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Tuesday 20 March 2018

## Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

### **Cabinet Committee - Local Issues**

The **Cabinet Committee - Local Issues** will meet in the **Leadership Meeting Room - 1st Floor, Civic Centre 3, Huddersfield, HD1 2TG** at **12.30 pm** on **Wednesday 28 March 2018**.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julie Muscroft', on a light-colored background.

**Julie Muscroft**

**Service Director – Legal, Governance and Commissioning**

Kirklees Council advocates openness and transparency as part of its democratic processes. Anyone wishing to record (film or audio) the public parts of the meeting should inform the Chair/Clerk of their intentions prior to the meeting.

**The Cabinet Committee - Local Issues members are:-**

**Member**

Councillor Peter McBride  
Councillor Naheed Mather  
Councillor Musarrat Khan

# Agenda

## Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached

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**Pages**

**1: Membership of the Committee**

This is where councillors who are attending as substitutes will say for who they are attending.

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**2: Minutes of Previous Meeting**

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To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 24 January 2018.

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**3: Interests**

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The Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have disclosable pecuniary interests, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items, or any other interests.

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**4: Admission of the Public**

Most debates take place in public. This only changes when there is a need to consider certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual. You will be told at this point whether there are any items on the Agenda which are to be discussed in private

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**5: Deputations/Petitions**

The Committee will receive any petitions and hear any deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also hand in a petition at the meeting but that petition should relate to something on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 (2), Members of the Public should provide at least 24 hours' notice of presenting a deputation.

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**6: Naming of new street - Land Adjacent, Grange Road, Golcar, Huddersfield. HD7 4QZ**

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To provide the Committee with information, to make an informed decision on the name for a new street following the suggestions received.

**Contact:** Paolo Colagiovanni, Group Building Surveyor (Building Control), 01484 221000

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Contact Officer: Jenny Bryce-Chan

## KIRKLEES COUNCIL

### CABINET COMMITTEE - LOCAL ISSUES

**Wednesday 24th January 2018**

Present:

Councillor Naheed Mather  
Councillor Musarrat Khan

In attendance:

Councillor Bill Armer  
Councillor Richard Smith  
Councillor John Taylor

Apologies:

Councillor Peter McBride

- 10 Membership of the Committee**  
Apologies from Cllr Peter McBride.
- 11 Minutes of Previous Meeting**  
That the minutes of the meeting held on the 20 September 2017 were agreed as a correct record.
- 12 Interests**  
No interests were declared.
- 13 Admission of the Public**  
All agenda items were considered in public session.
- 14 Deputations/Petitions**  
Cabinet Committee Local Issues received a deputation from Andy Scott Chair of Friends of Shepley, objecting to the proposed speed limit order.
- 15 Public Question Time**  
No questions were asked.
- 16 Member Question Time**  
No questions were asked.
- 17 Objection to (Speed Limit) (No 103) Order 2017, Proposed Speed Limit changes in the Sovereign/Birdsedge and Kirkburton Area**  
The Committee considered representations made in respect of proposed speed limit changes in the Sovereign/Birdsedge and Kirkburton Area.

Phillip Waddington, Principal Engineer attended the meeting to present a report to Committee on the proposed changes to the speed limit in the Sovereign/Birdsedge and Kirkburton Area. The Committee was advised that in June 2015, Kirklees

## **Cabinet Committee - Local Issues - 24 January 2018**

Council introduced a 30mph limit on the A629 Lane Head Road and A629 Penistone Road Shepley and since the change local residents had raised concerns regarding the lower speed limit.

Local ward councillors had asked the council to investigate the possibility of making a small increase to 40mph.

Committee Members were advised that the speed limit changes were advertised between the 07 and 28 August 2017 and nine objections were received. It was re-advertised on the 07 November and 08 December 2017 and fourteen objections were received. All objections were in respect of the proposed increase to the speed limit from 30mph to 40mph.

Andy Scott local resident – Friends of Shepley attended the meeting to make representations against the proposals. He informed the committee that he had spoken to local residents and most opposed the proposals to change the speed limit on Lane Head Road and that people who lived on that road were not aware of any accidents since the reduction.

Also in attendance at the meeting were Cllrs Richard Smith, John Taylor and Bill Armer, the three local ward councillors who made representations in support of the increase to the limit. They advised the committee that there was a full public consultation which was well attended and there was an overwhelming majority in favour of increasing the limit.

