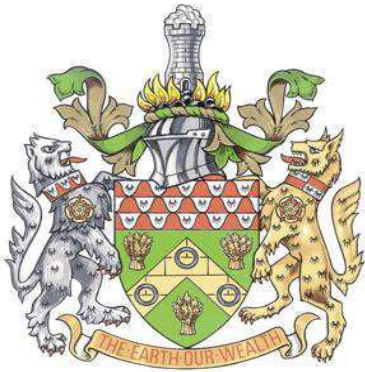




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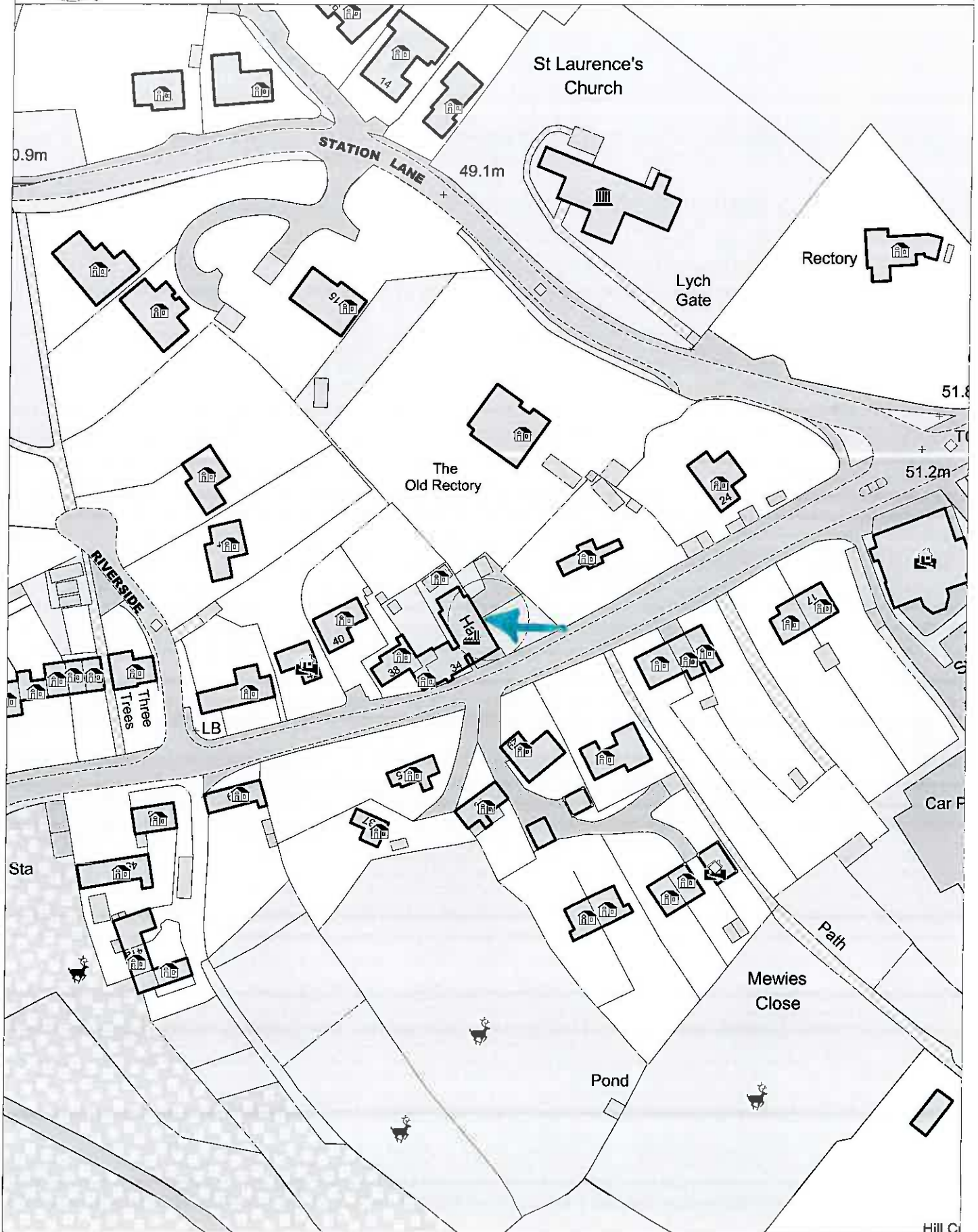
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COMMITTEE AND COUNCIL MEETINGS 2018/19

