

City of Portsmouth

MEMBERS' INFORMATION SERVICE

NO 46

DATE: FRIDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2012

The Members' Information Service produced in the Customer, Community & Democratic Services Unit by Joanne Wildsmith has been prepared in three parts -

Part 1 - Decisions by the Cabinet and individual Cabinet Members, subject to Councillors' right to have the matter called in for scrutiny.

Part 2 - Proposals from Managers which they would like to implement subject to Councillors' right to have the matter referred to the relevant Cabinet Member or Regulatory Committee; and

Part 3 - Items of general information and news.

Part 1 - Decisions by the Cabinet

The following decisions have been taken by the Cabinet (or individual Cabinet Members), and will be implemented unless the call-in procedure is activated. Rule 15 of the Policy and Review Panels Procedure Rules requires a call-in notice to be signed by any 5 members of the Council. The call-in request must be made to JOANNE WILDSMITH (Local Democracy Officer) and must be received by not later than 5 pm on the date shown in the item.

If you want to know more about a proposal, please contact the officer indicated. You can also see the report on the Council's web site at www.portsmouth.gov.uk

THERE ARE NO PART ONE ITEMS THIS WEEK

Part 2 - Proposals from Managers for Implementation

The following proposals have been brought forward. The Managers indicated will exercise their powers to approve the proposal unless a Councillor requests the item be referred for decision to the relevant Cabinet Member or Regulatory Committee. **Your request must be made to JOANNE WILDSMITH (Local Democracy Officer) and must be received by not later than 5 pm on Friday 23 November 2012.**
An email or handwritten letter will suffice.

If you want to know more about a proposal, please contact the Officer indicated.

PORTFOLIO: EDUCATION & CHILDREN

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	WARD	SUBJECT AND PROPOSAL	OFFICER CONTACT
1	Copnor	<p>Works at College Park Infant School</p> <p>Proposal: to re-allocate Approved Education Capital Expenditure in order to replace the boilers at College Park Infant School.</p> <p>On 4th March 2011 the Elected Member for Education approved the allocation of £200,000 for a range of remedial works for the City of Portsmouth Boys School that included the replacement of windows and concrete cladding to the Science Block, as part of the School Modernisation Programme 2011/12. This budget was subsequently increased to £276,000 following approved re-allocations of capital funding in February 2012 (£23,000) and April 2012 (£53,000). These works have now been completed and is £20,000 under budget.</p> <p>The main boilers at College Park Infant School have failed on a regular basis since the commencement of the heating season. Following a detailed investigation of the problem by AMS engineers, it is recommended that the boilers be replaced. The estimated cost is between £15,000 and £20,000.</p> <p>Approval is therefore sought to reallocate the total remaining balance of £20,000 from the capital scheme at City of Portsmouth Boys School to replace the boilers at College Park Infant School.</p>	<p>Mike Stoneman Strategic Commissioning Manager Tel: 9284 1712</p>

