

THORPE WARD RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION EXTRACT OF MINUTES FROM MEETING DATED 13TH FEBRUARY 2017

The following matters were among those discussed at the meeting.

- **1.** TWRA welcomed Cllr. Furey and Mr D Hill of SCC who came to discuss selfclosing airbricks, the Thames Relief Scheme and Pavement Parking.
- **2.** Details were given regarding the need for council tax increases particularly with regard to Adult and Social Care.
- **3.** Discussions continue with regard to re-routing the Bourne River and reinstating the banks. We are still awaiting a response from the Environment Agency.
- **4.** Update on the new water main currently being laid along the A320 from Ottershaw was provided.
- **5.** Residents from Warwick Avenue raised their concerns regarding response from RBC Planning Department. One of our Councillors will follow up their concerns.
- **6.** Parking in the Fleetway and Gower continue to be a cause for concern during school term time and it was noted that the Headmistress is highlighting the issue in the school magazine.
- **7.** The Surrey County Council reported on his activities during the past month and gave the meeting details regarding the shortfall in funding from the Government, particularly in regard to Adult and Social Care.
- **8.** The month's planning applications were discussed.
- **9.** Plans are underway for the TWRA AGM, which is scheduled to be held on 3rd April in the Village Hall. Speakers from the Environment Agency are to attend to discuss the Thames Relief Scheme.
- **10.** An update was provided on the activities of the Penton Hook Landfill Restoration site.
- **11.** The Secretary provided a report on her activities during the past month.
- **12.** The Treasurer distributed his report prior to the meeting. The Accounts have been Audited and will be available at the AGM.
- **13.** The Thorpe Ward Councillors distributed their reports prior to the meeting.
- **14.** The web site continues to be updated regularly.
- **15.** An Oak Tree in Ten Acre Lane, which is blighted by red rot was reported. Action to be taken by the appropriate authority.