Committee	Day	Date
ANNUAL COUNCIL	Thursday	17.05.18
CIVIC COUNCIL	Thursday	24.05.18
Audit Sub-Committee: Special	Wednesday	30.05.18
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	31.05.18
Planning	Tuesday	05.06.18
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	07.06.18
Finance & Management	Thursday	14.06.18
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	20.06.18
Planning	Tuesday	26.06.18
COUNCIL	Thursday	28.06.18
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	11.07.18
Planning	Tuesday	17.07.18
Audit Sub-Committee (Special)	Wednesday	25.07.18
Finance and Management (Special)	Thursday	26.07.18
Planning	Tuesday	07.08.18
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	16.08.18
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	23.08.18
Finance & Management	Thursday	30.08.18
Planning	Tuesday	04.09.18
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	05.09.18
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	19.09.18
COUNCIL	Thursday	20.09.18
Planning	Tuesday	25.09.18
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	26.09.18
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	27.09.18
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	04.10.18
Finance & Management	Thursday	11.10.18
Planning	Tuesday	16.10.18
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	17.10.18
COUNCIL	Thursday	01.11.18
Planning	Tuesday	06.11.18
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	15.11.18
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	22.11.18
Planning	Tuesday	27.11.18
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	28.11.18
Finance & Management	Thursday	29.11.18
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	12.12.18
Planning	Tuesday	18.12.18
Environmental & Development Services (Special - Budget)	Thursday	03.01.19
Housing & Community Services (Special – Budget)	Tuesday	08.01.19
Etwall JMC	Wednesday	09.01.19
Finance & Management (Special – Budget)	Thursday	10.01.19
Planning	Tuesday	15.01.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	16.01.19
COUNCIL	Thursday	17.01.19

COMMITTEE AND COUNCIL MEETINGS 2018/19

Environmental & Development Services	Thursday	24.01.19
Housing & Community Services	Thursday	31.01.19
Planning	Tuesday	05.02.19
Audit Sub-Committee	Wednesday	13.02.19
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday	13.02.19
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Planning	Tuesday	26.02.19
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SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM LINTON

(Covering Castle Gresley, Catton, Cauldwell, Coton-in-the-Elms, Drakelow, Linton, Lullington, Netherseal, Overseal, Rosliston and Walton-on-Trent)

Meeting to be held at:
Walton Village Hall
Main Street
Walton on Trent
DE12 8LZ
on Wednesday, June 13th, 2018
at 6.30pm.

Members:

District Councillors: Councillors Pat Murray (Chairman), John Grant, Beth Hall and Bob Wheeler.

County Councillors: Councillor Pat Murray.

BUSINESS

1. (a) Introductions and apologies for absence
(b) Chair's announcements
(c) Declarations of interest
(d) To receive the minutes of the last meeting
2. Safer Neighbourhood report (Police / Safer South Derbyshire Partnership) and Police Q&A
3. Communities update and Safer and Stronger Neighbourhood grants
4. Local authority issues and public questions
5. Open discussion / presentation on local community issue
- Rosliston Astronomy Group (TBC)
6. Summary of agreed priorities / actions
7. Close and date of next meeting

Future meeting dates
Thursday, October 18th
Wednesday, January 30th, 2019

AREA 6 – LINTON AREA SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP

Present	Date of Meeting	Venue
<p>Carol Wright (Chair), PC Paul Russell, PCSO Dave McMillan (Derbyshire Police), Claire Rawlins (Safer South Derbyshire).</p> <p>Katy Fieldhouse, Councillor Beth Hall, Mandy Hodson-Walker, Rob Hodson-Walker, Councillor Pat Murray, Janice Pallett, Oliver Pallett, John Powell, Councillor Bob Wheeler, Brian Wilson, Gwen Wilson.</p> <p>Also present: Tom Sloan (Clerk),</p>	<p>Tuesday, February 13, 2018</p>	<p>Coton in the Elms Community Centre</p>