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2		<p>New Traffic Regulation Order: The Portsmouth City Council (Various Roads) (Prohibition of Waiting and Amendments to Waiting Restrictions) (No.42) Order 2012</p> <p>Proposal: to advertise a Traffic Regulation Order to address parking issues in various roads citywide. Public consultation is a statutory requirement when proposals are considered.</p> <p><u>Council’s reasons for the Order</u></p> <p>(i) To introduce parking restrictions in various roads across the city to improve road safety, visibility and traffic management, especially access for the emergency services, public services, delivery vehicles and refuse collection vehicles</p> <p>(ii) To amend and introduce parking restrictions to accommodate local needs and make the most effective use of the public highway</p> <p>(iii) To reduce and/or remove parking restrictions where they are no longer required</p> <table><tr><td><u>Wards</u></td><td><u>Roads</u></td></tr><tr><td>Baffins</td><td>Milton Rd, Highgrove Rd / Colebrook Ave / Algiers Rd junctions, Marina Gr/ Cedar Gr / Jenkins Gr junctions</td></tr><tr><td>Central Southsea:</td><td>Fernhurst Rd, Chestnut Ave, Goldsmith Ave, Talbot Rd</td></tr><tr><td>Charles Dickens:</td><td>Havant St, Ordnance Row, Britain St, Prince George St, Cross St, Alexandra Rd, Hyde Park Rd, Blackfriars Rd, Forbury St, Omega St, Raglan St</td></tr><tr><td>Copnor:</td><td>Hartwell Rd</td></tr><tr><td>Drayton & Farlington:</td><td>Station Rd</td></tr><tr><td>Eastney & Craneswater:</td><td>Craneswater Ave / Craneswater Park junction</td></tr><tr><td>Fratton:</td><td>South Rd, Balliol Rd, Inverness Rd</td></tr><tr><td>Milton:</td><td>Hatfield Rd / Landguard Rd / Maxwell Rd junctions</td></tr><tr><td>Nelson:</td><td>Tipner Lane / Range Green junction</td></tr><tr><td>Paulsgrove:</td><td>Allaway Ave (new school zig zags), Cheltenham Rd, Rochford Rd, Chedworth Cres / Woofferton Rd, Winterbourne Rd, Leominster Rd junction</td></tr></table>	<u>Wards</u>	<u>Roads</u>	Baffins	Milton Rd, Highgrove Rd / Colebrook Ave / Algiers Rd junctions, Marina Gr/ Cedar Gr / Jenkins Gr junctions	Central Southsea:	Fernhurst Rd, Chestnut Ave, Goldsmith Ave, Talbot Rd	Charles Dickens:	Havant St, Ordnance Row, Britain St, Prince George St, Cross St, Alexandra Rd, Hyde Park Rd, Blackfriars Rd, Forbury St, Omega St, Raglan St	Copnor:	Hartwell Rd	Drayton & Farlington:	Station Rd	Eastney & Craneswater:	Craneswater Ave / Craneswater Park junction	Fratton:	South Rd, Balliol Rd, Inverness Rd	Milton:	Hatfield Rd / Landguard Rd / Maxwell Rd junctions	Nelson:	Tipner Lane / Range Green junction	Paulsgrove:	Allaway Ave (new school zig zags), Cheltenham Rd, Rochford Rd, Chedworth Cres / Woofferton Rd, Winterbourne Rd, Leominster Rd junction	<p>Nikki Musson Transport & Environment Tel: 9283 4461</p>
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PLANNING APPLICATIONS TO BE DETERMINED BY HEAD OF PLANNING SERVICES

The Head of Planning Services will exercise his powers to determine the following applications in accordance with the proposed decision for each application unless a Councillor requests the application be referred for decision to Committee.

Your request should be made to the **Assistant Head of Planning Services** by telephoning **Julie Watson** (☎023 9283 4826 or 023 9283 4339 answerphone) and must be received by not later than **5 pm on 23 November 2012**. You can also make contact by letter or by e-mail to - planningreps@portsmouthcc.gov.uk - If you wish to know more about a particular application, please contact the Case Officer indicated.

Item No	Application No Ward	Location Description of Development	Planning Officer's Comments	Case Officer Proposed Decision
3	12/01091/HOU Drayton & Farlington	444 Havant Road Farlington Construction of single storey rear extension to include enlargement of existing rear gable; extend existing garage to include new pitched roof	<p>One letter of objection to this proposal has been received from a neighbouring resident at 5 Broad Gardens.</p> <p>This proposal seeks permission to construct a single storey extension to the rear elevation including an enlargement of the existing rear gable and an extension of the existing garage to include a new pitched roof.</p> <p>There is an existing Juliet balcony installed in the rear gable of this property. However as a result of this proposal, this would be removed and replaced by a small circular window. This would be a favourable alteration that would significantly reduce overlooking of neighbouring properties.</p> <p>The extension of the rear gable and the installation of velux windows to the proposed extension are not considered to result in any adverse impacts upon the amenity of neighbouring occupiers in terms of additional overlooking or loss of light. In design terms the proposals would relate sympathetically to the recipient building.</p>	<p>Laura Grimason</p> <p>Tel: 023 9284 1470</p>