**RESOLVED** - That the proposed Speed Limit Order be implemented in line with officer recommendations

<b>KIRKLEES COUNCIL</b>			
<b>COUNCIL/CABINET/COMMITTEE MEETINGS ETC</b>			
<b>DECLARATION OF INTERESTS</b>			
<b>Name of Councillor</b>			
<b>Item in which you have an interest</b>	<b>Type of interest (eg a disclosable pecuniary interest or an "Other Interest")</b>	<b>Does the nature of the interest require you to withdraw from the meeting while the item in which you have an interest is under consideration? [Y/N]</b>	<b>Brief description of your interest</b>

Signed: ..... Dated: .....

## NOTES

### Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

If you have any of the following pecuniary interests, they are your disclosable pecuniary interests under the new national rules. Any reference to spouse or civil partner includes any person with whom you are living as husband or wife, or as if they were your civil partner.

Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain, which you, or your spouse or civil partner, undertakes.

Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from your council or authority) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expenses incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses.

Any contract which is made between you, or your spouse or your civil partner (or a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest) and your council or authority -

- under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and
- which has not been fully discharged.

Any beneficial interest in land which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, have and which is within the area of your council or authority.

Any licence (alone or jointly with others) which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, holds to occupy land in the area of your council or authority for a month or longer.

Any tenancy where (to your knowledge) - the landlord is your council or authority; and the tenant is a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest.

Any beneficial interest which you, or your spouse or your civil partner has in securities of a body where -

- (a) that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of your council or authority; and
- (b) either -

the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or

if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.



**Name of meeting:** Cabinet Committee - Local Issues  
**Date:** 28<sup>th</sup> March 2018  
**Title of report:** Naming of new street - Land Adjacent, Grange Road, Golcar, Huddersfield - HD7 4QZ

**Purpose of report:** To provide the Committee with information, to make an informed decision on the name for a new street following the suggestions received

<b>Key Decision - Is it likely to result in spending or saving £250k or more, or to have a significant effect on two or more electoral wards?</b>	No
<b>Key Decision - Is it in the <a href="#">Council's Forward Plan (key decisions and private reports?)</a></b>	Not applicable
<b>The Decision - Is it eligible for call in by Scrutiny?</b>	Yes
<b>Date signed off by <u>Strategic Director</u> &amp; name</b>  <b>Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Finance IT and Transactional Services?</b>  <b>Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Legal Governance and Commissioning?</b>	Karl Battersby - 14.03.2018  No financial implication  Julie Muscroft - 12.03.2018
<b>Cabinet member <a href="#">portfolio</a></b>	Economy - Cllr McBride and Cllr Mather 05.03.2018

**Electoral wards affected:** Golcar

**Ward councillors consulted:** Yes

**Public or private:** Public

## 1. Summary

- 1.1 The council complies with the relevant sections 17 and 18 of the Public Health Act 1925 to control the naming of streets.

- 1.2 The council follows a procedure which involves public suggestions and consultation with stakeholders.
- 1.3 The power to name streets is delegated to the Head of Service (Building Control) in consultation with Ward Members. Where there is a dispute the matter should be referred to the relevant Committee.
- 1.4 The policy itself is dated and needs to be updated. Current Street Naming and Numbering Policy 1990.
- 1.5 The policy needs to be clear as to if it is appropriate to name streets after people that are living or dead.
- 1.6 In general, names should not duplicate or closely resemble existing street names in the area, nor are streets generally named after persons who are living or who have lived in the recent past. Preference is often given to names with local connotations.

## 2. **Information required to take a decision**

- 2.1 The new street is formed by a development at Grange Road, Golcar, Huddersfield. See plan lay out, Appendix A and B.
- 2.2 After initial consultation, the suggestions received for naming the new street were Graham Shaw Way, Maddison Way, Thorpe Green Drive, Weavers Lane, Weavers Grove, Weavers Avenue, New Look Lane, Goody Lane, Smile Street, Keeping Close, Birds Avenue, Care Road and Character Place.
- 2.3 The developer's suggestions are Thorpe Green Drive, Weavers Lane, Weavers Grove, and Weavers Avenue.
- 2.4 Phase 1 of the development has been named Weavers Grove and Weavers Avenue. Phase 2 of the development is to be decided.
- 2.5 The suggestion Graham Shaw Way has been put forward. Lance Corporal Graham Shaw lived and was brought up in Golcar. Lance Corporal Graham Shaw died in February 2010 whilst on active service in Afghanistan. Graham Shaw's parents have put the suggestion forward and are therefore in support and feel would be a fitting tribute. There are previous precedents approved by the former Head of Service Building Control i.e. Lisa Head Way and Thomas Wroe Way.
- 2.6 The developer has been consulted and indicated support for the suggestion 'Graham Shaw Way'.
- 2.7 Ward councillors are aware of the suggestion put forward. Cllr Christine Iredale is in support and has suggested there are other fallen service personnel that could be commemorated by the naming of other streets.

