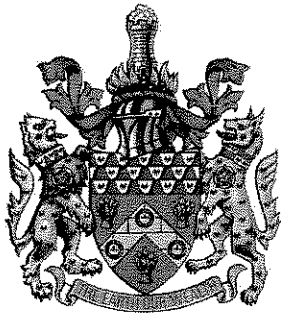


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## Etwall

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31<sup>st</sup> January 2011

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# Findern Methodist Chapel



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## FORTHCOMING MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL

Unless stated otherwise, all meetings will be held at the Council's Civic Offices and will start at 6.00 p.m.

Repton Area Forum, Woodville Surestart Centre Blacksmiths Lane, Woodville, Swadlincote. DE11 7EF at 7.00 p.m.	Tuesday, 25th January 2011
Linton Area Forum, Coton in the Elms Community Centre at 7.00 p.m. DE12 8HD	Wednesday, 26th January 2011
Etwell Area Forum, Findern Methodist Chapel, Lower Green, Findern. DE65 6AD at 7.00 p.m.	Monday, 31st January 2011
Swadlincote Area Forum, Sharpe's Pottery, West Street, Swadlincote DE11 9DG at 7.00 p.m.	Tuesday, 1st February 2011
Newhall Area Forum, William Allitt School Newhall, Swadlincote DE11 0TL at 7.00 p.m.	Wednesday, 2nd February 2011
Housing & Community Services	Thursday, 3rd February 2011
Melbourne Area Forum, Weston-on-Trent Village Hall Main Street, Weston-on-Trent. DE72 2BL at 7.00 p.m.	Monday, 7th February 2011
Planning	Tuesday, 8th February 2011
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday, 9th February 2011
Finance & Management	Tuesday, 15th February 2011
Audit Sub at 4.00 p.m.	Wednesday, 23rd February 2011
<b>COUNCIL</b>	Monday, 28th February 2011
Planning	Tuesday, 1st March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 1: North West at Church Broughton Primary School at 6.30 p.m.	Wednesday, 2nd March 2011
Environmental & Development Services	Thursday, 3rd March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 6: South at Netherseal Village Hall at 6.30 p.m.	Monday, 7th March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 3: North East at Shardlow Village Hall at 7.00 p.m.	Wednesday, 9th March 2011
Housing & Community Services	Thursday, 10th March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 2: Mercia at Repton Village Hall at 6.30 p.m.	Monday, 14th March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 4: Central at Goseley Community Centre at 6.30 p.m.	Tuesday, 15th March 2011
Safer Neighbourhood Meeting Area 5: Newhall and Midway at The Old Post Centre, Newhall at 6.30 p.m.	Wednesday, 16th March 2011
Finance & Management	Thursday, 17th March 2011
Overview & Scrutiny	Wednesday, 23rd March 2011
Planning	Tuesday, 29th March 2011
Audit Sub at 4.00 p.m.	Wednesday, 6th April 2011
Standards	Tuesday, 12th April 2011

# SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM ETWALL**

(Covering Hatton, Hilton, Church Broughton, Burnaston, Dalbury Lees, Egginton, Etwall, Findern, Foston & Scropton, Barton Blount, Hoon, Marston-on-Dove, Osleston & Thurvaston, Radbourne, Sutton and Trusley)

**Meeting to be held at the  
Findern Methodist Chapel  
Lower Green  
Findern**

**on Monday 31st January 2011  
at 7.00 p.m.**

**(Light Refreshments will be available at 6.30 p.m.)**

### Members:

District Councillors: Councillor Lemmon (Chairman), Councillor Mrs. Plenderleith (Vice-Chairman) and Councillors Bale, Mrs. Brown, Ford, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. Patten and Roberts.

County Councillors: Councillors Ford and Mrs. Patten.

