

Environment

What will the PC do/deliver in the next year?

- Crossing Keeper Hut – Complete Project
- Purchase of telephone box for restoration Milton Road
- Follow up on Sustainability Event (Family Day, more WISER collections)
- Brook Improvements – planting and de-silting
- Allotments/shared gardens initiative
- Development of activities/facilities at Manor Park/HICOP

Challenges?

Go to a range of groups to put forward ideas: schools, shops, recreation groups; Ask groups about they could benefit from projects (Feast Market); Work with established trades; Work with relevant associations – gardening club, allotment owners etc.

How can we engage better with the community?

Communicate more with:

Bus Users – Citi 8, Guided Bus, HICOM, older residents using buses (day centres, care homes etc.)

Cyclist

Parents – pushchairs, mobility, parentmail, school run, parking

How do we change our working relationship with the Office?

- Repetitive tasks – can any be dropped or automated?
- More meetings, may not increase efficiency
- Advance notice of jobs which need to be done
- Limit expectations
- Empowerment of staff to say no
- Councillors should take more responsibility for informing themselves on key issues/content of publications