1	Chair's Introduction. Apologies	Action
	<p>Claire Bradford, Karen Bradford, Mary Horne, Sheila Jackson, Alan Lees, Stephanie Marbrow, Jane Summers.</p>	
2	Minutes of last meeting (to be agreed)	Action
	<p>The minutes were approved as a true and correct record.</p>	
3	Safer Neighbourhoods Sergeant's Overview / Priorities Update	Action
	<p>PCSO Dave McMillan updated the meeting that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In November, 34 crimes were recorded, including 10 dwelling or non-dwelling burglaries. • In December, 23 crimes were recorded, including nine dwelling or non-dwelling burglaries. • In January, 15 crimes were recorded, including five dwelling or non-dwelling burglaries. <p>The non-dwelling burglaries had predominantly taken place on farms and involved tools or fuel. One farm had been hit three times in three months.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two drug warrants had been executed in Castle Gresley, one at Oak Close and one at Linton Road. Two men had been arrested and were awaiting court appearances. • A bike marking exercise had taken place at Linton School. • An operation had taken place on the A444 in conjunction with the CREST team to target drivers using mobile phones, not wearing a seat belt and committing other offences. Two motorists were caught driving without insurance. <p>PCSO McMillan had also been seconded to Swadlincote town centre to tackle a rise in ASB and Ilkeston to help with a serious sexual assault.</p>	

4	Partnership Update/ Funding/ New Project Ideas	
	<p>Claire Rawlins reported that the Area 6 group still had £1,500 of funding left for 2017-18 to contribute towards projects combating ASB, crime and disorder. An example of projects which would be funded were CCTV systems and security measures for village halls. Anyone with a potential scheme should contact SDDC Community Safety Manager Chris Smith.</p> <p>Theatre in Education sessions to tackle child sexual exploitation were going into every secondary school in South Derbyshire. They would advise on how to stay safe online and avoid grooming</p> <p>The partnership had contributed £4,000 towards a new mobile ANPR (automatic number plate recognition) camera for a police vehicle at Swadlincote. It would be helpful in tackling issues such as cloned number plates.</p> <p>Regarding ASB, two groups of young people were causing problems at various locations in Swadlincote town centre. McDonald's, in Belmont Street, and the Hepworth retail park were particularly affected. Measures including Community Protection Notice warnings were among the measures taken against the young people responsible.</p>	
5	Local Issues – open forum (20 minutes)	
	<p>A resident asked what progress PC Paul Russell had made with farmers in the district. A JCB had been stolen in Netherseal and used in a raid on an ATM in Stapenhill. It was the third such incident in Burton and South Derbyshire. PC Russell replied that it wasn't just a local issue. Nationally, farms had that sort of machinery on site and historically they had been used to ram cash points. Farms – and building sites – did not traditionally have the best security measures either. Heavy plant used to have shared keys, but the manufacturers had upped security in recent years. PC Russell added that farmers had set up a Facebook group to keep everyone abreast of incidents. He had also been involved in target hardening, trying to improve security lighting and CCTV coverage. A network of communications had grown a lot in a short time and farmers were increasingly willing to report incidents which had taken place.</p> <p>PC Russell said he'd had a long career in other areas of policing and returned to uniform two years previously. He realised there was a gap in rural policing and he got the support of his Inspector and the Police & Crime Commissioner and there was now an increase in staff locally. In the north of the county there was a Sergeant and five staff and the team was enjoying significant success. He was due to have a meeting with the team and PCC Hardyal Dhindsa to discuss the future of rural policing in the county.</p> <p>Councillor Pat Murray asked if farms had stopped using Smart Water. PC Russell replied that it was still available and had been promoted in the past by Farm Watch but there were other property marking schemes now available.</p> <p>Councillor Murray thanked police and council officers for tackling the issue of a traveller in Overseal who caused a raft of problems for residents. It had taken time, but there was a satisfying result of a conviction and a Criminal Behaviour Order for the perpetrator. It showed there was a law and it worked. Furthermore, he wasn't sure how one resident had coped with the level of harassment she</p>	

	<p>experienced.</p> <p>Councillor Beth Hall asked what the police view was on a mobile phone held in a cradle being used as a sat nav? PCSO McMillan replied that officers were looking for people holding and using mobile phones. PC Russell added that the main issue was the driver being in control of a moving vehicle. If someone wasn't programming the phone, then it wasn't a problem. If a driver was following instructions then that was fine. However, if someone was texting with a phone in a cradle then it was a problem.</p> <p>A resident said that the camera van was needed more often in Hillside Road, Linton, due to the high number of speeding vehicles. A Community Speed Watch in the village had been dropped due to a lack of volunteers but when it operated one driver was clocked doing 70mph in what was a 30mph limit.</p> <p>A member of the public complained about car engines being revved up in Ryder Close, Castle Gresley for hours at a time. PCSO McMillan replied that officers were aware of the problem.</p> <p>A resident asked if police could provide a presence at Linton Primary School due to parking issues with parents. Another resident added that PCSO McMillan had been active in Linton in the past and parents were parking as far away from the school as Winchester Drive. PC Russell replied that such problems existed outside every school. People should contact the civil enforcement team as complaints would help to get action taken.</p>	
6	Agreed Priorities	
	<p>No priorities were agreed. PCSO McMillan added that there weren't the ASB problems in Area 6 that there were in other areas.</p> <p>Councillor Murray said he wanted to see a mobile camera van on the A444 as a priority. It was explained that the meeting couldn't set this priority as it was a CREST issue.</p>	
7	Date of next meeting	
	The date and location of the next meeting would be announced in due course.	

