

MOSELEY	FORUM
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NOTES	OPEN MEETING – POLICE AND CRIME	7:30 – 9:30 24 OCTOBER 2023
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PREP'D BY: PRESENT:	Radley Russell Tom Russell Jane Harvey Becky Greenhill David Isgrove John Gorman Jill Adams	BG Vice Secretary Committee Member Minutes Secretary Chair Committee Member Safeguarding Lead	(RR) (TR) (JH) (BG) (DI) (JG) (JA)
APOLOGIES	Huw Davies Richard Kimberlee Steve Halliday Adam Styler Sarah Jeffery	Committee Member Treasurer Social Media Officer Social Media, Website & Marketing Committee Member	

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1	<p>WELCOME</p> <p>REGISTER OF ATTENDANCE, APOLOGIES & CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS</p> <p>Those present were noted and apologies received by the Secretary as noted above. No one registered a conflict of interest.</p>	
2	<p>APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF 5 SEPTEMBER 2023</p> <p>There had been a further meeting of the committee on 3rd October to organise future meetings.</p> <p>The meeting of 5th September was a closed meeting of committee members only. The meeting 'minutes' have been circulated and revised as required re-issued and published on the Forum's website.</p> <p>Matters Arising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Item 4.9 required the treasurer to investigate the possibilities of charging political parties to attend any future husting events. Still outstanding. ○ Item 4.16 required the secretary to report back to FoMVS that MF would welcome an application for funds. TR confirmed he had done so. ○ Item 6.4 noted that the schedule of meetings should be posted on the website. This has now been done with many thanks to Adam Styler. ○ Item 7.4 required the vice chair to chase new committee members. Still outstanding. ○ Item 7.11 required that the website be updated with the latest list of committee members. This has now been done. ○ Item 8.9 required the chair to report back concerning the meetings of the 'Public Art for the Station' group. Outstanding. ○ Section 9 required multiple actions by committee members relating to the organising of future meetings all of which are ongoing. <p>Approval</p> <p>The notes were accepted as a true and accurate record of the meeting.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">RK</p> <p style="text-align: right;">RR</p> <p style="text-align: right;">DI</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Com</p>

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3	<p>PRIVACY STATEMENT</p> <p>DI noted that by virtue of signing in all those present gave their permission for their contributions here to be recorded either by means of film, video or audio recording or by the taking of notes any of which will be made public by means of the Forum’s website. He noted that should anyone not wish to be recorded then they should make this known.</p>	
4	<p>INTRODUCTION TO GUESTS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Police and Crime Commissioner Simon Foster 2. West Midlands Police - Inspector Neil Kirkpatrick 3. West Midlands Police - Sgt Chris Gallon 4. West Midlands Police - Chief Inspector Haroon Chughtai 5. Birmingham City Council – Angela Lamont <p>DI introduced the guests from WM Police, Police and Crime Commissioner and BCC’s Community Safety Team.</p>	
5	<p>QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION</p> <p>Moseley residents (and attendees) were provided with an opportunity to raise questions to the guest panel.</p> <p>These minutes do not record the question and answer session.</p> <p>During the course of the question and answer session officers from WM Police referenced a number of community and police initiatives, these are listed below</p>	
5.1	<p>Street Watch</p> <p><i>Street Watch is a community led project. It’s made up of groups of volunteers who are at least 18 years old.</i></p> <p><i>The groups go out and patrol their area. The patrols help to stop crime and anti-social behaviour. They also help people in the area get to know each other.</i></p> <p><i>Patrols are always done with at least two people, with a member of each group being the coordinator. Police in the local area work with the groups, and will go out on patrol with them at least once a month.</i></p> <p><i>If the group sees suspicious or criminal activity, they report it to us.</i></p> <p><i>If you’d like to be involved in StreetWatch, email us. Opening the link will create a new email containing our StreetWatch email address.</i></p> <p><i>In the email, make sure you tell us your:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name • address • telephone number <p><i>You can also visit our recruitment website. The link will open the site for you. There, you can find out about more ways you can get involved in your local area.</i></p> <p><i>If you’d like to find out more about StreetWatch, you can download and read a leaflet.</i></p> <p>A number of Street Watch groups are already established in Moseley. If you want to know whether one exists for your road or would like to start a group contact the local neighbourhood team.</p>	
5.2	<p>Speed Watch</p> <p><i>In partnership with local councils, we run the Community Speedwatch programme. It is a local initiative where members of the community join together to monitor speeds of vehicles using speed detection devices.</i></p> <p><i>If a vehicle is exceeding the speed limit, it is referred to the partnership to provide education to drivers.</i></p> <p><i>To find out more or to start a Community Speedwatch programme, please contact your local neighbourhood team.</i></p> <p>A number of Speed Watch initiatives have taken place across Moseley, targeting roads where residents have raised speeding concerns.</p>	

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5.3	<p>Reporting motoring offences</p> <p><i>Operation Snap is a UK police initiative that allows members of the public to submit dashcam footage showing allegations around dangerous and careless driving. Please note, we cannot take any reports without independent evidence.</i></p> <p><i>If you do not have video evidence, but you do have other supporting evidence, such as an independent witness, the vehicle's number plate and you are willing to attend court, download this form, complete it and email it back to us.</i></p> <p><i>In addition, the form is only for reporting incidents that have occurred within the West Midlands area. If you wish to report an incident that occurred outside the West Midlands, follow this link.</i></p> <p><i>Before you make a report, please be aware that:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>You are making an official report to the police.</i> • <i>You may be required to provide further information or attend court in order to support the case for the prosecution.</i> • <i>Your own actions and driving standards will be reviewed as part of the report.</i> <p><i>If you are happy with all of the above and wish to proceed, visit our online reporting form provided by our partners at NextBase.</i></p>																													
5.4	<p>Contact Moseley and Kings Heath neighbourhood team</p> <p><i>Please do not use this email to report a crime or anything that needs urgent police attention.</i></p> <p>moseleyandkingsheath@westmidlands.police.uk</p>																													
5.5	<p>Update on Public Space Protection Order</p> <p>Angela Lamont from BCC advised that paperwork was being progressed; it was looking likely that the PSPO would not come into force until Spring next year (2024).</p>																													
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7	<p>MATTERS FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE FORUM / AOB</p> <p>RR noted that the Forum annually contributed to the cost of the Christmas tree and lights and asked for agreement to a similar contribution this year. A donation of £500 was approved by those present.</p>																													
8	<p>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</p> <p>Wednesday 22nd November</p>																													
9	<p>MEETING CLOSE</p>																													



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