Bilborough Ward Priorities December 2019

These priorities are a combination of Ward Councillors' pledges and priorities, Respect priorities (Respect survey - 2019) and current local issues.

Bilborough Councillors – Wendy Smith, Rebecca Langton, Phil Jackson
Neighbourhood Development Officer (NDO) – Debbie Royle
Senior Community Protection Officer (SCPO) Maria Summers
Neighbourhood Operations Manager (NOM) Glen Simms
Police – Inspector Gordon Fenwick
Lead Organisation – Area based Grant – Groundwork – Amy Palmer
Traffic & Safety (T&S)

Neighbourhood Nottingham

Priority	Action Plan	Progress (since last Area Committee- October 2019)	Lead
Improve the street scene in Bilborough - Reduce weeds, rubbish and litter lying around *Councillors' Pledges* *Respect Priority*	• Host 4 litter picks in the year – involving the local community. • Ensure adequate bins in the ward • Report and investigate fly tips. • Regular cleansing and targeted operations. • Promote free bulky waste collection service • Trade waste compliance checks • Improve cleanliness and publicise cleanliness score • Publicise the penalties for dropping litter and fly tipping	8 new bins have been funded for targeted places in the ward. 51 flytips have been investigated Bulky waste collection service publicised in all 2 ward walk letters, and in the Day of Action Cleanliness score was 87% in June, rising to 88% in August	NDO/Cllrs/NOM/ CP Cllrs/NOM/NDO CP NOM All CP NOM All

Increase the sense of community through engagement and events *Respect Priority*	• Deliver 4 Community Cohesion events in the ward • Organise and attend community meetings to understand local issues • Offer hate crime and other awareness training to residents groups • Increase attendance at youth groups by working with existing organisations to develop provision • Build on the sense of community that has resulted from annual events and activities • Use social media to promote what is going on in the ward.	Events have taken place at Bilborough CC and Bilborough Shopping area in this period. There have been monthly ward walks Cllrs and NDO attended Woodhouse Residents Association This has been publicised through Facebook Groups and organisations are working together through the Bilborough Youth Network Councillors and NDO have started Drop In events after Ward Walks – one has taken place. All partners have been using Twitter and Facebook to promote events and activities in the ward.	All Cllrs/NDO NDO/ Youth Services/ Groundwork/ Cllrs All
Make roads and pavements safer in Bilborough *Councillors' Pledges*	• Undertake a parking and footpaths survey to establish problem areas for investment & improvement. • Resurface hazardous footpaths • Install a new pedestrian crossing on Wigman Road • Work with the Police to reduce speeding. • Improve road safety on Birchover Rd, including working with the police to deliver speeding operations and installing measures to discourage speeding.	Councillors are working to prioritise the parking issues and footpaths in consultation with Highways and the NDO. This is planned to be done. There have been two speeding operations on Birchover Rd Billy & Belinda figures and a dropped crossing is being planned for Birchover Rd	Traffic & Safety with NDO/Cllrs Police Cllrs/NDO/Police/ T&S
Reduce dog fouling *Respect Priority*	• Well signed NCC bins in hotspot locations, & dog fouling warning stickers • Dog mess reported for cleansing. Frequent cleansing • Uniformed and plain clothed operations - FPNs to be issued for offences including failing to pick up, no dog bags/suitable device and stray dogs (dog off lead) under the PSPO 2016	Councillors have funded 8 new bins. There have been 63 dog fouling incidents reported by CP. There have been 9 dog fouling operations conducted in September, October and November	NOM/CP CP/NOM CP

Develop the neighbourhood through addressing derelict sites and improving the 'look' of the area *Councillors' Pledges* *Local Issues*	• Bring forward a plan to bring the Polestar site back into use. • Deliver a programme of improvements to Bracebridge Drive, including new signage for the market, library, new road markings, and a new seating area.	This work has been completed, other than the new bins being installed.	Cllrs Cllrs/NDO & partners

