

# Moseley Forum

**Minutes for Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2021**

**Zoom meeting. 7.30 to 9.30pm**

Committee members in attendance: Jill Adams; Huw Davies ; Jane Harvey ; David Isgrove (Chair)  
Richard Kimberlee; Izzy Knowles; Radley Russell; Tom Russell

Other attendees:

Cllr Kerry Jenkins, Fiona Adams (Moseley Society); Simon Foster (PCC); Steve Halliday ; 35 members of the public.

	Item	Action
<b>1</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> DI welcomed everyone to the meeting. Apologies were received from the following: John Parkinson, Rev Duncan Strathie, Becky Greenhill, Gig Payne	
<b>2</b>	<b>Minutes from Previous Meeting &amp; Matters Arising – 30/3/21</b> The minutes of the previous meeting were approved. (April meeting was Hustings and May was the AGM)	
<b>3</b>	David introduced Steve Halliday as chair of Better Streets for Moseley to be co-opted to the committee – proposed Radley Russell, seconded Izzy Knowles. Carried.	
<b>4</b>	<b>Speeding and road safety concerns</b> Cllr Jenkins informed the meeting that a recent Freedom Of Information report had revealed just two prosecutions had been carried out by West Midlands Police for illegal exhausts on vehicles in 2020. Police and Crime Commissioner Simon Foster joined the meeting. David Isgrove showed a power point presentation put together by residents from Reddings and Amesbury Roads and information from a survey carried out by Better Streets for Moseley (BS4M). Jack Wilson mentioned a letter sent to Mr Foster from BS4M outlining residents' concerns regarding an increase in speeding, racing and noisy vehicles on our roads. Various people raised speeding via the chat including on Yardley Wood Road, Sandford Road, Birchwood Crescent, Anderton Park Road, Alcester Road, Salisbury Road, Church Road and Billesley Lane. Simon outlined his role as PCC. He has received a petition from Salisbury Road residents and talked to others in Russell Road. Excess speed, along with illegal use of drugs and anti- social use of quad bikes was in the top three issues raised with him across the West Midlands. He has a section in his manifesto for road policing and	

	<p>wants to include a section in the subsequent police and crime plan. He wants to place a bigger emphasis on neighbourhood policing. He will also campaign to bring revenue from speeding fines back to local councils from the treasury. He called for campaign groups across the West Midlands to work together.</p> <p>He will launch the second part of his survey next week.</p> <p>He meets with the Chief Constable every week and the Police and Crime Panel every month.</p> <p>Residents raised the lack of feedback and difficulties with third party reporting, including the use of Nextbase to submit Dashcam and other CCTV footage. They also raised that we do not have an organised community speed watch scheme in Moseley, despite assurances one would be set up.</p> <p>Agreed actions from PCC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Feed Bs4M letter to PCC round table</li> <li>*Feedback lack of prosecutions for noisy exhausts with the Chief Constable</li> <li>*Feedback third party reporting isn't working and no community speedwatch</li> <li>*Identify a senior Police Officer from Road Harm Reduction Team or Road Policing Team to attend a future Moseley Forum meeting.</li> <li>* Circulate next PCC public survey</li> </ul>	
	Meeting closed at 9.30pm	

**Date of next zoom meeting: Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2021 7.30pm**