

CHANDLER'S FORD AND HILTINGBURY LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 18 September 2019

LOCAL AREA MANAGER'S REPORT INCLUDING ITEMS FROM WORKING GROUPS

Report of the Local Area Manager

Recommendations

It is recommended that

- (1) CFH36 (northern end of Hursley Road) is deleted from the 2019/2020 list of sites for locating Speed Limit Reminders (SLRs) and in its place the Reminder is located on the smooth stretch of Hocombe Road, by the chicanes;**
- (2) The deployment of the speed limit reminder in Winchester Road by Thornden School is altered to enable two deployments in each of the south westerly and north easterly direction;**
- (3) Additional sites are included at Weardale Road and Penine Way at £50 per deployment. £630 is allocated from this Committee's reserves to add to the £770 in the budget to reach the £1,400 total for these deployments; and**
- (4) £6,000 is allocated from this Committee's reserves to match-fund the allocation by Chandler's Ford parish council to provide youth groups at Fryern.**

Summary

This Committee has funds available to it to enable activities and projects which benefit the local community. The above schemes are considered to be of local benefit and are recommended for approval.

Statutory Powers

S1 Localism Act; Local Government and Rating Act

Strategic Implications

1. The projects and proposals in this report support the Council's strategic objectives of Local First, Healthy Community and Providing an Excellent Environment for All.

Introduction

2. Local Area Councillors have worked with partner organisations to identify projects and proposals to enhance Chandler's Ford and Hiltingbury for residents and others who work in or visit the area.

Speed Limit Reminders

3. At the 19 June meeting of this Committee Councillors gave approval to the list of Speed Limit Reminder locations for 2019/2020. Councillors have, at a subsequent working group, recommended alterations and additions to this list as shown at recommendations 1 – 3, above.

4. **Youth Group, Fryern**

At its working group on 7 August 2019, Councillors recommended that the sum of £6,000 be allocated from this Committee's reserves to continue the youth group at Fryern Pavilion, which it provides in partnership with Chandler's Ford parish council.

Financial Implications

5. Funding is available for the schemes from budgets and reserves held by this Committee.

Risk Assessment

6. Without the allocation of funding above, the additional speed limit reminder schemes would not go ahead. The youth group would close, putting at risk the health and wellbeing of young people who rely on it for support and guidance.

Equality and Diversity Implications

7. The Equality Act is relevant to the decision in this report as the decision relates to eliminating discrimination, advancing equality of opportunity, or fostering good relations between different people in the following ways: speeding prevention is particularly important for those who are pedestrians and therefore at risk from speeding traffic. Women, young people, older people and disabled people are all more likely to be pedestrians. Young people will benefit from the youth facility and are less able to travel far to receive such support or social facilities. A full Equality Impact Assessment (EqIA) has not been carried out, because while there are some equalities impacts, it is not proportionate to carry out a full EqIA.

Conclusion

8. The schemes proposed in the recommendations can be funded by monies available to this Committee and will benefit the local area.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 - SECTION 100D

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None.