



East Putney

Winter 2018



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Thursday, December 6 from 7pm

If you would like to speak directly to an individual councillor or officer please come along at 7pm. The main meeting will commence around 7.30pm.

The council wants to know what you think about life in East Putney ward. Whether it's services like recycling, street cleaning, parking, education and housing where the council has a direct responsibility – or other areas like policing, public transport and the NHS – we want to make sure that we understand your priorities for your community.

The meeting will be chaired by the leader of the council and East Putney Ward Councillor Ravi Govindia. Councillor George Crivelli will be present along with leader of the opposition, Simon Hogg and senior managers from the council.



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Your ward councillor report

More homes for local people The council's Building Homes for Wandsworth People scheme has identified the potential to build 41 new lower income properties on the Kersfield estate. These would be a mix of homes available at affordable rent and low cost shared ownership. The plans are now the subject of detailed and ongoing public consultation.

High Street investment More than £1m has been earmarked for investment in Putney High Street to reduce pollution and ease traffic congestion, alongside pedestrian improvements. We also welcome the Chancellor's Budget commitment to support high streets and will be urging ministers to invest in all our town centres including Putney.

Improving the Upper Richmond Road With the replacement of most of its old 1960s concrete towers with smart new housing blocks, we are in discussions with Transport for London to bring the 'High Street' effect to the new-look Upper Richmond Road. We are also pressing TfL to improve the forecourt outside East Putney station and revamp its two railway bridges.

Safer speeds with 20mph limit With a new lower speed limit now in place in all the borough's quiet residential roads we are keen to support the police's efforts to enforce this safer limit. The council has just purchased two speed guns for use by the Met in their Community Speedwatch

events. If you are concerned about excessive vehicle speeds in your neighbourhood please let us know.

Short cut to station Councillors recently met Transport Secretary Chris Grayling to discuss plans for a second entrance at Putney station. The council is offering funds to provide a new entrance direct onto the platforms via a footbridge in Oxford Road which would improve access to the station, shorten journey times and ease overcrowding at the Putney High Street entrance, as well as improving the interchange with District Line services at East Putney.

Supporting the Legion We are proud to have the Putney branch of The Royal British Legion in our community. It is particularly important to record our appreciation of the great work done by the Legion for ex-service personnel and their families and we salute its record of service in this landmark centenary year of the end of the First World War.

Curbing rat runners We have backed a six month trial scheme designed to curb rat-running in our ward in response to pleas from residents concerned at the volume of traffic using their streets as a cut-through. The measures should ease the problem in the area around Granville Road. We will be closely monitoring the scheme when it gets underway early next year.

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