

**CLAPHAM COMMON MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING**

Thursday 6 April 2017

7.00pm at Omnibus, 1 Northside, Clapham, SW4 0QW

Present: Simon Millson (SM) (Chair), Helen O'Malley (HOM) (Deputy Chair), David Beldon (DB), Cllr Linda Bray (LB), David Dandridge (DD), David Frost (DF) (for Friends of Clapham Common – FoCC), Cllr Nigel Haselden, Jeremy Keates (JK), Alex Nickson (AN), Martin Read (MR) and Maev Sullivan (MS) (for The Clapham Society – CS)

Guests: Tolu Fatogbe (TF) (LBL) and Peter Jefferson-Smith (PJS) (Bandstand Concerts)

Apologies: Cllr Bernard Gentry (BG), Tim Bennett (TB), Patrick Spencer (PS) and Adrian Darley (AD)

1. Polygon toilet block and redevelopment of the changing rooms

TF gave a presentation of the plans for the old toilet block which is to come back into use as a toilet facility for Transport for London at one end and a café with toilets facilities for the public at the other. The changes to the building have Secretary of State approval. Work to remove asbestos was due to start on 7 April and major construction work starting on 17 April for 68 days. TF assured the committee that CCMAC would be part of the consultation process throughout the planning of the new changing rooms. **Action: SM to monitor**

2. Bandstand Concert Programme

PJS presented this year's budget Bandstand concerts which was agreed by the committee. The season will begin with CCMAC's Common People on Saturday 27 May. **Action: DD poster for concerts, NH request help from school through contacts and newsletter**

3. Minutes of the meeting on Thursday 2 March 2017

The minutes were approved with an amendment to agenda item - **The grassy knoll** which should read 'The committee noted that the project would proceed without seeking Secretary of State consent'.

4. Matters arising:

- **Winterville** – Clapham Society still waiting for further information from Winterville organisers. SM to circulate CCMAC's response. **Action - SM**
- **Management Plan** - Structure of first draft now complete. **Action - SM**
- **Green Waste site** - DD informed the committee that Lambeth has appointed a Council official to draw up plans for an upgraded green waste

site. This is in the early stages and the main issue is to clear much of the dumped rubbish that has accumulated over the years.

5. Enhance Clapham

JK spoke about This is Clapham's improvements to the public realm, such as landscaping, lighting and the green infrastructure audit and the public art strategy with Studio Voltaire. **Action: Studio Voltaire to be invited to speak at next meeting.**

6. Healthy Streets

NH spoke about a workshop led by Cllr Brathwaite to identify ideas to improve walking and cycling throughout Lambeth.

7. Food concession on grassy knoll

MS decided there was no longer a need to have this on the agenda.

8. Quietway 5

LBL has said they will consult with CCMAC about the surfacing and other design features of the proposed Quietway across the Common. A date is yet to be set when work will begin across the Common.

9. Maintenance regime

Water tap on the Common will be turned back on at the end of May.

10. Working Groups updates

SM to meet with **DB** to discuss how the Trees and Landscape Working Group could work. **Action: SM**

11. AOB

Website update

AN informed the committee that work on the website is now complete. CCMAC agreed to pay the web developer his final instalments and reimburse **AN** for money he has paid for domain name and hosting. **AD to make payments.**

DD informed the committee that Lambeth LGBT would like take to set up a litter picking activity. This would be part of a general litter-pick. **SM to set a date for litter-pick. .**

12. Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting was set for Thursday 4 May at 7.00pm at Omnibus.