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Websites / Social Media

Derbyshire Police - www.derbyshire.police.uk
Area 6 Police are on Twitter [www.twitter.com @SwadRuralSNT](https://www.twitter.com/SwadRuralSNT)
Crime Statistics for your area - www.police.uk
Safer South Derbyshire Partnership www.south-derbys.gov.uk/ssdp
Safer SDP Facebook Page - www.facebook.com - search - Safer South Derbyshire
Partnership
SDDC Environmental Health Facebook www.facebook.com/southderbys

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM

LINTON

Tuesday, February 13th, 2018 at Coton in the Elms Community Centre

PRESENT:-

District Council Representatives

Councillor Pat Murray (Chair), Councillor John Grant, Councillor Mrs Beth Hall, Councillor Bob Wheeler.

Frank McArdle – Chief Executive.
Tom Sloan – Clerk.

Derbyshire County Council Representatives

Councillor Pat Murray.

Parish Council / Meeting Representatives

John Coxon (Walton Parish Council), Philip McGibbon (Netherseal Parish Council), Janice Pallett (Castle Gresley Parish Council), Ollie Pallett (Castle Gresley Parish Council), John Powell (Linton Parish Council), Carol Wright (Castle Gresley Parish Council).

Members of the Public

Chris Beebee, Jane Beebee, Tim Bidder, Rob Deakin, Helen Kreft (Burton Mail), Rob Talbot, Brian Wilson, Gwen Wilson

LA/19 **Apologies**

Claire Bradford, Karen Bradford, Sheila Jackson, Alan Lees, Stephanie Marbrow, Jane Summers.

LA/20 **Declarations of interest**

None.

LA/21 **Chairman's announcements**

None.

LA/22 **The minutes of the meeting held on October 25, 2017**

The minutes were approved as a true and correct record.

LA/23 **Report back on issues raised at the last meeting**

Nothing to be added to report contained in agenda pack.

LA/24 **Public questions on issues raised by residents**

A resident asked when it would be Netherseal's turn to have potholes in roads mended. Drivers were forced into the middle of the road between the village and Acresford, causing clear danger to all road users. Councillor Pat Murray replied that Derbyshire County Council had a repair team operating in South Derbyshire and they had been repairing the road at Cadley Hill, among other locations. The cold spell this winter had caused a lot of potholes to emerge, especially at the side of roads without kerbs such as the one the resident mentioned.

ACTION: Tom Sloan to report potholes to Derbyshire County Council and provide a report back

A resident reported dangerous speeding between Ladsgrave Cottage and Coton, with cars only slowing down once they reached the church. There would be a lot of traffic using the narrow lane when a planned road closure took place in Rosliston. He foresaw big problems and was considering parking his car in the road to slow traffic down.

ACTION: Councillor Pat Murray to report back on traffic problems at the location

A member of the public said that, as a horse rider, she was terrified every time she rode on a road in the area. There was a lack of bridleways in the area and increasing speed on the roads made the experience unpleasant. Councillor Murray said that greater courtesy was needed on the roads. The resident asked if there were any plans to extend bridleways. Frank McArdle replied that, to his knowledge, there were no such plans – but bridleways were a DCC responsibility.

A resident said that an S-gate on the footpath at Walton bridge to prevent motorbikes and push bikes from using it had been discussed at the previous meeting. In the report back, DCC had rejected the request. What was the situation? Councillor Murray replied that a DCC officer had been out to the site and, contrary to the report back, something was planned and he would raise it the next time he visited County Hall.

A Netherseal resident asked what was happening with missing HGV signage in Gorse Lane. Councillor Murray replied that he had no report to give, but DCC Highways officer Richard Handbury was aware. A sign which had been broken in half had been replaced and he understood that other signs were due to be replaced by the end of February.

A resident of Drakelow Park estate asked for the 40mph limit outside the entrance to be reduced to 30mph in light of the new housing development.

ACTION: Tom Sloan to report request to Derbyshire County Council

A resident said that a sign in Coton Park alerting drivers to a bridge was damaged before Christmas. Councillor Murray replied that he believed the sign had now been repaired.

