LONDON BOROUGH OF BRENT

COUNCIL MEETING – 30th OCTOBER 2006

Items Selected by Non-Executive Members under Standing Order 39

(a) From Councillor Mendoza

Wembley Stadium protective parking scheme

There is an anomaly in the implementation of the Wembley Stadium Protective Parking Scheme. The last administration tried to force a 'Bays and Permits' system on the entire area concerned but 'environmental areas' opposed this as marked bays restrict parking ability. They now have a 'Permits Only' system and if this can work in some areas, it can work in all areas. I therefore urge the Executive to consider a review of the Scheme at the earliest practicable opportunity, so that all residents affected can ignore the bay markings and move to a 'Permits Only' system to maximise parking ability.

(b) From Councillor R Moher

Improvements to Roe Green Park

The Council welcomes the multi-use games area in Roe Green Park, which was completed as part of a three year rolling programme of improvements to the park. The second and third years of the programme include the provision of play equipment for older children and, ultimately, the provision of tennis courts.

I urge the Executive to confirm that the funding is still available for the 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} years of the plan and to confirm the timetable for completion.

(c) From Councillor Butt

Secondary School places

The Council notes the concern of parents about the lack of secondary school places which reduces parental choice. This concern is repeatedly expressed by Tokyngton residents. I urge the Executive to come forward with realistic plans for dealing with the shortage of places.