

Minutes of the 383rd meeting of Trafalgar Neighbourhood Council  
Held on 6th March 2017 at 7.30pm at Trafalgar Infants School, Horsham

- Present Mr Moore – Chairman, Mrs Harris, Mrs Thomas, Mr Dufton,  
Mrs McMillan – Clerk.
- 1 member of the public.
- 1/383/17 **Apologies for absence** – Mrs Little, Mr Davis and Mr Dennis.
- 2/383/17 **Minutes of the last meeting** - Minutes of the last meeting held on the 6<sup>th</sup> February 2017 having been previously circulated were approved. Proposed Mr Dufton and seconded by Mrs Harris.
- 3/383/17 **Matters arising**
- BLUEPRINT/Neighbourhood Plan**  
Mr Moore received a design brief from Horsham Society today.
- Coaches in Farm Avenue**  
The DVLA, WSCC and the Police are all now involved. The bus was parked on double yellow lines in Farm Avenue all night. Nobody seems to be able to stop Mr Miller.
- CIL**  
The report came out a week ago. The planning inspector has agreed that CIL will not be charged on large strategic sites. The plan will go to HDC on the 26<sup>th</sup> April and will most likely be adopted.
- Christmas lights**  
There have been some complaints about the lights on the silver birch trees in the fountain area – the lights are to be removed.
- Town Centre Vision**  
No update.
- Waste**  
Roy Cornell has decided not to meet with us. Mr Moore will write to the WSCT with our concerns.
- Football Pitch – Redford Avenue**  
Mr Dufton confirmed that Roffey Robins play on the site. He has had a conversation with Jim Barnes (Chairman) and explained what we were wanting to do. It was agreed to invite him to our next meeting.

**Planning application 89 North Parade**

Our objections are on the website.

**Irwin Drive – overgrown hedges**

A second letter has been sent.

**Victory Road – overgrown vegetation**

First letter has been sent.

The Albion Way cycling sign is being investigated.

Mrs Thomas has looked up the PCSO for the area and will ask for some patrols to be carried out in the area.

Café Nero have pulled out of the Friday night youth sessions due to lack of spending from the youths. The group will move to the Youth Centre in Hurst Road.

All agreed that the thermometer cards had been useful.

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**Questions from the public**

Cars are always parked on the double yellow lines outside the KFC holding up the traffic wanting to turn left at the lights. We will ask Mr Dennis to look into this.

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**Correspondence**

There were no items of correspondence to discuss.

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**Planning**

The Clerk outlined planning applications received since the last meeting.

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**Treasurers report**

We have a balance of £3,712.07.

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**Highways**

There were no new items to discuss.

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**Street furniture**

There were no items to discuss.

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**Reports from outside committees**

**HTCP**

The group are trying to get funding for another section of the Riverside Walk. This year's annual walk will take place on the 15<sup>th</sup> July.

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**AOB**

Boldings Brook group are concerned about the number of dog poo bags left on the ground and in the bushes down by the football pitch. HDC are looking into whether or not more bins are needed.

**Operation Watershed**

WSCC are always concerned about flooding and now have an online data tool to look at flooding in the area. There is a briefing at Lodge Hill on the 30<sup>th</sup> March. Please let Mr Moore know if you wish to attend.

**Relocation of the Post Office**

The work in WH Smiths is coming along well with quite a large area being converted. The aisles are still cluttered. The post box will remain in the Carfax and signs will show where the Post Office has moved to. No decision has yet been made about the war memorial.

**Defibrillator**

This should be installed on the pavilion by the 15<sup>th</sup> March.

**HALC**

Mrs Little will attend the meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> April on our behalf. The main focus will be Health and Wellbeing.

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**Date and time of next meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2017 at Trafalgar Infant School, Victory Road.

The meeting closed at 8.25pm

Planning applications

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| DC/17/0186 | 19 Irwin Drive – first floor extension   |
| DC/17/0209 | 61A Rushams Road – single storey rear extension  |
| DC/17/0217 | 1 Springfield Road – tree surgery to 2 horse chestnuts, 1 oak, 2 sycamore and 1 silver birch |
| DC/17/0229 | 12 Cedar Close – tree surgery, fell blue cedar and replace                                   |
| DC/17/0265 | 65 Merryfield Drive – demolition of existing conservatory and replace with new conservatory  |
| DC/17/0283 | 34 and 34A Springfield Crescent – main dwelling and annexe converted into a single dwelling  |

- DC/17/0300 82 Guildford Road – single storey rear extension and loft conversion
- DC/17/0304 33 Cootes Avenue – front entrance porch and single storey rear extension
- DC/17/0333 9 Irwin Drive – rear extension
- DC/17/0363 11 Greenway – 2 storey side and rear extension
- DC/17/0364 45 Rookwood Park – extension to the rear of detached garage, new gable roof over complete building with accommodation within the roof space