

MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY ORDER & PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD AT 8.00PM ON MONDAY 26TH APRIL 2021 VIA MS TEAMS

PRESENT

Chairman: Cllr Mrs N Wylie

Cllrs: P Bailey, Mrs J Sewart, Ms H Whitaker

Also in attendance: Sgt Percival and Will McKeller Citizens Advice

Officers in attendance: H Barlow (Town Clerk), K McDowell (Deputy Town Clerk), S Duke (Communities Co-ordinator) and G Thurgoland (CCSO Supervisor)

The Chair proposed that item 11 is moved immediately after item 4.

RESOLVED: That item 11 will be taken after item 4.

54. Anyone attending or present at the Committee meeting declares that they are making, or intend to make, an audio recording and/or film the meeting

The shorthand assistant confirmed that the meeting is recorded for the purposes of minute taking and the recording is deleted when the draft minutes are approved.

There were no other declarations of a recording of the meeting.

55. Questions from members of the public

There were no questions from members of the public

56. Apologies for absence

Cllrs D Belcher, M Blackie, Mrs S J Gilmore and T Swatridge, Cllr K Woolley.

57. Declarations of disclosable pecuniary or other interests

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary or other interests.

58. Receive and consider the grant application on behalf of the Heritage Garden Fund

It was noted that the £300 is already in the budget. Di Penny confirmed that the money was used for the spring and autumn planting in the main as well as soil improvement. The Group also have a community orchard project that they are developing and they have planted trees near the allotments, Brecon Park, Glastonbury play area and the junction of Middlewood and Coppice Roads.

RESOLVED: That the grant of £300 to the Heritage Garden Group is approved (NC)

59. Approve as an accurate record of the minutes of the previous meeting of the Community, Order & Public Safety (COPS) Committee meeting held on 18th January 2021.

RESOLVED: That the record of the minutes of the previous meeting of the Community, Order & Public Safety (COPS) Committee meeting held on 18th January 2021 was approved as an accurate record

60. Receive and consider the action log for 2020-2021 for the COPS Committee.

Members reviewed the action log for 2020-2021 for the COPS Committee

RESOLVED: That the action log for 2020-2021 for the COPS Committee was received (NC)

61 To note the following SO51 decisions:

a) To award Golden Memories a grant and to place any unspent monies into an earmarked reserve for the purchase of laptops for school if required.

b) To accept the grant of £5,000 offered by Cheshire East to the Town Council as a Volunteer Co-ordination Point

RESOLVED: That the actions taken under SO51 are noted (NC)

61. Receive a verbal update from the Macclesfield North and Poynton Beat Management Police Team.

Sergent Percival provided the following information:

- ASB incidents - 55 (64 previous period). The majority are reports of breach of covid.
- Burglary- 11 (8 previous period). Three of these were sheds/garages.
- There was an incident on Chester Road where there was an attempted burglary where the locks were burnt. Of note there was another incident on the same night further down Chester Road
- Commercial Burglary- 0 (1 previous period)
- Theft of Motor vehicle- 0 (0 previous period)
- Theft from motor vehicle- 0 (6 previous period)
- Theft other- 7 (7 previous period). A number of thefts of scrap metal
- Drugs- 2 (11 previous period)
- Criminal damage -13 (21 previous period)

SID DATA

Date from	Date to	Location	No vehicles	Av speed	Max speed	% over speed limit	85% mph
21/11/20	7/2/21	London Rd North	28436	37.2	69 (5pm)	21	41.2

		(40 mph)					
7/2/21	30/3/21	Coppice Road	46114	27.1	70 (1pm)	29.2	32.5

TruCam:

209 activations (201 activations in the previous period)

TruCam Data

- 22/01/21 – London Road South – 15:15-16:15 – 12 vehicles highest 49mph
- 26/01/21 – Dickens Lane – 09:30-10:30 – 0 activations
- 02/02/21 – Chester Road – 15:00-16:00 – 8 vehicles. Highest 46mph
- 08/02/21 – London Road South – 08:15-09:15 – 0 activations (cold snowy conditions)
- 16/02/21 – London Road South – 08:25-09:25 – 0 activations
- 22/02/21 – Chester Road – 16:40-17:40 – 9 activations highest 40mph.
- 01/03/21 – London Road North – 08:05-09:05 – 38 activations highest 51mph.
- 20/03/21 – London Road South (Trucam Training)
- 22/03/21 – London Road North – 08:05-09:05 - 5 activations between 36-39mph
- 31/03/21 – Chester Road – 11:10-12:10 – 9 activations
- 10/04/21 – London Road South – (Trucam Training)
- 15/04/21 – London Road South – 17:40-18:40 – 18 activations highest 45mph
- 21/04/21 – London Road South – 10:50-11:50 – 11 activations. Highest 41mph

