



Beeston North Community Action Team Minutes of Meeting Monday 27 February 2017

Present:

Councillor Barbara Carr

Greg Hewitt Brian Davey Broxtowe Borough Council Frack Free Nottinghamshire Frack Free Nottinghamshire

1. Welcome, Introductions & Apologies

Apologies received from:

Jayne Fletcher Broxtowe Borough Council
Councillor Steve Carr Broxtowe Borough Council

6 Residents attended the meeting

2. A one minute silence in commemoration of Mrs Wren

3. Residents' Issues from the last meeting

ISSUE	OUTCOME
Hedges on the park need cutting.	Hedges will be cut before the nesting
	season
Cycling on High Road pedestrianised	Ongoing issues, the Police are aware
area and pavements on Wollaton Road.	however resources have been reduced
What is the cost of the police?	£190,100,000
Speeding on Central Avenue and	Ongoing issues, the Police are aware
Wallett Avenue. Dangerous driving.	however their resources have been
	reduced and they need to prioritise their
	resources
Cars outside delivery outlets on Central	If cars are illegally parked then they
Avenue now a major issue.	should be reported to the Police
Fracking is a huge concern. I have	Presentation on agenda
promised to set up a public meeting.	
House on Wallett Ave in dreadful state	Has been reported to the Private Sector
	Housing Officer

4. Sale of garages on Central Avenue

Councillors have agreed (Steve opposed this) to dispose of the land for housing. This is at the very early stages but any applications will need to go through the usual planning process.

5. Fracking

Brian Davey gave a presentation on the potential exploring of the Widmerpool Trough which may have reserves of gas within the shale from Frack Free Notts. (The meeting was unable to counterbalance the presentation by the opposing view which will take place at a future meeting).

The issues Frack Free Notts has with unconventional gas fields which include (amongst others)

- Sand-mining
- Pipelines
- Compressor stations
- Dehydrators
- Processing plants
- Cleaning stations
- Rail and road tankers
- Flare stacks
- Storage depots
- Pumps
- Drill rigs
- The risk of wells failing
- The additional emissions of greenhouse gasses
- Earthquakes
- Noise and nuisance
- Pollutants
- The regulatory system does not work well
- Not enough about the long term impacts of fracking is known

Whether potential harms become actual harms depends on variable conditions.

Residents' Questions;

- Regulation of Scottish fish farming has allowed Scottish lochs to be contaminated.
- Where would 100's or 1,000's wells be put in such a built up area wells can be put a distance away from the site and horizontal drills be made
- Will we find out it is happening if it does yes, widespread consultation takes place and environmental impact assessments need to take place – but we unlikely to see anything until later in the year.
- Local democracy is being ignored.

 The district council were unable to make a decision on fracking due to lack of understanding - Steve and Barbara will request presentations on both sides of the argument be made to Councillors and the public at a public meeting in the near future.

6. Residents' issues

Parking outside a house on Wallet Avenue	Steve/Barbara
Legally but dangerously parked cars on Dennis Avenue	Steve/Barbara
A Blue estate car has been parked on the corner of Fairfield Road	Steve//Barbara
for the last 2 weeks	
Speeding cars on Peveril Road	Steve /Barbara
Junction of Marlborough Road and Abbey Road	Steve/ Barbara
Dog fouling sign needed on Wallett Avenue	Steve/ Barbara

7. Any Other Business

Notts Police contacts for Beeston are as follows: -

Neighbourhood Policing Sergeant Sgt Deb Regan Tel: 07525 226694

Email: Broxtowe.southnpa@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk

PCSO 7187 Paula Hipkiss Phone: 07702 141791

PCSO 4687 Craig Gealy Phone: 07545 701863

PC 1501 Simon Wright Phone: 07985 246613

Crimestoppers 0800 555 111

8. Date of next meeting

24 July 2017? 27 November 2017?

TBC as they may revert back to Tuesdays

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