

# EASTCOTE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

## Notes on eMeeting held

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2020, at 4.00pm by Zoom

1.	Welcome and Residents' issues. - None
2.	Notes for previous emeeting, 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2020- Approved
3.	Review Matters Arising
1.	July – Photos of original shop fronts received and posted on website
2.	June - Road surfaces need to be renewed before laying new anti-skid topping. Field End Road j/w Bridle Road, and Eastcote Road (2 locations near Fore Street) are now on the list for consideration for inclusion in a future programme of works.
3.	June - Re animal fats, recommendation is kitchen waste not garden waste (even though both go in same truck) to deter foxes Cooking oils need to be disposed of at the Harefield Civic Amenity Site (special bin for that purpose). Bottles and tins emptied of cooking oil can be recycled as normal.
4.	January - effect of local resident parking schemes on those living over the shops will be revisited now council returning to 'normal'
4.	Discussions
	1. Eastcote Town Centre - Potential Support for the Hospitality Sector
	2. London Forum of Civic and Amenity Societies
	3. Local Heritage
5.	Committee Reports
1.	1. Flooding – EFLAG meeting to discuss possible improvements to be re-arranged, still pending
	2. HARA – These continue to use Zoom – Next Meeting 28 <sup>th</sup> September 2020
	3. HS2 Community Engagement Meeting – Nothing of particular interest to Eastcote.
	4. HS2/LBH - Hillingdon Community Traffic Working Group
	1. CONTACTING UKPN DURING WORKS -Should anyone need to contact UKPN during their works - Monday to Friday 0800 028 4587 or <a href="mailto:care@ukpowernetworks.co.uk">care@ukpowernetworks.co.uk</a> Should there be any sort of emergency please call their 24 hour helpline on 0800 316 3105 or 105 from a landline or mobile.
	2. Update on Location 5: Intersection of Meadow Way, Deane Croft Road and Field End Road Work Scheduled to start 4 August to 12 August - awaiting local authority confirmation
2.	Environment
	1. Eastcote Conservation Panel – No Report
	2. Green Belt – Latest Newsletter Received.
3.	Finance – Nothing to report
4.	Health
	1. Letter from Chief Executive of The Hillingdon Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust - <b>A step closer to a new hospital</b> - The Trust Board today approved the submission of the draft Strategic Outline Case to regulators. This is for the redevelopment of Hillingdon Hospital and sets out that a new hospital build on the Hillingdon Hospital site is identified as the preferred way forward. For more information see <a href="https://www.thh.nhs.uk/media/rss/2020/jul/hospital-site-announced.php">https://www.thh.nhs.uk/media/rss/2020/jul/hospital-site-announced.php</a>
	2. Libraries are now open to accept books being returned. However, whilst the automatic renewal of items has ended the library service is presently issuing all items for an extended period of 6 weeks, and is not charging overdue fines. This will be reviewed next month so go to <a href="https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/libraries">https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/libraries</a> for latest information
5.	Newsletter – No Report
6.	Parks
	1. Eastcote House Gardens – No report
	2. RWMAG
	1. AGM – committee re-appointed.
	2. Ordinary meeting

		1. DEFRA funded project ends March 2021, when RWMAG will take on the maintenance of the leaky dams
		2. Replacement/updating of Information Boards continues
		3. Woodland Centre being revamped to encourage more visitors.
		4. Greater footfall this year from local people has resulted in new footpaths being formed and unfortunately more rubbish being left. Part of the woods are a National Nature Reserve and need to be used with respect
	7.	1.Planning Report discussed at meeting. Help or further information on specific cases can be requested by emailing <a href="mailto:planning@eastcotera.co.uk">planning@eastcotera.co.uk</a> .
		2. Town Centre – see Councillors Council Update 6.1.2.
	8.	Policing – No Report
	9.	Road Stewarding/Membership – No Report
	10.	Transport
		1. discussed ‘Active Travel’ in Eastcote
	11.	Website – newsletters from various organisations that ERA has subscriptions for to be posted on the web.
6		AOB
		1. London Forum of Civic and Amenity Societies - post meeting decision - Agreed
		2. Councillors ‘Council Update’
		1.Christmas Lights – Cllr BH Hillingdon council have agreed to fund the following <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 22ft Christmas tree and lights</li> <li>• Street tree lights at the junction of Meadow Way, Deane Croft Road and Southbourne Gardens</li> <li>• 55 column wraps and 28 column displays</li> </ul>
		2. Bridge Work – Cllr BH TfL have just agreed the final lighting and fencing works for Eastcote Station bridge on Field End Road. The work will be done Overnight 26-30 <sup>th</sup> July
		3. Council facilities are gradually re-opening (e.g. Highgrove for booked sessions and the Eastcote Library for access to computers) and more details are available on the LBH website.
		3. Cllrs asked for update on Council Climate Emergency Statement made in January 2020.
		Meeting closed 17.14 - Next meeting 25 <sup>th</sup> August 2020 <b>7.30pm</b> Zoom
		Future Meetings – September 15 <sup>th</sup> 4pm, 29 <sup>th</sup> 4pm, <b>October 13<sup>th</sup> 4pm, 27<sup>th</sup> 4pm</b> , Open Forum 10 <sup>th</sup> November, 25 <sup>th</sup> November, No December Meeting.