

ESSEX COUNTY NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH ASSOCIATION
CHAIRMAN'S NOTES MEETING TUESDAY 6th NOVEMBER 2018

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Attended :

Clive Stewart (Chairman & Secretary ECNWA representing Braintree District) ,
Clive Woodward (Basildon) , Steve Leverett (Chelmsford) , Peter Fisk (ECNWA website Manager)
Colin Freeman (Event Co-ordinator ECNWA) , Frank Ferguson (Basildon) , Derrick Giffen (Uttlesford)
Nadine Rudd (Witham /Braintree), , Colin Dobinson (Crime Stoppers), Mike Hooper (Treasurer ECNWA
-Rochford), Ian Hubbard (Tendring), Jerry Crawford and Sarah Carless (Harlow) Brenda Cross and Michael
Lee (Essex Police) Derrick Giffin (Uttlesford).

Apologies:

Roger Passfield (Vice Chairman ECNWA – Thurrock) Alf Kennedy and Alan Norman (Southend)
Peter Salmon (Vice Chairman ECNA – Brentwood), Darren Horsman (Office of Police Fire & Crime
Commissioner) Sue Taylor and Tracey Graham (Epping Forest) Grahame Stehl (Colchester), Jenny Brouard
(Essex Police) Mandy Chapman & Sue Thompson (Maldon)

ESSEX POLICE

Michael Lee and Brenda Cross gave a report on a number of issues.

ECM : This is still being reviewed and a decision should be made by Chief Constable Mr. B J Harrington
soon . Various other social media Apps are being looked at and some are currently being used.

Clive Stewart once again requested that all the ECNWA District Co-ordinators feedback is shown to Mr.
Harrington (or at least he is aware of the summary of the feedback) .

The Rural Crime Advice Day at Great Slamseys Farm, Blackley Lane , Great Notley on Wednesday 14th
November was mentioned and that Essex Police Media Department would be promoting it .

Clive Stewart advised that Neighbourhood Watch will be sharing a table with Crime Stoppers (Colin
Dobinson) and that a number of Braintree District NW Steering group members would be helping at the
event.

REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF POLICE FIRE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER.

This had been received from Darren Horsman and was distributed to all the day before .

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Clive Stewart read an update on various matters and has sent the report to the website.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mike Hooper gave out a financial report and it can be seen that there are sufficient funds in the Bank for
the remaining 28/2019 period.

There are still issues with the Bank regarding adding new signatures and removing both Alan Johnson and
Geoff Ireland and once again all the forms have to be completed all over again.

CRIMESTOPPERS

Colin Dobinson gave a report and was pleased to share a table with ECNWA on November 14th at Great
Notley.

COLIN FREEMAN'S REPORT : Nothing to report!

COUNTY CO-ORDINATOR REPORT.

CBS updated the meeting regarding Castlepoint as Roger Passfield has met Peter Meekings who is standing
down this month and has information on the database and the finances . They hope to organise a meeting
to find someone to take on the role as the District Co-ordinator.

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DISTRICT CO-ORDINATORS REPORTS

Each District gave a report and they were requested to send it in a PDF format to Peter Meekings for the website.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

a. **STREET SIGNS AND CHELMSFORD DISTRICT**

Steve Leverett reported that the project has been completed and that they should have between 250/400 street signs sponsored by Essex Police (Chelmsford District) and Chelmsford District Council plus some funding form Chelmsford District Neighbourhood Watch.

CBS then updated the meeting as regards Essex Police involvement which was to roll out the project to the remaining 13 NW Districts.

Clive Stewart advised that it has been decided by Essex Police that any "roll out" should be organised by each Neighbourhood Watch District with their own Neighbourhood Policing teams.

So this is now left with each District to discuss with their local Essex Police District Commanders.

b. Meeting with Chief Constable BJ Harrington 15th January. Clive Stewart took a list of all those available on the day and will remind those who could not attend the meeting to advise him if they can attend Nearer the time CBS will remind everyone of the much reduced parking arrangements.

Meeting ended 11:55hrs.

Clive Stewart

Chairman

6th November 2018