

Council launches massive CPZ consultation north of Francis Road

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YOUR
STREET**



Following the introduction of Controlled Parking Zones (CPZ) in roads off the High Road, the Council is sending out a consultation document to all roads north of Francis Road from Scott's Road to Richmond Road (see list on the right). In a previous **Focus** the Team warned that if residents off the High Road agreed to a CPZ there would be a massive parking impact on the roads that did not have a CPZ. This has now happened and parking has become a nightmare.

It is interesting that most, if not all, of these roads voted against a CPZ when the Council consulted them after the Olympics. Experience shows however that once a CPZ is put in nearby roads then residents find parking difficult in their road. They then are forced to change their minds when asked again if they want a CPZ. **Focus** assumes that this is what the Council thinks.

Focus says: It is important that all residents fill in the consultation form and send it back so that a decision can be made that reflects the genuine view of residents.

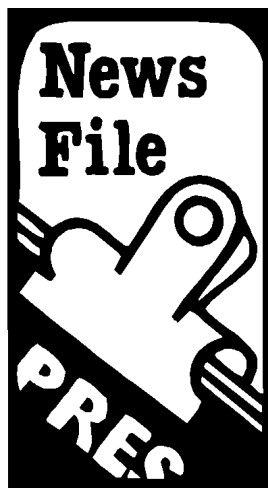
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DISGRACEFUL! Councillors vote to cut £1million from homeless budget but more money for themselves!

Waltham Forest taxpayers continue to fork out millions for Council propaganda, free events and a paper twice a month.

This on top of councillors voting to increase their allowances by 7 per cent costing over £1 million. How can they do this? Well they have put up Council Tax, cut over £100million from vital services and on top of this they have now cut £1million from the homeless budget. This is disgraceful.

Local note – Your three Labour Grove Green Ward councillors were paid over £100,000 last year to be increased this year. Are they worth it?



Roads to be consulted

Albert Road
Claude Road
Francis Road
Guernsey Road
Jersey Road
Morley Road
Murchison Road
Newport Road
Norlington Road
Pretoria Road
Richmond Road
Scott's Road
St Anne's Road
Twickenham Road

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Success for businesses and residents **SUCCESS!**

Following the mass opposition to the Council's scrapping of the 15 minute free parking they have come up with another plan.

Focus believes there will be free parking in on-street bays between 8am to 10am, 1pm to 2pm and 4pm to 6.30pm.

Full details in our next **Focus**.

Francis Road Mini Holland – update

The **Focus Team** has been informed that the Mini Holland plans for **Francis Road** have been slowed down while the Council concentrate on other schemes.

Could it be that the majority of businesses and a number of residents in **Francis Road** opposed the plans (see **Focus 277**)? Our experience though shows that the Council normally ignores the views of residents and businesses and carries on doing what it was going to do in the first place. **Focus** will keep you informed of developments.

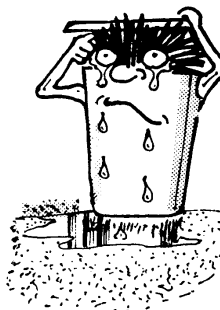


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Food and garden waste collection service cut!

The latest Waltham Forest News, the Council's propaganda paper, reminds us to use the brown bin for food and gardens waste. What it does not say is that the summer weekly collection service has been cut and brown bins will only be collected every two weeks.

Focus says: We can understand the two weekly collection in the winter when garden activity is low but in summer residents need a collection every week not just for the increase in garden waste but for food waste. Leaving food to rot for two weeks is surely a health hazard.



Bywaters and Oliver Road developments

Having reported that Bywaters is planning to build two 15 storey blocks of flats on its site we now hear that the Council is also planning to build over 600 flats nearby. This will mean demolishing the **Score Leisure Centre** in **Oliver Road** and transferring the football pitches to **Ive Farm** playing fields.

As the Score site is owned by the Council we expect that any development in Oliver Road will be social housing.

Focus will keep you informed of developments as they unfold.

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All very strange!

The block of flats on the corner of **Leyton High Road** and **Coopers Lane** called **Station Parade** is being increased by another floor.

The Council agreed that it could be built without any consultation with anyone and the plans were agreed by a council officer with delegated powers. The lack of normal planning procedure came as a surprise to residents since the block of flats has been the centre of many complaints for over a decade.

Focus says:

We will be investigating why the plans for this building were treated in a special way.

Local News

Coronation Gardens Food Market

The licence application for a food market in **Coronation Gardens** has been agreed by the Council.

Lib Dem Focus member Bob Sullivan spoke in favour of the market at the committee and was pleased that his concerns were taken on board.

More details in our next **Focus**.

The old Graylaw House



Graylaw House

The plans to turn the old **Graylaw House**, 394 **Leyton High Road**, into a 53 bed hotel have been refused by the Council. This is the second time that plans for a hotel have been turned down.

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