch date for the Community House at 119 Kendal Drive is 17 June 09. It is used by all partners and the times the police will be there are Mondays and Sundays 11am to 1pm.	
7.6	PCSO mobile phone idea was a good one, but it didn't work, so the function will be removed. There are still four or five different ways to get in touch with the police for non emergency calls – one such way is the NPT answerphone, which has the messages downloaded twice a day.	
7.7	PACT meetings are generally not that well attended. To get the best out of them, residents should attend because it is these meetings which decide where the hotspots are and therefore where the resources are targeted.	
8.0	Housing update – Vicki Hooper	
8.1	The ALMOs were restructured recently and a new management structure is also in place.	
8.2	There are 50 ASB cases in Halton Moor at the moment (200 across the full ENEHL area).	
8.3	There are approximately 50 void properties in Halton Moor.	
8.4	Current number of bids per property range from 50 – 200+.	
8.5	Rent collection rate is 97.1% (target rate is 91%).	

9.0	Youth Service update - Coullin Meilke	
9.1	Running sessions in the community centre at Halton Moor One Stop four nights a week.	
9.2	Working with local schools and NEET (Not in Education or Employment)	
9.3	Have several people working towards their Duke of Edinburgh award.	
9.4	Some young people are involved with the outward bounds scheme and also working with Extended Services.	
10.0	Items for next meeting	
10.1	Representative from Highways and a letter to be sent out to the residents who live close to the area marked on the plan	
10.2	Update on the Downsize housing scheme – Vicki Hooper	
11.0	Date of next meeting	
11.1	15 September 2009, 6pm, Halton Moor One Stop Centre	