



London Borough of Waltham Forest

Walthamstow West Community Council

Agenda

Monday, 15 June 2009 at 7.30 p.m.

(refreshments served from 7.15pm.)

Venue: Walthamstow Academy, Billet Road, E17 5DP

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Community Forum:

Membership: All residents present from William Morris, High Street, Chapel End and Higham Hill wards.

Chair: Philip Herlihy

Vice Chair: Faisal Raja

Councillors:

Chair: Cllr Patrick Smith

Vice-Chair: Cllr Adam Gladstone

Chapel End Ward:

Bob Belam, Bob Carey, John Macklin

High Street Ward:

Liaquat Ali, Johar Khan, James O'Rourke

Higham Hill Ward:

Sean Meiszner, Patrick Smith (Councillor Chair), Peter Woolcott

William Morris Ward:

Adam Gladstone (Vice Councillor Chair), Geraldine Reardon, Bob Wheatley

Cabinet Champion:

Cllr Afzal Akram, Cabinet Portfolio Holder for Community Safety, Enforcement and Protection.



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Supplementary items for formal council business that require a decision may be added to the agenda at the Councillor Chair's discretion.

	Time (pm)	Mins	
1	7.30	15	Welcome and introductions. Philip Herlihy and Cllr Patrick Smith will welcome everyone to the meeting and introduce speakers and ward councillors
2			Apologies for absence / Meeting Conduct – Guidelines The Chair will take apologies for absence(s) and remind residents of the guidelines agreed at previous meetings
3			Declarations of interest. Members (including any co-opted members) are asked to declare any personal or prejudicial interests they may have in any matter that is to be considered at this meeting.
4			Minutes of the previous meeting. The meeting will be asked to agree the minutes of the previous meeting. <i>(Matters arising will be dealt with under agenda item number 8)</i>
5	7.45	5	Spend Funding 2009/10 A short presentation explaining how funds will be allocated and how to apply
		30	Funding suggestions Residents will be asked to discuss with ward councillors and other residents (at ward tables) their ideas for spending the Community Council funds
		5	A Councillor from each ward will be asked to feedback to the meeting the ideas for spending their ward budget
6	8.25	5	News Report
		10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A brief summary of the response sheet (the blue sheets) • News & Announcements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Current issues and developments from Council departments and Partner organisations - Contributions from residents (in advance) are welcomed and will be included at the discretion of the Chair
7	8.40	15	Transforming Schools in Waltham Forest A presentation on the proposals for Willowfield School, primary and secondary placements, Post-16 education, the proposal for a new school in the Borough and discussion on the standards and organisation of education in the Borough.
8	8.55	30	Community Forum – This agenda item will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Community Chair leads a session of community discussion. • An opportunity for residents to raise any issues of local concern and discuss matters arising from the minutes / blue sheets and any new issue of local concern. <p><i>All speakers are requested to use the microphones at all times to aid those with a disability who may require the use of the hearing loop.</i></p>



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9	9.25	5	Formal Council business Councillors will make decisions on matters arising from the Community Forum and on any other matters that require their approval
10	9.30		Meeting Ends <i>After the meeting there will be an opportunity to continue discussions informally until the building closes</i>
	10:00		Building closes
			Next Meeting: Monday 5 October 2009, Walthamstow Academy, Billet Road E17 5DP



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Available to talk to you before the meeting starts in the entrance area from 7.00 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. are:

Your elected Councillors

Councillors from Chapel End, High Street, Higham Hill and William Morris wards will be available to speak to you privately about any council issues.

Your local Police Officers

Meet your Safer Neighbourhood Teams. If you have any police issues or just wish to meet your local police officer, this is your opportunity.

Community Safety

An officer from the Safe and Stronger Communities Team will be available to give advice about domestic burglary and vehicle crime in your neighbourhood.

Housing

A representative from Ascham Homes will be available for any tenant and leasehold issues.

Civil Contingencies

An officer from the Civil Contingencies Department will be available to give advice and assistance about emergency planning, business continuity management and information on the council's response to major emergencies.

Waltham Forest Local Involvement Network (Waltham Forest LINK)

An officer will be available to talk to you about the LINK and to give you information as to how local people can get involved.



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All venues are wheelchair accessible



Induction loop provided
(designated seating area)

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