

Report of the Area Leader – South East Leeds

Report to Outer East Leeds Area Committee

Date: 16th October 2012

Subject: Well Being Budget (Revenue) 2012/13 supplementary notes

Are specific electoral Wards affected?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s):		
Garforth & Swillington		
Kippax & Methley		
Temple Newsam		
Cross Gates & Whinmoor		
Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the decision eligible for Call-In?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Does the report contain confidential or exempt information?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
If relevant, Access to Information Procedure Rule number:		
Appendix number:		

1. Supplementary notes to Well Being report 16 October 2012

1.1 Area Committee are requested to approve an additional 3 further projects to the projects listed on the Well Being report of 16 October 2012.

2. Main Issues

2.1 Road Traffic Signals on Osmondthorpe Lane

2.1.1 This proposal is to provide traffic lights at the railway bridge on Osmondthorpe Lane. The current traffic flow allows traffic travelling north right of way over traffic travelling south.

2.1.2 The current traffic measures in place are not sufficient for the increase in travel along Osmondthorpe Lane and in order to improve traffic flow it is proposed to install traffic lights.

2.1.3 The cost of this project is £66,000. Highways have £50,000 to spend on the scheme but cannot progress it until the remaining £16,000 is found. Area Committee is requested to meet this cost from its Well Being Budget.

2.2 Rugby pitch improvements at Glebelands (Garforth)

- 2.2.1 This project will deliver rugby pitch improvements to LCC owned Glebelands park in Garforth.
- 2.2.2 With Rugby League now being a summer game improvements are required to the pitches used by Garforth Tigers ARLFC.
- 2.2.3 Parks & Countryside, who will deliver the works, are £1,600 short of the funding required to carry out this work in 2012/13. The funding by Area Committee will allow for the pitches to be improved to the required standard for the start of next season.

2.3 Security Improvements to East Garforth Recreation Ground

- 2.3.1 This project will see security improvements to LCC owned East Garforth Recreation ground in Garforth.
- 2.3.2 These pitches are used by Garforth Rangers JFC.
- 2.3.3 In 2010 a large group of travellers illegally camped on the site for several days causing damage and leaving rubbish before being evicted. As a result there has been numerous calls from local residents, football teams and users to make the site less accessible for illegitimate use.
- 2.3.4 Parks & Countryside intend to install an A frame and operational access barrier to improve security. Area Committee are requested to support this project with a contribution of £1,750 from its Well Being Budget

3. Recommendations

3.1 Members are requested to confirm approval of the following projects:

- Traffic signals on Osmondthorpe Lane - £16,000
- Glebelands pitch improvements - £1,600
- East Garforth Recreation Ground - £1,750

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