



# Great Western Park Residents' Association Minutes



<b>Attendees:</b>	
Gareth Clarke (GC) - GWPRA Chairperson Lewis Cousins (LC) Samantha Cousins (SC) Vicki Owen Beth Elkins Sarah Ifill	Ralph Shackell (RS) - GWPRA Events Coordinator David Brignall (DB) - GWPRA Planning Officer David Roberts (DR) - BPSA Rep

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at 7.30pm**

0	<p>Talk by Stewart Lilly from Woodlands Patient Participation Group (PPG)</p> <p>Stewart gave an excellent talk, highlighting the chronic problems Didcot faces in terms of health provision.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Limited options for expansion, and the current proposed site on GWP is not suitable; limited parking, only single storey building.</li><li>• The PPG are continuing to work on behalf of patients in conjunction with the Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) in order to make sure health provision in the local area remains high on the agenda, especially in light of the additional developments now breaking ground (Valley Park, surrounding villages who are also dependent on Didcot healthcare services).</li><li>• The PPG needs more volunteers on the committee. Roles are voluntary, and currently shared between a small number of members. Volunteers can apply to the committee by emailing <a href="mailto:pgsecretarywoodlands@gmail.com">pgsecretarywoodlands@gmail.com</a>. Patients are also</li></ul>
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	<p>encouraged to sign up as members of the PPG to receive regular updates and have the opportunity to contribute and help improve patient services for everyone.</p>
1	<p>Apologies for absence:</p>
2	<p>Minutes of previous meeting Previous minutes from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2020 agreed by all</p>
3	<p>Actions arising from last meeting</p>
4	<p>Matters Arising</p> <p>4.1 - Storm Ciara roof damage Praise for residents taking initiative and attempting to make affected areas safe Question over whether adequate fastenings have been used by developers (mainly Taylor Wimpey). Request for any residents with issues to report issues with their roofs to GWPRA. Taylor Wimpey being contacted to discuss potential corrective action, if it's found there are systematic failures in roof construction.</p> <p>4.2 - Illegal Encampment Defences Old farm gates can now be closed off, which will make it harder to access the land with vehicles. Ideas welcome from residents for potential aesthetically-pleasing defences.</p>
5	<p>Correspondence</p> <p>5.1 - Dangerous Parking Aureus Primary Investigated and swiftly resolved by Taylor Wimpey No further reports since.</p> <p>5.2 - Visitor Space Marking &amp; On Grass Parking  Visitor bays not marked, and as such used by residents permanently to keep their own spaces free. Parking on grass areas also happening. Message to residents is to be considerate, and park safely - do not obstruct pavements or</p>

	<p>park in an unsafe manner at any time.</p> <p>No further reported sports event-related parking issues since the neighbourhood park additional parking opened.</p>
6	Report Back from Officers
7	<p>Any Other Business</p> <p>Community litter pick 28th March</p> <p>Skate park/tennis courts/multi-use games area/community centre opening - Dates have been requested for these, but none received to date.</p>
8	<p>Closed meeting at 8:30pm – date of next meeting:</p> <p><b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2020</b></p>