### **3. Implications for the Council**

3.1 Upon posting of formal notices anyone unhappy about the proposed name can appeal against the decision to the Magistrates' Court. The Council would need to consider whether to defend its position should this occur.

3.2 The council will incur costs in defending any appeal that may be lodged. There is a high probability that in such cases the council will have costs awarded against them if they are not successful.

3.3 Future residents who are unhappy with the name could propose a name change and start the whole process again.

#### **3.4 Early Intervention and Prevention (EIP)**

N/A

#### **3.5 Economic Resilience (ER)**

N/A

#### **3.6 Improving Outcomes for Children**

N/A

#### **3.7 Reducing demand of services**

N/A

#### **3.8 Other (eg Legal/Financial or Human Resources)**

N/A

### **4. Consultees and their opinions**

4.1 See above.

4.2 Royal Mail have no objections to the proposal to the use of Graham Shaw Way, Graham Shaw Court, Graham Shaw Close, Weavers Lane, Weavers Grove or Weavers Avenue.

### **5. Next steps**

5.1 Once Cabinet Committee determine a proposed name the council will post notices on the site. The notices indicate the proposed name and how anyone unhappy with it can lodge an appeal with the Magistrates' Court.

5.2 If there are no objections, following expiry of the notice period the council will follow the procedure to formally name the street.

6. **Officer recommendations and reasons**

- 6.1 Officer recommendation is that the Committee determines to approve the name Graham Shaw Way for one of the new streets at the development. The other name to be used is Weavers Lane. Strong support from the developer, family and members. No negative or adverse objections received.
- 6.2 Reasons is that (a) previous precedents of naming street after fallen military i.e. Lisa Head Way and Thomas Wroe Way and (b) Family, developer and members support - no adverse comments received.

7. **Cabinet portfolio holder's recommendations**

Cllr Musarrat Khan fully supports Graham Shaw's parents' suggestion to name the new street. Cllr Khan has commented as follows 'I agree with Officers that this is a fitting tribute for Graham Shaw who tragically died in February 2010 whilst on active service in Afghanistan'.

8. **Contact officer**

Paolo Colagiovanni, Group Building Surveyor (Building Control), 01484 221000

9. **Background Papers and History of Decisions**

Extract from the current Street Naming and Numbering Policy:-

'Where proposals/suggestions are received which contains the names of persons who are alive or who have lived in the recent past, then the Chief Building Surveyor must be informed as these will normally require to be taken to the appropriate sub-committee for determination in accordance with the Council's policy.'