Safer Nottingham

Priority	Action Plan	Progress (since last Area Committee-October 2019)	Lead
Reduce dangerous driving by Motorbikes/motorised scooters/mini motos/quad bikes *Respect Priority*	• Confiscation of motorcycles known by officers to have been used in commission of dangerous driving offences and/or driving on the highway without proper plates. • Enforcement • Engage with young people to offer alternative activities • Promote key information – education on what is and isn't legal • Use social media to highlight the number of incidents each month to show that this issue isn't as prevalent as residents may believe.	10 reports of nuisance motorbikes in September, October, December A bid made to CP tasking for off road bike team.	Police Police Youth Service providers Police Police
Reduce youth related ASB *Councillors' Pledges* *Respect Priority*	• Engagement by youth provision to offer alternative/productive activities YP can become involved in. • Family fun days/events to encourage active participation, involvement and community cohesion	ASB incidents reduction of 25% YTD. Christmas Lights Switch on took place on 27th November. Fircroft Community Garden opened.	Youth Service providers NDO/ others?

	• Informal controls with parents (if youth) • Enforcement action, Refer to YPP or FIP or informal controls with parents • High visibility reassurance patrols conducted in hotspot locations • Prioritise Ward Councillors Budget on funding youth activities in the ward.	There has been some ASB at Harvey Haddon. Two main instigators have been identified. One has received warning letter in front of parents. The other has been given an ABC to comply with. Both barred from site CP patrols in hot spot areas. Promotion of the WCB continues.	Police Police Police/CP Cllrs/NDO
Reduce Burglary (residential) *Respect Priority*	• Target hardening devices • Cocooning • Problem profile • Media campaign • Test on arrest and treatment referrals	Burglary – Dwelling 25 year to date (YTD) compared to 52 previous 12 months. Reduction of 27 offences or 52%	Police
Reduce vehicle offences *Respect Priority*	• Capture car operation • Media campaign • Park Mark scheme • Uniformed patrols • CCTV in hotspots/van • Problem profile	59 YTD compared to 86 previous 12 months, reduction of 27 offences or 17.5%	Police
Reduce ASB around Bracebridge Drive *Local Issue*	• Increased patrols • Working with local businesses • Installation of CCTV • Increased youth provision	Since CCTV has been installed, there have been no incidents recorded	Police Police Cllrs/NDO/police Youth Service Providers
Reduce accidental fires, especially within the elderly community by working with older people. *Local issue*			

Families Nottingham

Priority	Action Plan	Progress (since last Area Committee- October 2019)	Lead
Build new homes for rent in Bilborough *Councillors' Pledges*	• Deliver new affordable houses in Bilborough (NCHA, Chingford)		
Tackle fuel poverty *Councillors' Pledges*	• Improve Welfare Rights Provision in Bilborough, so that Bilborough residents have access to advice close to home.	Welfare Rights Sessions are taking place in conjunction with the Food Bank on Wednesdays mornings at Bilborough CC	Cllrs/Welfare Rights Service
Increase insulation and energy efficiency schemes to existing homes *Councillors' Pledges*			
Support local activities for young people and help connect young people to initiatives run by the council & voluntary sector. *Councillors' Pledges* *Respect Priority*	• Support the Bilborough Youth Network • Prioritise Ward Councillors Budget on funding youth activities in the ward.	Councillors and NDO attend the Youth Network. Youth providers have been contacted regarding the WCB.	NDO Councillors

Health Nottingham

Priority	Action Plan	Progress (since last Area Committee- October 2019)	Lead
Support older, disabled & vulnerable residents to be independent and campaign to make Bilborough age-friendly. *Councillors' Pledges* *Respect Priority*	• Support the Older Person's network • Support community groups working with older, disabled and vulnerable residents	Councillors and an NDO have attended the Older Person's Network.	NDO/Cllrs
Reduce CVD and raise awareness about cancer screening *Councillors' Pledges*	• Work with the CCG to ensure Bilborough residents have access to good quality health services close to home.		Cllrs/NDO

Working Nottingham

Priority	Action Plan	Progress (since last Area Committee- October 2019)	Lead
Support 100 Bilborough residents into decent work, training and apprenticeships. *Councillors' Pledges*	• Support the employability project, apprentice schemes by inviting them to all community events, promoting through social media etc.	NDO attends the Employment and Skills Forum	

Key current issues:

Opportunities for citizens to engage
Ward Walks
4th Monday of the month 1pm-2.30pm
27th January
24th February
23rd March

Events
Residents Drop ins – tea & cake
4pm-6pm
27th January
24th February
23rd March