



REPORT OF: HEAD OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES
TO: BRIERFIELD AND REEDLEY COMMITTEE
DATE: 8TH NOVEMBER, 2016

Contact Details: Lynne Rowland
Tel. No: 661648
E-mail: lynne.rowland@pendle.gov.uk

**PROGRESS REPORT ON ACTION ARISING FROM
BRIERFIELD & REEDLEY COMMITTEE ON 4TH OCTOBER, 2016**

1. Public Question Time

(1) Mr Murtagh and Mr Mackereth both raised concerns about speeding motorists on Halifax Road and Walverden Road, Brierfield. They reported an ongoing issue with cars exceeding the speed limit and racing through red traffic lights. They asked that consideration be given to additional traffic calming measures such as the introduction of a 20 m.p.h. zone; speed humps; and the installation of a camera on the traffic lights.

A resident of Chatburn Park Avenue stated that he had the same concerns regarding speeding motorists throughout Pendle. He also raised concerns about anti-social behaviour in the Chatburn Park Avenue area of Brierfield.

Members acknowledged that the issue of speeding motorists had been a concern for a number of years and various actions had been taken by the Committee in an attempt to address the problem. The police had also carried out a number of targeted initiatives in the past two and a half years. However, it was accepted that this was unsustainable in the long term.

In addressing the problem with speeding vehicles in Brierfield and Reedley as a whole, the Committee had funded the purchase of two speed indicator devices (SPIDs). One of these was a mobile unit and it was suggested that this be located towards the top of

LCC is awaiting delivery of the mobile SPID. In the meantime, training on how to deploy the SPID safely has been offered.

| | | |
|------------------|---|---|
| | <p>Halifax Road. It was reported that speed counts carried out on Halifax Road by Lancashire County Council had not provided evidence to justify speed humps.</p> <p>Following a discussion, the Committee agreed that the matter be referred to the next Traffic Liaison Meeting, with a request that consideration be given to installing cameras on the traffic lights at the junction of Halifax Road and Walverden Road, Brierfield. Inspector Goodall indicated that he was happy to support this request.</p> <p>(2) Mrs M. Baldwin asked if the waste bin on Chatburn Park Drive, Brierfield, which was often used for the disposal of dog waste and soiled nappies, could be replaced by a larger one.</p> <p>It was agreed that this be referred to the Environmental Services Manager for consideration.</p> <p>(3) Mrs P. McCormick reported that wooden structures at Barden Lane Stables had been taken down and concrete blocks had arrived on site. The site was a tip and being guarded by security dogs. She asked that a site visit be carried out.</p> <p>It was agreed that this be referred to the Planning, Building Control and Licensing Services Manager.</p> | <p>The next Traffic Liaison Meeting is to be held in January, 2017.</p> <p>Arrangements have been made for the bin to be replaced.</p> <p>The matter is being dealt with by the Planning, Building Control and Licensing Services Manager.</p> |
| <p>2.</p> | <p><u>Planning applications</u></p> <p>16/0447/HHO Full: Demolition of conservatory to rear and erection of a single storey extension to side/rear with flat roofed dormers at 15 Pennine Way, Brierfield Deferred to allow for receipt of amended plans.</p> <p>16/0450/FUL Full: Change of use from post office (A1) to hot food takeaway (A5), formation of a self-contained flat at 1st floor and installation of a ventilation duct at 8 Colne Road, Brierfield Granted</p> | <p>Elsewhere on the agenda.</p> <p>Decision notice issued.</p> |
| <p>3.</p> | <p><u>Capital Programme 2016/17</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That funding of £250 towards repairs to a stone wall on Higher Reedley Road, Reedley be de-allocated and Returned to the Committee's capital programme.</p> | <p>Noted.</p> |

| | | |
|-----------|---|---|
| <p>4.</p> | <p><u>Street naming and numbering application: Development off Clitheroe Road and Veevers Street, Brierfield</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>(1) That the street to the north of the development (shown as Unnamed Street 1 on Appendix 1 to the report) be named Roshan Avenue.</p> <p>(2) That the street formerly known as Berkeley Street (shown as Unnamed Street 2 on Appendix 1 to the report) be named Akrigg Way.</p> | <p>Noted.</p> <p>Noted.</p> |
| <p>5.</p> | <p><u>Former Marsden Cross Inn</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That the former Marsden Cross Inn be added to the list of problem sites in Brierfield.</p> | <p>Added to the list of problem sites.</p> |
| <p>6.</p> | <p><u>Request for a post box on Veevers Street, Brierfield</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That Royal Mail be advised that this Committee does not agree to allocate funding of £500 for the provision of a post box on Veevers Street, Brierfield and therefore the request no longer be pursued.</p> | <p>Royal Mail informed.</p> |
| <p>7.</p> | <p><u>Brierfield Health Centre</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>(1) That the minutes be noted.</p> <p>(2) That representatives of East Lancashire Medical Services and East Lancashire Clinical Commissioning Group be asked to present an update to a further meeting in a few months' time.</p> | <p>Meeting to be arranged.</p> |
| <p>8.</p> | <p><u>Outstanding Items</u></p> <p>(a) Vacant Homes – breakdown and up-to-date status</p> <p>The Committee asked that this report be submitted to the November meeting.</p> | <p>Elsewhere on the agenda.</p> |