

MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1 JULY 2014

ITEM 6 – QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS

QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR N CLARKE TO COUNCILLOR A V SMITH MBE

“Meadow Lane crossroads in Coalville has been identified by this Council as a "Hotspot" for parking offences, and Officers have attempted to improve the appalling situation for residents and businesses in and around that location.

However, there appears to be no reduction in the amount of parking offences committed and the situation seems to be going from bad to worse.

Can the Portfolio Holder please advise me what this Council intend to do to help address this matter? ”

RESPONSE FROM COUNCILLOR A V SMITH MBE

“The District Council receives regular requests to increase on-street enforcement patrols in various areas of the District and this has included the Meadow Lane crossroads in Coalville.

As members will be aware the District Council is contracted by the County Council to undertake on-street enforcement services on its behalf.

All requests by residents and members for increased enforcement are therefore forwarded to the County Council for their consideration. The County Council do not offer an "on demand" service but all requests are considered to assess the appropriateness of any enforcement.

As such this request, with the District Councils support, will be forwarded to the County Council for their consideration and response”.