- 20/01/2021 – London Rd North – 22 Activations
- 01/02/2021 – Park Lane – 0 Activations
- 05/02/2021 – Park Lane – 0 Activations
- 10/02/2021 – London Rd North – 13 Activations
- 11/02/2021 – London Rd South – 5 Activations
- 02/03/2021 - London Rd North – 16 Activations.
- 08/03/2021 – London Rd South – 10 Activations.
- 14/03/2021 – Dickens Lane – 1 Activation.
- 18/03/2021 – London Rd North – 12 Activations.
- 24/03/2021 – London Rd North – 5 Activations.
- 10/04/2021 – London Rd North – 9 Activations.
- 14/04/2021 – London Rd North – 6 Activations.

RESOLVED: That the verbal update from the Macclesfield North and Poynton Beat Management Police Team was received (NC)

62. Receive and consider a report for Q3 from Citizen’s Advice North Cheshire

Members reviewed the reports for Q4 from the Citizen’s Advice North Cheshire service. Mr Will McKellar, Citizen’s Advice Manager, spoke on the reports. The return of the service to the Civic Hall in the near future was welcomed.

RESOLVED: That the report for Q4 from Citizen’s Advice North Cheshire was received (NC)

63. To receive and consider the grant application on behalf of PACP and consider releasing the funds earmarked from the prior year underspend of £1,250

The Clerk explained that there had been an underspend last year which would be earmarked for laptops. We have now had a request from PACP for funding to purchase additional laptops.

RESOLVED: That the application is received and approved and the earmarked funds from the prior year underspend of £1,250 are released

64. To receive and consider the CCTV report from Cheshire East and an update from Gary Thurgoland in relation to the purchase of a mobile CCTV camera

The cost of the mobile CCTV of £4,210 is noted together with the annual data cost of £680. The camera can be moved up to three times in any one year. Additional movements will cost £250. The movements of the camera are limited as it will need a power supply.

The Clerk explained that the COPS earmarked reserve could be used to purchase the CCTV camera

RESOLVED: That the report from Gary Thurgoland is received and the Committee agree to the purchase of the mobile CCTV camera.

65. Members reviewed the report for mid-January 2021 to mid-April 2021 from the Town Council's Community Support Team Supervisor, Gary Thurgoland. Gary Thurgoland spoke on the report

Members asked questions in relation to fly tipping and the action taken by the Rural Crime Policing Team

RESOLVED: That the report for mid-January 2021 to mid-April 2021 from the Town Council's Community Support Team Supervisor, Gary Thurgoland was received. (NC)

66. Receive and consider the report for mid-January 2021 to mid-April 2021 from the Town Council's Communities Coordinator, Sharon Duke.

Sharon Duke spoke on the report and highlighted the support given to the vaccination clinic. Business support through the Poynton for Business website was noted. The Communities Co-ordinator outlined the proposal for Poynton Together.

The Clerk set out the decisions required from the committee
Poynton Together

- That a meeting between stakeholders and groups to determine community needs in Poynton should take place
- The stakeholders as set out in the report should be invited to the meeting including uniform groups and primary schools.

- To email all councillors to ask if they wish to be appointed to the Poynton Together Group.

Volunteer Co-ordination Point

- Town Council staff explore volunteering opportunities with key stakeholders and organisations which fit with Poynton Town Council priorities, community priorities and outcomes from the Poynton Together proposal
- Staff provide a volunteer co-ordinator point roadmap to maximise the grant and bring this to the next COPS Committee meeting so that spending decisions can be taken.

The Clerk to email all councillors to ask if they wish to be appointed to the Poynton Together Group or work with Town Council staff on preparing a volunteer co-ordination point roadmap.

RESOLVED: That the report for mid-January 2021 to mid-April 2021 from the Town Council’s Communities Coordinator, Sharon Duke was received. The decisions as set out above were agreed (NC)

67. Consider and agree any communication messages arising from this meeting.

Members agreed the following communication messages arising from this meeting:

- Purchase of the mobile CCTV Camera
- Poynton Together and Volunteer Co-ordination point

RESOLVED: That the communication messages arising from the meeting as stated are approved (NC)

Meeting end time: 9.20pm

Chair.....

Dated.....