

**STREETWISE** is back keeping up to speed on the relentless drive of Mad Mallon and Co's **bulldozing** machinations. And while he may not be overly loud on the subject currently this can be explained by the small matter of getting himself re-elected – now he wouldn't want to be drawing *too* much attention to his (and his **Labour toadies**) track record so far, would he?

Breaking weeks of silence in the Gazette (EG 20/4/07) he meekly claims *"we have made considerable progress on regeneration..."*, but not surprisingly offers not a single example. Could this be we ask, because there isn't one? - West Lane, Whinney Banks, Grove Hill and St Hilda's? - **Bulldozers and blight** as far as the eye can see, and with it the **abject misery** of untold thousands of people caught up in, and subject to, this **Mallon notion of 'progress'**.

And if this (**made by Mallon**) **disaster** is not enough he tells us Central Middlesbrough's going to get a dose of the same if he's elected (EG 20/4/07). We have all been warned.

When the Mayor and his Executive circus came to Gresham in early March he was positively strutting. Wanting it known that he and he alone was the architect of mass demolition, and stating that he wants to **knock 4000 down not just 1500**, in the first phases.

Indeed happily (if not very intelligently) confirming what we at the Insider have been saying all along. Namely that no one living in terraced housing in Middlesbrough is safe from this man and his friends - The **money grubbing spivs and speculators**.

Of course his sights are a lot lower now than when he was telling the world that he was the **'link man'** for gazillions in regeneration cash from Dubai to build giant toasters. Remember EMAAR and Dubai connection? **All talk and no trousers** of course, but this abject failure has not deterred him one iota from embarking on further ill conceived mad cap schemes. Schemes which have caused maximum misery for all the little people in the firing line, and he has the gall to speak of "raising hope" (E Gazette 20/4/07)

He should explain to the remaining inhabitants of St Hilda's his take on 'hope'. Four years down the line they continue to reside among rotting boarded up burnt out vandalised houses with no where to go and **no hope** in sight. An enduring **nightmare**, courtesy of Mayor Mallon!

Mr Mallon and his Labour cronies fully intend to turn Gresham into a **mirror image** if we re-elect them, or we don't bother to go out and vote for people who actively oppose this. The process has begun in phase 1a where people (as reported in the Gazette) are being offered sums of between £35.000 and £47.000, leaving them with no possible chance of purchasing a like for like replacement home. Mallon calls this "be(ing) treated fairly" (EG 20/4/07)

It's nothing more than **'social cleansing'** – you dispossess and displace ordinary working people from their structurally sound homes and you give their land to developers to throw up inferior quality builds to be sold at grossly overpriced rates to upper income groups.

Mallon and Co clearly think the electorate of Middlesbrough are stupid! We think he might just find out soon that we're not, but here's an example of his contempt.

When asked by worried home owners and tenants recently for a justification of mass demolition (something incidentally that neither he nor his executive have provided in 20 months of asking), those resident concerns were airily dismissed, and their questions met with disgraceful and **insufferable arrogance**. Mallon's response was:

*"I am the doctor and the medicine I am going to give you may not be what you want but it is a cure"* (EG 14/3/07)

Well somebody needs to explain to the 'good' doctor Mallon that any cure is wholly dependent on a sound and accurate diagnosis, something that the abundance of existing evidence overwhelmingly demonstrates he hasn't got, and we all know what happens to (not so) 'good' doctors (and especially **quacks**) who screw up – they **get struck off**, or at the very least they are required to **resign** – (admitting to 14 disciplinary misdemeanours' along the way is entirely optional)

'Dr' Mallon's 2005 diagnosis was that Gresham suffered from 'cancer' and that it must be cut out. Quite apart from the wholly intended slur on our multi-cultural community, since when do bricks and mortar suffer from such a disease? Beware Southfield, Linthorpe and beyond your homes can also be subject to similar **misdiagnosis**.



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Back to the May elections - We have a Mayoral candidate (only one) who opposes mass demolition and the **piddling payments** on offer, and who announced his opposition long before running for Mayor, this being **Joe Michna**.

There is also three independent councillors' running in Gresham and two in Middlehaven. StreeWise says we need to go out en masse and **vote for our independents and Joe**, and we need to get all our friends and relations outside of Gresham/Middlehaven to do likewise. We need to **get rid** of Mallon and all his Labour toadies, and elect a Mayor and councillors who will bring **real regeneration** to this town.

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