



REPORT OF: HEAD OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES
TO: BRIERFIELD AND REEDLEY COMMITTEE
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**PROGRESS REPORT ON ACTION ARISING FROM
 BRIERFIELD & REEDLEY COMMITTEE ON 3RD OCTOBER, 2017**

1.	<p><u>Capital Programme 2017/18</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That the following be allocated from the 2017/18 capital programme:-</p> <p>(1) £3,952 for resurfacing of East Street, Reedley</p> <p>(2) £1,000 for Improvements to Reedley Drive, Reedley</p>	<p>Noted.</p> <p>Noted.</p>
2.	<p><u>Old Railway Tavern Building, Glen Way, Brierfield</u></p> <p>Members requested further information on when the Railway Tavern and other businesses around it were to be cleared and ultimately demolished. The suggestion was to demolish the Railway Tavern if the other businesses were not likely to be cleared within 12 months.</p>	<p>One of the adjoining businesses has begun to move off the site and the second business will shortly be vacating their premises. Once the buildings have been vacated they will need to be tested for asbestos and the utilities disconnected before demolition can take place. This will be actioned as soon as the properties have been vacated with the aim of beginning demolition as early as possible in the New Year.</p>
3.	<p><u>Other issues</u></p> <p>The following issues were raised by members of the</p>	

	<p>Committee in public question time, therefore not recorded in the minutes, but included in the action sheet:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cllr Ahmed raised a question about Councillors being pre warned when resurfacing works were to take place. Councillors debated on how this could be done when in some cases the work is funded by the Area Committee and in others the Town Council. Apparently one cannot be advised of the others' projects. Councillors asked for legal assistance to see if information could be provided regardless of the committee that was funding the work. 	<p>The request is being looked into.</p>