

WEST/CENTRAL AREA COMMITTEE – [16 JUNE 2004]

UPDATE SHEET

Subject, date raised and minute reference number	Action	Update
<p>Raised on 8 April 2004 Minute number 04/12</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. What steps can be taken to ensure this year that the rats do not return to Lammas Land2. the pump works and the hose does not leak? Last year it took nearly a week to fill the paddling pool and the children played on the wet grass resulting from the leaky hose. The pool water was filthy (the kids described it as disgusting)3. and the travellers.	<p>Reply to Andree Simpson.</p>	<p>Andree Simpson came to the 16 June meeting with photographs of the paddling pool with lots of children in it. This showed how well point 2 had been addressed. She was also happy that point 1 had been addressed. She thanked the committee for the effective actions taken.</p> <p>Councillor J Smith reported on point 3: officers were putting some milestones or bollards in place during June and will consult with residents.</p>
<p>Raised on 8 April 2004 Minute number 04/12</p> <p>Creating a pedestrian crossing at the junction of Grantchester Street and Barton Road. They highlighted the confusion caused by the traffic lights especially for pedestrians; they had had a narrow escape that week!</p>	<p>Reply to Michael & Tania Elliott</p>	<p>The matter will go to a meeting of the Cambridge Environment & Transport Area Joint Committee (probably October). Councillor Sian Reid will call on the Elliotts to explain.</p>

<p>Raised on 5 February 2004 Minute number 04/13</p> <p>The C8 bus</p>		<p>Councillor J Smith said she did not think there was anything further the Committee could do in relation to this.</p>
<p>Raised on 5 February 2004 Minute number 04/13</p> <p>Closure of Post Offices</p>		<p>The Chair confirmed that Chesterton Post Office was still open for business but that others had been closed despite all the representations to the Post Office.</p>
<p>Report brought to 8 April 2004 on Environmental Improvements Minute number 04/16</p>	<p>The minute said "The Chair asked that the Co-op in Histon Road be urged to complete the work they had promised would be done."</p>	<p>Councillor Hipkin reported that the car park had now been repaired satisfactorily and was a major improvement for residents in the whole area.</p>
<p>Report brought to 8 April 2004 on Environmental Improvements Minute number 04/16</p>	<p>The minute said "Councillor C Rosenstiel commented that the information tabled at the meeting indicated that the consultation with residents in Salmon Lane reinforced the views of the committee about the importance of adequate lighting. He was concerned at the slow progress with Salmon Lane."</p>	<p>Councillor C Rosenstiel reported that the County Council had agreed to contribute to the costs of providing adequate lighting. There was also to be a meeting.</p>