Part 3 - Information and News Items

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4		<p>Education, Children & Young People Scrutiny Panel – 19 November</p> <p>The panel will meet on Monday, 19 November at 7:00pm in the Executive Meeting Room in the Guildhall to continue its review of services for looked after children. The officers named below have been invited to attend to address the topics as listed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving choice and availability of accommodation for care leavers and opportunities for training/employment – Elaine Bastable, Housing Options Manager • Developing virtual school arrangements – Matt Small, Key Stage 3/4 LAC Education Advisor and Kate Freeman, Looked After Children Service Commissioning Manager • The Health of Looked After Children – Dawn Saunders, Associate Director Public Health Trust HQ 	<p>Teresa Deasy Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4056</p>
5		<p>Licensing Sub Committee – Wednesday 21 November 2012 at 9.30am in the Executive Meeting Room, floor 3 of The Guildhall, Portsmouth</p> <p>The committee will consider the following application:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licensing Act 2003 – Application for the grant of a premises licence – ‘Lucky Bar’, 223 Kingston Road, Portsmouth, PO2 7LR 	<p>Lucy Wingham Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4662</p>
6		<p>Housing & Social Care Scrutiny Panel – Thursday 22 November at 2pm in Conference Room B, Civic Offices</p> <p>The panel will be meeting to continue its review of “advancing the use of technology in Adult Social Care (Telecare & Telehealth)” and witnesses will include representatives from Leonard Cheshire Disability and the City Council’s Sheltered Housing.</p>	<p>Joanne Wildsmith Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4057</p>
7		<p>Economic Development, Culture & Leisure Scrutiny Panel meeting - Thursday 22 November 2012 at 7.00pm at the Hilsea Lido, London Road, Portsmouth PO2 9RP</p> <p>The panel will continue its review into ‘Making Community Ownership work for Portsmouth’ by receiving information from invited witnesses.</p>	<p>Karen Martin Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4052</p>

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8		<p>Community Safety Decision Meeting - Cancellation</p> <p>The decision meeting that was to have taken place on 23 November has been cancelled following the decision made by the Leader of the Council at the Council meeting on 13 November 2012 to reduce the number of portfolios from 10 to 9 by combining the Environment portfolio and the Community Safety portfolio under one Cabinet Member, Councillor Eleanor Scott.</p> <p>The first meeting of the combined Environment and Community Safety portfolio will be held on Wednesday 28 November at 12 noon in Conference Room H.</p>	<p>Vicki Plytas Senior Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4058</p>
9		<p>Additional Cabinet Meeting – 10 December</p> <p>An additional Cabinet meeting will take place on Monday 10 December at 12 noon in Executive Meeting Room, Guildhall. Please note in diaries.</p> <p>The Medium Term Financial Strategy 2013/14 to 2015/16 will be considered.</p>	<p>Joanne Wildsmith Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4057</p>
10		<p>Rescheduling of the Forthcoming Decision Meeting of the Cabinet Member for Children & Education</p> <p>Please note the change of date for the Children & Education Portfolio decision meeting. The new date for the meeting is Tuesday, 18 December 2012 at 4:00pm.</p>	<p>Teresa Deasy Local Democracy Officer Tel: 9283 4056</p>
11		<p>Live Music Act</p> <p>The Live Music Act 2012 came into force on 1st October 2012 suspending the licensing requirements and controls on the performance of live music between 8am and 11pm before audiences of no more than 200 people on premises authorised to sell alcohol.</p> <p>As a result, it is predicted that nuisance complaints relating to music from licensed venues will increase. An article has been placed within the next edition of Flagship to inform residents of the change in the legislation and offering advice on how to report unacceptable increases in noise levels to the Environmental Health Team for investigation.</p>	<p>Richard Lee Environmental Health Manager Tel: 9283 4857</p>

Part 3 – Information and News Items (cont'd)**FRIDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2012**

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12	Charles Dickens	Blue Badges From December 2012, the location for the collection of Blue Badges will change from the Parking office to the Shopmobility shop in Arundel Street which is managed by Portsmouth Disability Forum (PDF). PDF is a charitable organization that has been supported by PCC for many years. The council will pay PDF £3,000 per annum for delivering this service. This will improve efficiencies within the parking office, be simpler for disabled people and will help PDF in improving disabled people's awareness of shop-mobility and Portsmouth Disability Forum.	Michael Robinson Transport & Environment Tel: 9268 8497