



# County Councillor Max Hunt Annual Report 2018/19

I welcome any questions from residents

# Formal Council Committee Work

# **Council Committees I have served on at County Hall**

Full Council \*

Environment and Transport Scrutiny Committee \*

(\* meetings recorded on webcast)

Local Pensions Committee (All Leicestershire councils, City council & probation staff)

Learning & Development Working Group (promoting IT for members)

Development Control & Regulatory Board (one meeting)

# Local committees:

Loughborough Campus and Community Liaison Group

Persimmon Local Consultative Committee (West of Loughboro/Garendon)

# Other relevant bodies

Ashby Road Estates Community Association (ARECA)

Thorpe Acre Residents Assn

## Main Activities this Year

- Monitored the carbon reduction measures through scrutiny committee.
- Campaigned against 'fleecehold' Management Companies on new Estates and pressed for detailed plans for Garendon Park access.
- Scrutinise for publication of West of Loughborough development (WoL SUE) section 106 agreement
- Work with residents and Booth Wood School on control of parking and improved safety outside schools.

- Helped deliver more for young people in Thorpe Acre and the Ashby Road Estate.
- Campaigning for a Loughborough Town Council.
- Defend Community Transport grant for John Storer Charnwood.
- Monitor the Biffa/Coventa proposed EfW incinerator and support PM2.5 monitoring.
- Addressed various very local matters: Schofield Road (grass verges), Ravensthorpe Drive (maintenance), Windleden Road (parking), Thorpe Hill (planning), Shortcliffe brook (obstruction), including meetings with police over

crime, drugs and anti-social behaviour.



1 Booth Wood

### Priorities for the future are:

- Monitor detailed plans for West of Loughborough/Garendon Park development as they emerge, particularly via Conditions and Sections 106 agreement to P/14/1855/2.
- Protect disabled and vulnerable children's transport, learning and respite care as far as I am able.
- Sufficient high quality school, pre-school and childcare places in the area I represent.
- Continue to promote carbon reduction measures in scrutiny committee and in liaison with local campaigners.
- Liaise to Booth Wood CPS, Charnwood and DeLisle Colleges about controlled parking and improved safety outside schools.
- Disseminate the messages of county's public health work in conjunction with LCC Local Co-

#### ordinator.



2 Residents Parking Zone

- Better information to families about services for elderly people and people with learning difficulties.
- Support voluntary organisations and try to ensure that grants and participative budgeting is directed towards social priorities.
- Campaign for better funding for the NHS and great performance from our acute services in UHL, mental health in LPP and GP services under our CCG.
- Improving bus services and Demand Responsive transport for rural routes at a reasonable cost.

- Introduce road safety improvements and community speeding interventions.
- Continue to campaign with others to reduce casualties involving cycles and pedestrians. Questions to Committee.
- Monitor new arrangements and appeals system for Personal Transport Budgets for pupils with severe educational needs and disabilities.
- o Scrutinise changes proposed for waste reduction..
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### Some matters raised personally in Council, Scrutiny and Questions:

#### Some of the Questions and matters raised formally

- 7/3/2019 Series of questions about support for School Travel Plans.
- 6/9/2018 Question to clarify the Council's policy on technology neutral waste disposal
- 28/6/2018 Series of questions relating to Road Casualty reduction

Members' Briefings: Various including Strategic Growth Prospectus, Bullying, Risk based Highways Asset Management, School Places Organisation

#### Some of my Visits and Events

- Charnwood College academy Achievement Day; Guest of new Principal.
- Loughborough Library and Learning Centre regarding Smart Library
- Charnwood Museum: Skevington portrait and local history talk
- John Storer Charnwood/ CVS
- SARG (Storer & Ashby Residents Group)
- Remembrance Sunday ceremony and Holocaust Memorial Day
- Loughborough University & LSU
- Organised meeting for residents to participate in management of Booth Wood.
- Reported at Inaugural meeting of Stonebow Parish Meeting
- Testified to HMO Consultants engaged by Charnwood BC



3 New Hallof Residence which we proposed should be the first to be named after a woman. (They chose Claudia Parsons)

### **Communicating with Residents**

#### **Newsletters:**

First A5 sheet published in June, 6,500 personally hand delivered

Developed and promoted online News to consenting residents.

### Letters and articles in the press

I have published in the press several times on key or strategic issues. These appear in the Loughborough Echo, Leicester Mercury and Loughborough Community Eye (now discontinued)

Loughborough Echo 🖉 Did you hear that your road's up for sale? in the SUMMER SALE NOW ON 

Signed: Max Hunt.

Max Hunt CC May 2019