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## **BUSINESS**

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. Police issues.
4. Chairman's Announcements.
5. To note the Minutes of the Meeting held on 28th October 2010 (copy attached).
6. Report back on issues raised at the last Meeting.
7. Public questions on issues raised by residents.
8. County Council issues – Presentation on Children's Centres.
9. District Council issues –
  - a) 2011/12 Budget.
  - b) Report on flooding measures.
10. Date of Next Meeting.



SOUTH DERBYSHIRE AREA FORUM

ETWALL

28th October 2010

**PRESENT:-**

**District Council Representatives**

Councillor Lemmon (Chairman) and Councillors Bale, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. Patten and Wheeler.

J. Jones (Director of Corporate Services), P. Spencer (Democratic Services), K. Bull (Communications), V. Patel, (Northgate) and K. Ward (Helpdesk).

**Derbyshire County Council Representatives**

Councillor Mrs. Patten.

P. Jameson (Forum Liaison Officer).

**Derbyshire Constabulary**

Sergeant A. Sutherland.

**Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Service**

B. Bennett and T. Sherwin.

**Parish Council/Meeting Representatives**

K. Cresswell and D. Muller (Etwall Parish Council), L. Nash (Findern Parish Council), T. Beresford (Foston and Scropton Parish Council) and J. Bates and B. Walton-Knight (Hilton Parish Council).

**Members of the Public**

F. Hood, J. Orme, V. Stewart, G. Wale and V. Walton-Knight.

**APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence from the Meeting were received from District Councillors Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Plenderleith (Vice-Chairman), Roberts and Mrs. Wheeler, M.P., from District and County Councillor Ford and from B. Payton, J. Clarke, A. Gifford, N. Ireland and I. Smith.

EA/9. **POLICE ISSUES**

Sergeant Sutherland gave an update on crime statistics for the area, for the period July to September 2010. When compared to the same period in 2009, there had been an overall reduction in crime levels of 3%. Specific reports were given on burglary, robbery, vehicle crime and anti-social behaviour. The

Officer explained an incident in Etwall recently, with an attempted robbery and witnesses were sought. He also referred to problems with “nuisance youths” in the Village on Friday evenings and explained the action the Constabulary had taken to respond to this issue. An update was given on the Safer Neighbourhood priorities for the area and the Next Safer Neighbourhood Meeting would take place on Monday, 29th November 2010 at 6.30 p.m. at the Hilton Village Hall.

A Hilton resident complained about the condition of the recycling centre in the village. The Clean Team was called to tidy the site on two or three occasions each week and there was concern about the fly tipping taking place. This was a joint matter for the Constabulary and the District Council. It was noted that there was covert CCTV equipment used at this site, but the concerns and would be investigated.

Further discussion took place about the problems caused by young people congregating in Etwall on Friday evenings. A particular concern was criminal damage that had recently taken place.

A District Councillor reported an incident in the north-western parishes, where a farm animal had been shot with a crossbow. The Sergeant responded that there had been no similar incidents elsewhere and there was little likelihood of a witness coming forward, due to the isolated nature of the location involved.

EA/10. **DERBYSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE – SERVICE PLAN CONSULTATION**

A presentation was made by Trevor Sherwin on the Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Service Plan for the period 2011-2014. Information had been circulated for residents to read and feedback was sought through a questionnaire contained in the document. Mr. Sherwin explained how the role of the service had been expanded in recent years. He drew residents’ attention to the Fire and Rescue Service’s vision and a diagram, which gave information on the Fire Authority’s expenditure and funding sources. The document included the proposals for effective service delivery.

A question was submitted about plans for a regional call centre for the Service, based at Castle Donington. The Officer provided further information on this project, which came from a Government directive. It was still planned to continue the rollout of regional call centres across the country. A question was also submitted on the payments made to Members of the Fire Authority to which a response was provided. Representatives of the Fire Service were thanked for the presentation.

