

Warwick Area Committee

Agenda

22 January 2008

The Warwick Area Committee will meet at the SHIRE HALL, WARWICK on **TUESDAY, the 22 January, 2008 at 6.00 p.m.**

The agenda will be: -

1. General

(1) Apologies for Absence

(2) Members' Disclosure of Personal and Prejudicial Interests

Members are reminded that they should declare the existence and nature of their personal interests at the commencement of the item (or as soon as the interest becomes apparent). If that interest is a prejudicial interest, the Member must withdraw from the room unless one of the exceptions applies.

Membership of a district or borough council is classed as a personal interest under the Code of Conduct. A Member does not need to declare this interest unless the Member chooses to speak on a matter relating to their membership. If the Member does not wish to speak on the matter, the Member may still vote on the matter without making a declaration.

2. Public Question Time

Part A Non Executive Functions

None.

Part B Executive Functions

3. Decriminalisation of Parking Enforcement (DPE) - Warwick District

Report of the Interim Strategic Director for Environment and Economy.

Proposals for various changes to parking restrictions in Warwick District have been advertised and objections have been received. The report considers the objections

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and recommends how they should be dealt with. The report also includes the outcome of an initial review of the new parking management arrangements.

Recommendation

- (1) That the Warwickshire County Council (District of Warwick) (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Waiting Restrictions, On-Street Parking Places and Resident's Parking) (Consolidation) (Variation No 3) Order 2007 and the Warwickshire County Council (Guys Street and Guy's Cliffe Terrace, Warwick) (Traffic Regulation) (Variation No 1) Order 2007 be made as advertised but with the following modifications:-
 - (i) Retention of the existing double yellow lines fronting No 22 Cherry Street.
 - (ii) Retention of the existing residents parking scheme in Wathen Road and Peel Road pending the outcome of the proposal in 2 (ii) below.
- (2) That the following proposals be advertised:-
 - (i) No waiting from 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday outside No's 13 to 19/21 Cherry Street.
 - (ii) Waiting limited to 20 minutes except for W6 permit holders in Wathen Road, Peel Road and Percy Road
- (3) That no further action be taken in respect of providing footway parking on the north side of Guy's Cliffe Terrace and at the north end of Guy Street.
- (4) That the request for a "Home Zone" type scheme in the Guy Street/Cherry Street area be noted but that residents be advised that current resources do not permit this being given further consideration.
- (5) That further consultations be carried out with residents of Coventry Road with a view to revised proposals being developed and advertised for the parking arrangements along the road.

4. Business Improvement Districts – Leamington and Warwick

Presentation by Sue Ashley, Town Centres Regeneration Manager, Environment and Economy Directorate.

5. Warwick Town Centre Traffic Management Review - Progress Report

Report of the Interim Strategic Director for Environment and Economy.

This report describes the progress to date in developing schemes to manage traffic in Warwick. Much of this work has been carried out by the Forum which was established by this Committee in November 2005. The support of Committee is sought for continued work on the development and assessment of the Forum's proposed schemes. The report also discusses a consultant's report into a range of

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possible complementary measures, which, taken in combination, could help deliver the Forum's Vision for Warwick.

Recommendation

That Committee supports:-

- (1) The continuing work of the Warwick Forum.
- (2) The continuing work of officers in assessing the 'street by street' proposals.
- (3) The implementation of a one-way system on Chapel Street.
- (4) Further investigation into the removal of the A429 in Warwick from the Primary Route Network.

6. Proposed Changes to Parking Fees and Charges across Warwick District

Report of the Interim Strategic Director for Environment and Economy.

Proposed changes to parking fees and charges across Warwick District for off street car parking across Warwick District and changes to on street car parking charges in Leamington Spa Town Centre

Recommendation

That Warwick Area Committee:-

- (1) Endorses Warwick District Council's proposed changes to off-street car parking across Warwick District.
- (2) Approves an increase of the on-street parking charge in Leamington Spa Town Centre from £1.80 to £2.00 for a two hour stay, in line with Warwick District Council's proposed off street car park charging strategy.

7. Woodloes Infant School, Woodloes Junior School and Ridgeway School, Warwick

Report of the Strategic Director of Children, Young People and Families

The report seeks to provide an update for Members on the proposal to amalgamate Woodloes Infant and Junior Schools and to provide new accommodation for Ridgeway School.

Recommendation

- (1) That the Committee note progress concerning a proposal to amalgamate Woodloes Infant and Junior Schools and provide new accommodation for Ridgeway School.

- (2) That the Committee consider any comments it wishes to make to Cabinet on the approach being considered.

8. Wellbeing Fund/Social Inclusion Fund 2007/8

Report of the Strategic Director of Performance and Development.

This report outlines proposals, which it is recommended should receive financial support from the Well-Being Fund.

Recommendation

That the Warwick Area Committee approves the funding proposals set out in the report.

This report was not available when the agenda was sent for printing and will follow.

9. Provisional Items for Future Meetings

11th March 2008

- Capital Programme for Transport 2008-09 – draft programme for Warwick Area
- Changing school admission numbers
- A429 Barford to Warwick cycleway.
- Update on the proposal for a public service centre in Kenilworth

6th May 2008

- Woodloes Primary Schools – to consider comments as part of the consultation on future proposals for the Woodloes schools.
- Area Community Learning Partnership for Warwick District, progress report 2007/08 and action plan 2008/09.
- Lillington Primary School – to consider comments as part of the consultation on future proposals for the school.

10. Minutes of the meeting of 13th November 2007 and matters arising

11. Any Other Items

which the Chair considers urgent

JIM GRAHAM
Chief Executive

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 11 March, 2008, 6.00pm, Shire Hall, Warwick.

Committee Membership

Councillors: Sarah Boad (Chair), Ken Browne, Les Caborn, Alan Cockburn, Jose Compton, Chris Davis, Michael Doody, Eithne Goode, Marion Haywood (Vice Chair), Bernard Kirton, Tim Naylor, Raj Randev, Dave Shilton, Mota Singh, John Whitehouse.

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Public Question Time

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