Parish Councillor Report for Adrian A Walker – September 2023

• 4.1 Nunthorpe Neighbourhood Plan

We do not yet have full support from all Ward and Parish Councillors

• 4.4 Grey Towers Village

Some of the public open space has been cleared with a tractor

• 5.1 Trees, Flowers, Allotments and Nunthorpe in Bloom Planting

The wild flower areas in Nunthorpe that have been funded by Nunthorpe Parish Council are enhancing the green environment in Nunthorpe

5.2 War Memorial

The new benches have arrived, one funded by The Blackburn Family and the other by Nunthorpe Parish Council in memory of volunteers from the Parish who have helped to maintain the surrounding area.

Volunteers wanted to help install the benches.

• 5.3 Public Rights of Way, Bridleways and Waste Management

Nunthorpe residents are unhappy about the delays in emptying

- 1) the green bins and emptying
- 2) the public litter bins

Residents have been playing their part by litter picking the known hotspots.

The tin cans from the Train Bin are being collected and given to Community Champions Middlesbrough for recycling.

5.4 Traffic and Footpaths

From reading posts on social media residents are unhappy about the new junction on Cypress Road/Stainton and don't feel that they have been adequately consulted.

As advocated by the Parish Council, there should be a comprehensive Marton/Nunthorpe wide traffic plan rather than this piecemeal approach

• 5.5 Crime and Anti Social Behaviour

Neighbourhood Safety Officer

I've not had any reports regarding ASB, one job requesting alley gates at Marton Moor Road.

Resident states criminal damage, ASB and drug use.

PCSO

We have had an issue with youths targeting the rear of an address on the back lane of Marton Moor.

I am also aware that the Avenue park has recently been attracting a larger than usual crowd of youths, this has disturbed residents living around the park and near to the shops.

Would appreciate Councillors keeping their eyes peeled if in passing and letting me know if they see similar.

Marton and Nunthorpe Neighbourhood Watch

Now that the summer holidays are over and the dark nights are drawing in we need to make a concerted effort to grow our numbers and work together to combat crime and ASB in our neighbourhood.

Current membership is around 1,500 it would be nice to get over 2,000 and should not be difficult for the size of the area.