



County Councillor Max Hunt Annual Report 2015/6

*This report summarises my activities
I welcome any questions.*

Council activities

Committees I have served on at County Hall

Environment and Transport Scrutiny Committee
Local Pensions Committee

Local committees:

Charnwood Highways Forum
Loughborough Campus and Community Liaison Group

Other relevant bodies)

Ashby Road Estates Community Association (ARECA)
Thorpe Acre 2000

Electoral Division activities

Main Activities during the past Year

- ✓ Attendance: All Council Meetings and many committee meetings, briefings and attended others as substitute for colleagues unable to attend.
- ✓ Prepared and Presented evidence final application for the Garendon Development.
- ✓ Successfully opposed the flats/pub application at the Garendon Club.
- ✓ Reviewed plans for rail electrification
- ✓ Monitored events relating to consent for Incinerator (EfW) at Junction 23, with planning application deadline circumvented by Biffa.
- ✓ Ensured Buckingham Drive was reinstated for gritting.



- ✓ Investigated plans for a Skate Park on Shortcliffe Park on behalf of Garendon Ward residents and obtained a further consultation meeting for residents.
- ✓ Represented residents on removal of chicane opposite Booth Wood School
- ✓ Represented residents on pedestrianisation for Inner Relief Road including bus facilities.
- ✓ Obtained regular information on moves to Academy status by local schools and informed colleagues and parents.
- ✓ Continued to represent residents of Crosswood Close and Clowbridge Drive over out of hours parking at Ashmount Special School.
- ✓ Represented residents on effects of LFRS smoke training on Alan Moss Road properties, engaging with Fire Chief and CBC Environmental Health.
- ✓ Liaised with LCC transport planning engineers and residents over traffic management plans for town related to current and future possible developments from CBC.
- ✓ Monitored plans toward Charnwood Forest Regional Park
- ✓ Improve and delitter area around Wordsworth Road shops.
- ✓ Met with police over various crime and youth engagement matters.
- ✓ Regular newsletters to residents, surgeries and ward walks.
- ✓ See also my various public questions to Council throughout year.



Priorities for the immediate future are:

- Closely monitor detailed plans for Garendon Park development as they emerge.
- Control parking and improve safety outside schools.
- More facilities for young people in Thorpe Acre.
- Better information to families about services for elderly people and people with learning difficulties.
- Obtain a fairer share of Community Transport grant for John Storer House: Report to come to my committee in the Autumn.
- Support voluntary organisations and try to ensure that grants and participative budgeting is directed towards social priorities.
- Monitor NHS and CCG services.
- Introduce road safety improvements.
- Campaign with Cycling UK and LDCUC to reduce collisions involving cycles.
- Improving bus services and bus access to hospitals.

Matters raised personally in Council, Scrutiny and Questions:

Some of the formal Questions and Motions raised at Council

8/7/16	Opposed cuts in Fire Service
3/9/16	Called for Monitoring of School Travel Plans
8/10/15	Special Council: Defended Fire Service
17/2/16	Budget Meeting: supported motion to consult on unitary council.
16/3/16	Questioned costs of Conservative and LDem Political Assistants Spoke in favour of remaining in EU
7/4/16	Question on Public Open Spaces Protection Orders

PAPERS TO CABINET

Topics Include:

Rail Strategy

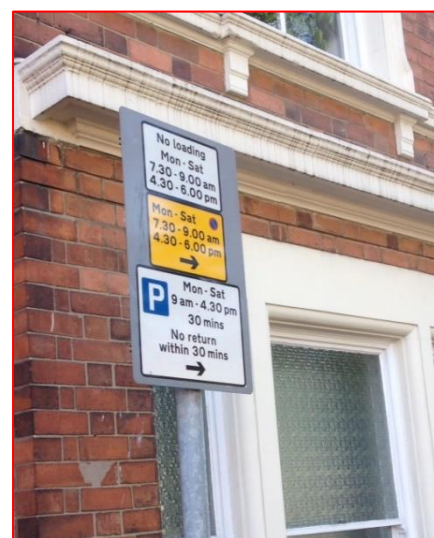
Fracking and the Minerals Local Plan

Loughborough Town Centre Road scheme

Community Transport: Fairer division of funds

County Boundaries

Melton Transport Plan on: county wide issues



Attended and met with:

Holocaust Memorial Day Event

Leics & Rutland Wildlife Trust at Charnwood Lodge

Retired Employees events.

Thorpe Acre All Saints Church Committee

Knighthorpe Lodge Residents Association

Visited

Market Harborough Rail Station re: Reconstruction.

Thorpe Acre Residents Assn (TARA)

Ashby Road Residents Association (ARECA)

Presentations and Training:

Training on pensions administration and investment.

Various other presentations through the year.

Other matters:

Significant casework load concerning parking, highways, countryside, planning, footpaths, traffic, schools, including work with residents and students.

Responding to BBC Radio Leics, BBC East Midlands TV, and press enquiries and issuing of press releases and letters to Loughborough Echo and Leicester Mercury.

Please note also that the above campaigning work only covers that with the County Council.

Signed: *Max Hunt.*

Max Hunt CC
Date: April 2016

