

**East Joint Committee – 10 March 2009**

**Report of the Southam and Feldon Community Forum**

The Southam and Feldon Community Forum met on Thursday 19 February 2009 at The Priors Hall, Priors Marston and this is the report of their meeting.

**Matters Discussed (for information only)**

The following items were discussed:

- The Forum received an update on progress made on matters raised at the last meeting. This included leaf clearance from footways as well as a representative from Street Scene to be in attendance at the next forum meeting.
- Sgt Mandy Crust provided a presentation on community policing issues relating to the area. This included an update on previous matters raised at the previous meeting of the Forum.
- Young Peoples Issues/Concerns – Although there were no young people in attendance, Cllr Wise confirmed that he is keen to encourage young people to participate in the forums and will continue to work closely with the Youth Worker, Extended Services Cluster Co-ordinator and Year 10 Head at Southam College.
- Sustainable Community Strategy – comments were sought on the consultation draft that had been circulated and was also available on-line
- Locality Profile – statistics produced by the Warwickshire Observatory were presented to the meeting. These provided a snapshot of the demographic make-up of residents of the communities within the Southam/Feldon area.
- The Chairman was appointed to represent the Forum on the Stratford District Partnership.
- Have Your Say Session – damaged verges in Stockton due to continuing problems with parked cars around the village; availability of Aqua Sacks to replace sandbags together with continuing questions about the change in refuse dates, winter collections, charges for extra bins, and recyclable waste. The ever growing height of Ufton Landfill was also raised.

**There were no matters referred to the Joint Committee for attention (for discussion)**

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**Report of the Wellesbourne and Kineton Community Forum**

The Wellesbourne and Kineton Community Forum met on Thursday 12 February 2009 at Radway Village Hall, Radway and this is the report of their meeting.

**Matters Discussed (for information only)**

The following items were discussed:

- The Forum received an update on progress made on matters raised at the last meeting. This included the provision of 2 laptops, which had been requested by young people plus updated information on flood funding in Newbold Road, Oxford Road and the River Dene.
- PCSO Henri Smith provided a presentation on community policing issues relating to the area. This included an update on previous matters raised at the previous meeting of the Forum. During the presentation PCSO Henri Smith made reference to having to continually borrow a portable speed camera from other SNT's for use in this locality area. The Forum put forward, and supported, a recommendation that funding be sought through any surplus East Joint Committee funds.
- Pharmacies – Caroline Galloway, NHS Warwickshire provided information on the services provided at both Wellesbourne pharmacy and Kineton dispensary.
- Sustainable Community Strategy – Trevor Russel, Project Officer for the Stratford District Partnership provided information on the SCS and comments were sought on the consultation draft that had been circulated and was also available on-line.
- Locality Profile – statistics produced by the Warwickshire Observatory were presented to the meeting. These provided a snapshot of the demographic make-up of residents of the communities within the Wellesbourne and Kineton area.
- Yousef Osman, Lighthorne Heath Neighbourhood Watch was appointed to represent the Forum on the Stratford District Partnership.
- Have Your Say Session – the County Council's policy on road-gritting was raised under this item together with activities for young people.

**Matters Referred to the Joint Committee for attention (for discussion)**

The Forum asked that the following items be raised at the meeting of the Joint Committee:

<b>Issue</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
▪ Road Gritting Policy	For the Committee to request a review of the current policy and a report be brought to a future meeting.

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