

Minutes of LLRA Management Committee Meeting Tues 12 January 2021 6:00pm

Purpose: Review of current issues affecting Long Leys residents

Present: Gary Stimson, Jackie Ward, Jon Davies, Tony Wass, Glenn Smith, Megan Cox, Jim Hanrahan

Apologies: Emma Olivier-Townrow, Keith Newsome

Kindly hosted by: Online Meeting via Zoom

1. Introduction by Chair

Gary welcomed the committee to the meeting.	Action
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2. Minutes of Previous Meeting

Minutes and decisions of 1 December 2020 meeting were accepted as a true record of the meeting.	
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3. Finances Update

<p>Jackie's email of 7 January gave cashflows for both the Tesco Grant and LLRA annual expenditure.</p> <p>Tesco Grant £131 remaining to spend by end February. Jackie asked all committee members to consider how the remaining funds could be effectively spent to benefit the Long Leys community.</p> <p>LLRA annual spend</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Annual insurance renewal (£151.45)• Spend on SID replacement battery plus voltmeter (£60.61)• Land registry search for area by underpass (£6) <p>Remaining budget £414.89.</p>	All
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4. Dial-A-Ride Pilot Trial

<p>Glenn will provide spend details to Jackie monthly.</p> <p>£16 spent on journeys so far, £84 remaining. Uptake has been slow given the national lockdown. Dial-A-Ride could be of use for those wanting to get to vaccination centres.</p>	Glenn
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5. Vulnerable / Digitally Isolated Residents

Gifts were well received by residents, with a number of thank you cards and a phone call received. The meeting recorded LLRA's thanks to Stokes Coffee for their support.	
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6. Community Christmas Highlight

The Santa visit worked very well with circa 300 socially distanced residents involved. The meeting felt that it was worth considering doing again next year. Santa could potentially use a golf buggy. LLRA will discuss this again in a few months before Christmas 2021	
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The meeting recorded LLRA's thanks to Paul Townrow for his work with Santa.	
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7. Carholme Community Forum (CCF) update

Minutes of these meetings can be seen at http://long-leys.org/carholme-community-forum/	
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Last (online) meeting: Tuesday 15 December 2020	
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Attended by Gary, Jon	
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Next meeting: Tuesday 26 January 2021	
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The meeting discussed a spate of ASB and burglaries, with two individuals arrested over an unpleasant incident. Following the meeting Jon met with Councillors Murry (city) and Parker (county) at the A46 underpass on Long Leys Road to review the fly tipping issue. The councillors have offered to explore whether this area can be closed off. It is owned by Highways England.	
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8. Commons Advisory Panel (CAP) Update

Last (online) meeting: 7 December 2020	
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Attended by Jon, Emma(?)	
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Next meeting: TBC	
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Online CAP meetings have been a challenge – the format is not ideal for discussion, and until face-to-face meetings resume progress may be slow.	
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A commons user guide was suggested to the chair (Councillor Murray) separately. Work on drainage by the West Parade gate has gained planning permission and the work should go ahead in the first half of 2021.	
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9. Planning Applications

No new applications.	
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10.SID Update

Now by 55 Long Leys Road. A replacement battery and voltmeter has been purchased. Jon will chase Elan City for the FOC spare set of batteries they have committed to.	Jon
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11.Footpaths / Cycleways

Whittons Park Route: An appeal was submitted to the Planning Inspectorate on LCC's refusal to grant a footpath. This included new user evidence that the path had been used since the 1920s. It may be some time before this is decided.	
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12. Hobblers Hole Management Agreement

The proposed Management Agreement on the Hobblers Hole strip was not presented to the City Council executive meeting on 14 December as one aspect required further city council investigation. Awaiting a response from city council.	
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13.Whittons Park Playpark Upgrade

(Unchanged since August 2020). A commitment has been made by the city council in principle. Action awaited by city council.	
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14.Neighbourhood Plan Action Group (NPAG) Progress Report

All activities within this project can be seen at http://long-leys.org/neighbourhood-plan/ On hold until the housing element of the Central Lincolnshire Local Plan (CLLP) is resolved. This is likely to be June 2021 at the earliest. Funding for plan activity will not be applied for until this critical issue has been resolved.	
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15. Traffic Commissioner Complaint

Awaiting response from Traffic Commissioner to requests for public hearing from complainants.	
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16. Long Leys Cemetery

Currently monitoring situation on notices and seating in garden of remembrance.	
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17. Oakleigh Drive/Industrial Cottages – Maintenance of Foliage

LLRA will keep this under review. Jon will see if he can establish if residents have been written to by city council.	Jon
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18. St George's Hospital Lighting

Jon has written to hospital regarding the issue of glare from hospital car park lights disturbing residents in Albion Crescent. Awaiting response.	
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19. AOB

<p>A visiting carer's car was scratched as it was parked outside a home on Albion Crescent. An email request for any resident with CCTV coverage of the road has been sent to Albion Crescent residents on the community mailing list.</p> <p>The meeting closed at 7:00pm.</p>	
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20. Management Meeting Dates

<p>Next meeting: 6-7:15pm Tuesday 23 February - Online</p> <p>Possible future meeting dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AGM, 18 May 2021. 7-8:30pm. <p>For all minutes see http://long-leys.org/management-committee-minutes/</p>	
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JP Davies
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