EA/11. **CHAIRMAN’S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

It was reported that the Communications Team had circulated a questionnaire, which sought public feedback on the services the District Council provided. Residents were asked to either complete the questionnaire and leave it on the helpdesk after the Meeting, or to return it in the freepost envelope supplied.



The Chairman also referred to the Boundary Committee Review of South Derbyshire. The Boundary Committee had recently publicised its findings and South Derbyshire would continue to be represented by 36 Members, but with different warding arrangements. He explained how the process would be completed in time for the District Council elections in May 2011. It was questioned whether this would lead to a review of the Area Forum boundaries. A Foston representative voiced concerns about the impact of the review for the north-western areas for the District.

EA/12. **MINUTES**

The Minutes of the Etwall Area Forum held on 22nd July 2010 were noted.

EA/13. **REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING**

A report had been circulated, which gave an update on the issues raised at the previous meeting. A verbal update was provided on the letter received from Network Rail in response to concerns about overgrown vegetation on its land in Findern. This would be made available to Findern representatives after the Meeting.

There was discussion about the proposed introduction of car parking charges at Willington by Derbyshire County Council. Strong objections had been submitted by the District Council and local County Councillors. All the representations submitted, including a petition with 244 signatures would be considered by the County Council's Cabinet. A further report would be provided to a future Area Forum. An update was also given by a Willington resident with regard to the proposed Health Centre in the Village.

EA/14. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON ISSUES RAISED BY RESIDENTS**

A Willington resident advised that the following week was National Flood Risk Awareness Week. A statement was sought on how flood defences had been developed over the ten years since the last serious flooding problems and the proposals for the next ten years. Reference was made to the six-monthly Flood Liaison Meetings, which parish representatives were invited to attend. It was noted that only one parish representative had attended the previous Flood Liaison Meeting and attendance was encouraged. **It was agreed to request information about proposed flood defence measures and to submit this to the next Area Forum Meeting.**

EA/15. **COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUES**

It was reported that a presentation would be provided to the next Area Forum on Children's Centres. The Forum Liaison Officer also publicised the Kilomathon Road Race, which would take place in 2011 and would pass through Findern.

EA/16. **DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUES**

Details were sought of the date of the next Parish Liaison Meeting and it was explained why this had been delayed. It was requested that where possible,

the venues used for Area Forums have a hearing loop system in place. An update was also sought about the Joint Highway Forum Meetings. Derbyshire County Council had been contacted with a view to a Meeting being arranged and the Forum Liaison Officer agreed to pursue this.

EA/17. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next Etwall Area Forum would be held on Monday, 31st January 2011 and details of the venue would be confirmed in due course.

J. LEMMON

CHAIRMAN

The Meeting terminated at 8:00 p.m.

## **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

### **ETWALL AREA FORUM**

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31st January 2011

### **REPORT BACK ON ISSUES RAISED AT THE LAST MEETING**

At the last Etwall Area Forum held on 28th October 2010, at the Frank Wickham Hall, Etwall the following issues were raised. The issues are listed below, together with progress made to date:-

#### **DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ISSUE**

#### **THE GREEN, WILLINGTON – PROPOSED CAR PARK CHARGING**

It was queried whether a decision had yet been made on DCC's proposal to introduce off-street parking charges on the car park.

DCC Liaison Officer advised that the public consultation on the proposed off-street parking order had ended on 30 September. The responses to the consultation would need to be collated and a report submitted to the Cabinet Member for a decision. The Liaison Officer informed the Area Forum that a 224-name petition had also been submitted in objection to the proposal, which had been received by the Cabinet Member at his meeting on 29 July.

A report regarding the proposed legal orders for pay & display at countryside car parks was submitted to the Cabinet Meeting on 16 November 2010. The report acknowledged that the car park at Willington does act as the village and station car park, even though it was not provided for such purposes. Given the special nature of this car park, further consideration is being given to future options and a further report on the options will be prepared for a future meeting of the Cabinet. A copy of the Cabinet report can be viewed on DCC's website via the following link:

[http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/images/Pay%20and%20Display\\_tcm9-151489.pdf](http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/images/Pay%20and%20Display_tcm9-151489.pdf)

#### **SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL ISSUE**

At the last meeting, a question was submitted about flood defence improvements made over the previous ten years and the proposals for the next ten years. It was agreed to provide information and a report is submitted as part of Agenda Item 9, under District Council Issues.

