

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 6TH AUGUST, 2019

1. Public Question Time

 A volunteer from the Brierfield Children's Community Allotment, Rothesay Road, Brierfield reported problems with people accessing the site unlawfully and evidence of drug use being found. He asked if there was any funding available to help secure the site with fencing.

Sergeant Boast advised of Lancashire Partnership Against Crime (LANPAC) funding which the police could apply for on their behalf, but that match funding would be required.

Members agreed that this could be considered by the Committee on receipt of further details. Councillor M.R. Arshad also stated that his outstanding Community Investment Fund balance could be used for this purpose if required.

It was agreed that the volunteer would liaise with the police directly and the Committee would be advised of the details as appropriate.

 The same resident also asked if the large grassed area in front of 38 Rothesay Road, Brierfield could be considered for car parking.

It was understood that the land was owned by Together Housing. It was therefore agreed to forward this request to them.

No further details received as at 22nd August, 2019.

Letter sent to Together Housing.

2.	<u>Tree Preservation Order – TPO/NO1/2019 Reedley</u> <u>Grove</u>	
	RESOLVED	
	That consideration of this item be deferred for a site visit.	Elsewhere on the agenda.
3.	Brierfield Town Centre Premises Improvement Grants	
	RESOLVED	
	(1) That the applicant of 1-3 Colne Road, Brierfield be invited to attend the next meeting of the Committee.	Item elsewhere on the agenda.
	(2) That the report be resubmitted to the next meeting for further consideration.	
4.	Outstanding Items	
	The following item had been requested by the Committee. A report would be submitted to a future meeting.	
	(a) Back Humphrey Street, Brierfield – costings for works (02.07.19)	To be considered at a future meeting.