LA/25 **County council issues**

None.

LA/26 **District council issues**

Mr McArdle gave a budget presentation for SDDC. Reserves were healthy and the budget was balanced for 2017-18 and 2018-19. Income was being generated from growth and would be invested in extra services, including an extra refuse round. A deficit was predicted for 2019-20, so SDDC was still looking for savings and efficiencies. It was Mr McArdle's job to structure his organisation according to need and not want. However, compared to other authorities in the country, SDDC was in a reasonable position. Reserves were forecast to remain above the minimum level for the next five years.

A pilot scheme where authorities in Derbyshire would retain 100% of their Business Rates would be undertaken. Local authorities were no longer able to rely on the Government grant, which was being phased out, in order to stay afloat. They would have to rely on the Rates they generated from Council Tax, Business Rates and the New Homes Bonus.

SDDC was also determined to sweat its assets and get value for its land.

A provisional increase of 1.95% in the Council Tax for 2018-19 was proposed, 1% below the Government limit. The proposal would go to Full Council on February 26. It was important to note that SDDC took just 11% of the total bill on an average Band D property.

It had also been proposed that grants to voluntary bodies would go up by 2% and a proposal that £250,000 to be allocated for a Community Partnership Scheme would also be put before Full Council.

Councillor Bob Wheeler asked if any progress had been made on the Walton bypass and new bridge over the River Trent. Mr McArdle replied that he had not been given consent by a potential developer to release information, but he was aware of a firm bidder who did not rely on outside funding. He was as confident as he had ever been that the bid on the table would be the one which would get the bridge built.

A resident stated that Bank House (South Derbyshire Mental Health Association) had been threatened with closure. Was it eligible for the new funding stream? Mr McArdle replied that a new grant had been secured by Bank House and he was delighted for them.

Councillor Murray said that police and SDDC officers had been very successful in dealing with a problem resident in Woodville Road, Overseal. He thanked them for their efforts on behalf of residents. Mr McArdle added that it was always difficult using civil law against a criminal. The result was someone who had not only been to prison but had also been hit with a hefty fine.

LA/27 **Date of next meeting**

The date of the next meeting would be advised in due course.

**Councillor Pat Murray
Chair**

The meeting terminated at 8.03pm.

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Wednesday, June 13th, 2018

REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING

At the last Linton Area Forum held on February 12th, 2018, at Coton in the Elms Community Centre, the following issues were raised and a progress report is provided.

Derbyshire County Council issues:

1. Potholes at Netherseal

A resident asked when it would be Netherseal's turn to have potholes in roads mended. The cold spell this winter had caused a lot of potholes to emerge, especially at the side of roads without kerbs such as the one the resident mentioned.

ACTION: Tom Sloan to report potholes to Derbyshire County Council and provide a report back

Derbyshire County Council reported on May 15th that the road had been fully repaired.

Tom Sloan
Service Assistant
South Derbyshire District Council

2. Speeding between Ladsgrave Cottage and Coton

A resident reported dangerous speeding between Ladsgrave Cottage and Coton, with cars only slowing down once they reached the church.

ACTION: Councillor Pat Murray to report back on traffic problems at the location

Councillor Murray to give a verbal update to the meeting

3. Speed limit at Drakelow Park estate

A resident of Drakelow Park estate asked for the 40mph limit outside the entrance to be reduced to 30mph in light of the new housing

development.

ACTION: Tom Sloan to report request to Derbyshire County Council

We would not be looking to reduce the speed limit as the current characteristics do not meet the Department for Transport criteria and the current speed limit is realistic for the amount of fronting development. We have checked the collision data for the last three years and there are no records to suggest that there is a safety issue, nor issues with regards to speeding. This suggests that the current engineering measures on site are working effectively. To date we have not received any communications or requests from the developers to reduce the speed limit.

Drakelow Developments Limited, as part of a £4.2m investment, are planning:

- **Widening Walton Road**
- **Realigning Rosliston Road South over the railway bridge**
- **£500k local bus service**
- **Diversion of 300 HGVs per day from Stapenhill**
- **Improvements to Caldwell Lane, Barton Turns and Branston interchange**

They will also be carrying out traffic counts and surveys throughout the works until the planned completion date of 2025. Any necessary changes to the highway network which are identified as a result of these surveys will be made accordingly.

For your information there is a Community Liaison Group which meets annually. For details of its next meeting you would need to contact your local parish council.

We trust that the above information proves useful.

**Traffic and Safety Team
Derbyshire County Council**