### Flood Defence Schemes in South Derbyshire

Scropton - raising of the flood bank at the Foston brook carried out by the Environment Agency in 2000/01 at a cost of £5000 to protect 5 properties and highway

Hatton - Scropton Old Road / Doveside – New flood banks constructed by the Environment Agency in 2002/03 at a cost of £350,000 to protect 45 properties from River Dove

Repton conveyance improvements to River Trent by the Environment Agency in 2002 at a cost of £26,000

Egginton River Dove at Monks Bridge - channel realignment/conveyance improvements carried out by Environment Agency in 2002/03 and 2007/08 at a cost of £10,000

Marston on Dove - works to penstocks on River Dove by Environment Agency in 2003/04 at a cost of £50,000

Scropton - improvements to ring flood banks at River Dove/Foston Brook by Environment Agency in 2004/05 at a cost of £72,000

Hatton - Salt Brook widening regrading and culvert replacement to 1.5 kilometre length of watercourse by SDDC in 2005 at a grant aided cost of £550,000 to protect 80 houses from a recurrence of November 2000 flooding.

Hilton - Mill Lane Outfall improvement Works by Environment Agency in 2005 at a cost of £3000

Willington - Ferry Gardens construction of flood bank by Environment Agency in 2005 at a cost of £60,000 in 2005

Hatton - Salt Brook outfall to River Dove – construction of flow control structure by Environment Agency at a cost of £50,000

Shardlow - flood bank repairs at Chamberlains Farm, Shardlow Marina, Wilne Lane, Moor Farm, Great Wilne, Draycott Bank and Ambaston Flood Bank by the Environment Agency at a cost of £430,000 in 2006/07

Hilton - desilting works to flood relief channel by the Environment Agency at a cost of £10,000 in 2007

Shardlow - investigation works to dyke by the Environment Agency at a cost of £10,000 in 2008

Hilton - Thames Way construction of flood retention tanks by SDDC in 2009 at a cost of £11,000

Swadlincote - Midway Fishponds rebuilding of banks and overflow channel by SDDC in 2009 at a cost of £120,000

Planning for the future the Environment Agency have a 'Lower River Dove Flood Risk Management Strategy' a 'Lower Derwent Flood Risk Management Strategy' and a 'River Trent Strategy'. These documents will identify potential defence works and are of great importance to South Derbyshire communities affected by flooding from those rivers. Improvements to flood defences have been identified for the lower River Dove and it is hoped that these will be constructed within the next ten years.

The Environment Agency carry out most flood defence schemes within South Derbyshire as they are responsible for main rivers.

As Land Drainage Authority SDDC carry out regular planned and ad-hoc maintenance and inspections, within budget constraints, to all other watercourses that are known to cause flooding problems, these include –

Scropton Watery Lane watercourse and Leavesley Lane overflow culvert, Hatton Salt Brook, Sutton Lane to Marston watercourse, Egginton watercourses, Willington Ivy Close watercourse and Sands Brook, Barrow on Trent watercourse tributarys to River Trent, Aston on Trent culverted watercourses, Boulton Moor watercourses, Melbourne watercourses, Ticknall watercourses, Hartshorne watercourses, Swadlincote Darklands Brook and its Newhall and Midway tributarys, Castle Gresley watercourse, Linton watercourse, Rosliston watercourses, Coton in the Elms watercourses.

The Willington Reservoir flood defence is also regularly inspected and maintained.

SDDC also work with individual householders to reduce the risk of flooding to their properties often by means of minor flood defence works.