10. **Service Director responsible**

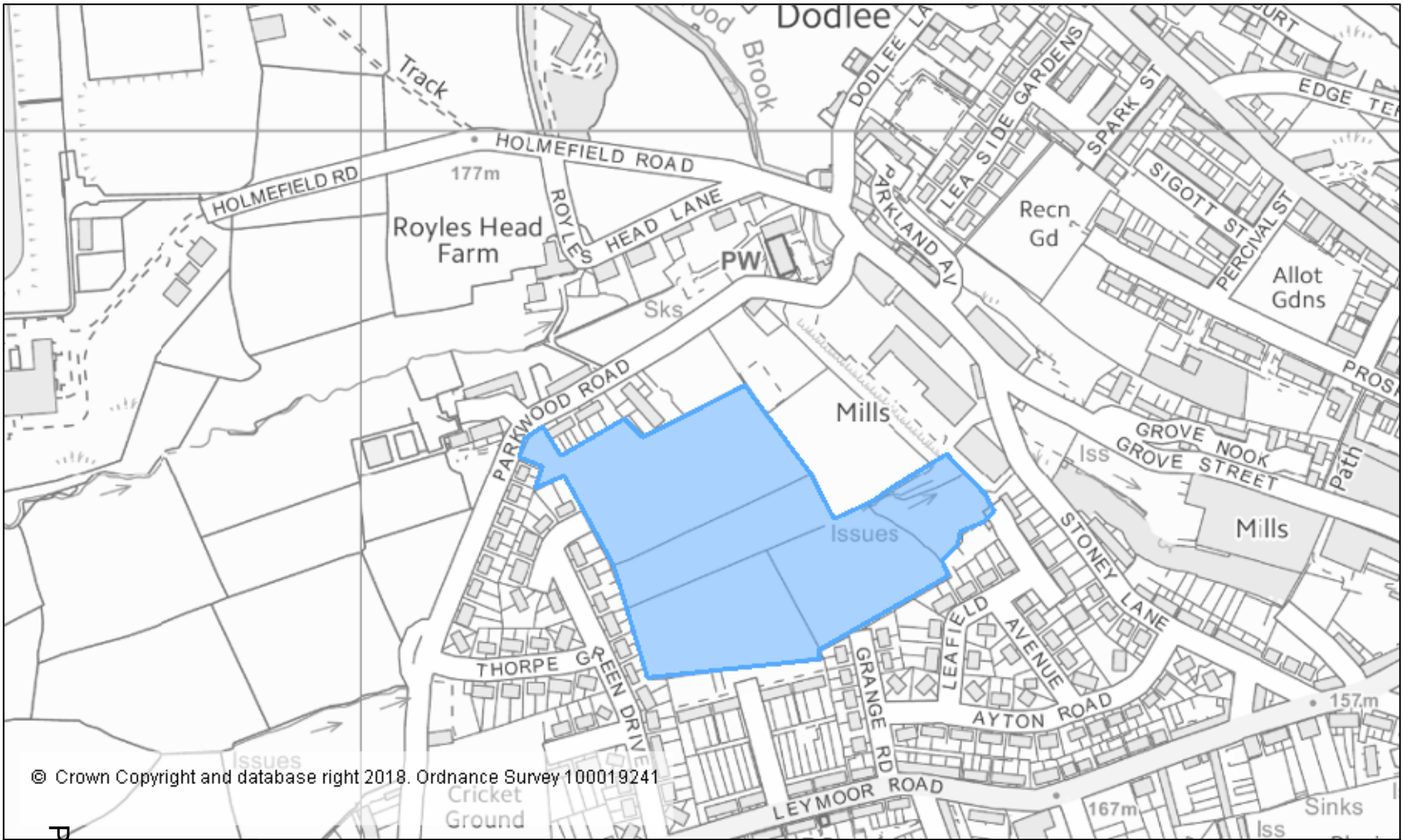
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Appendices

Appendix A - Location Plan

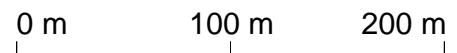
Appendix B - Location Plan Street Layout Plan





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Appendix A - Location Plan



Scale 1 : 3535



Appendix B - Location Plan Street Layout Plan



Folkstone	3	Mid	PS	830	6	4660	56%
Rosebery	2	Mid	PS	679	4	2716	38%
<b>Affordable Total</b>				<b>11</b>	<b>7096</b>	<b>100%</b>	
<b>Affordable Site Percentage</b>						<b>11%</b>	
<b>Total Site</b>						<b>100%</b>	

Gross Area	5.71 acres
	3,025 ha
Nett Area	0.79 acres
	2,7475 ha
Nett Coverage	13890 sq.ft/acre
Nett Density	35 dph

POS Area (approx)	1,5676 acres (approx)
	6,6343 ha (approx)
Adoptable Road Area	8922 m2
	81.7 m2/dwelling

**COMPOSITE WORKING DRAWINGS:-**  
For all non-standard dwellings joined either as semi-detached or terrace blocks refer to following composite working drawings:  
TBC

- GENERAL SPECIFICATION NOTES:-**
- All Plots to be constructed to 2017 spec.
  - All rear gardens to be gated with 1800mm high lockable gate.
  - Refer to High Huddleston & Associates drawings for details of retaining structures and drainage details.
  - All Plots to be constructed in accordance with approved Subsoil Details E-WM-22.
  - All plots to be pressure tested.
  - Garage sizes:  
Single - 3478 x 4400mm  
Twin - 6438 x 6400mm
  - Boundary Setting Out  
Refer to boundary setting Out Drawings. Set boundaries out in accordance with the abovementioned layout. If a boundary cannot be constructed in accordance with the setting Out (e.g. if there is an obstruction) please contact the Technical Department for advice.



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