

## Notes of a CCC Meeting 17 March 2014

### **1. Present**

Geoff Stilwell (Chair), George Coulouris, Jean Dollimore, Angela Hobsbaum, Meade McCloughan, Alexandre Santacreu, Helen Vecht, Alex McKinnell (Notes).

### **2. Apologies**

John Chamberlain, Ben Edmonds, Stefano Casalotti, Steven Edwards.

### **3. Minutes of Meeting of 17 February 2014**

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### **4. Matters Arising**

4.1 Angela Hobsbaum reported that no Camden or Islington schools were taking part in Big Pedal 3. One Hackney school was taking part.

4.2 Jean Dollimore reported Phil Jones will make final decision on Cobden Junction on 18 March 2014.

4.3 Noted that the sail banner was now ordered and paid for.

### **5. LCC Borough Coordinators Meeting**

5.1 Angela Hobsbaum reported on the latest meeting, which she had attended. Points arising from this were: -

- 90% of the meeting had been devoted to Local Election matters. LCC's advice was that one or more high profile events were desirable to back campaigning up, but they did not need to be big or labour intensive – just newsworthy, In Camden a ride up and down Royal College Street would be a possibility.
- It was helpful to get other groups (Living Streets, Residents Associations) on side,
- LCC could give advice on press releases,
- The launch of LCC's Space for Cycling Campaign would be on 7 April 2014.

5.2 It was noted that LCC were promoting a big campaigning ride on 17 May 2014. Agreed to run a feeder ride to this as soon as details of the route were known. Noted that the ride itself could not go through any of the Royal Parks.

5.3 Packs of election material were available for sale at £99 a pack – the meeting decided not to purchase any of these.

### **6. Outer Circle Action Group**

6.1 Angela Hobsbaum had sent the group's report to the leader of Westminster City Council, asking for a meeting to discuss this.

6.2 The Royal Park's view on the proposals was not entirely clear. Angela wondered if they wanted to keep all the negotiations to themselves.

### **7. Local Elections 2014**

7. Noted that LCC would get our asks to each potential candidate by e-mail. It was up to us (CCC) to do as much follow up as we can.

### **8. April Meeting – Police Speakers**

8.1 Inspector Hunter and Sgt Elizabeth Chalk would attend. The Police needed an agenda in advance to brief them as to what was to be discussed. Agreed that bike theft and how to mitigate it were the main items, and to advise the Chair of the meeting (Stefano Casalotti) of this.

## **9. Meeting with Camden Officers**

9.1 The latest meeting had taken place on 13 March 2014. Jean Dollimore circulated a note of the meeting. Highlights were: -

- Bartholomew Road Area – CCC had circulated maps showing inward and outward routes possible to and from points within the area (e.g. middle of Patshull Road and Gaisford Street) under the proposed ‘No Entries’.
- Tottenham Court Road – Camden now proposed no entry (except for buses and cycles) at the southern end between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. 2 way cycling was proposed in all side streets.

[http://www.camdencyclists.org.uk/info/meetings/meetings-with-lb-camden/Minutes Quarterly meeting with officers 13 Mar 14.pdf](http://www.camdencyclists.org.uk/info/meetings/meetings-with-lb-camden/Minutes%20Quarterly%20meeting%20with%20officers%2013%20Mar%2014.pdf)

## **10. Website**

10.1 Jean reported on a meeting with David Hastings and Allan Whatmough (Plone expert who has volunteered to help with migration). A plan had been made on the work was still necessary on old site to new site data migration.

## **11. Sidings Fund raising Project**

11.1 Sue Measures (Manager, The Sidings) spoke about the possibility of promoting a cycling event, which would: -

- Bring the community together,
- Raise money through sponsorship.

She hoped CCC could help with marshalling. She will give the proposal more thought

## **Members Meeting**

Nick Russell, Jack Holroyde, Owen Robertson, Simon Pearson, Nick Grierson, Ian Cohen, David Staite, Anna Hull, Iakovos Panagiotidis, Tracey Shackle, Max Shackle, Charley Fernandes, Angela Pober, Tulip Siddiq, Douglas Beattie and Richard Olszewski joined us.

The members meeting was devoted to a discussion with local election candidates on the ‘Asks’ for West Hampstead, Fortune Green and Kilburn Wards in the #space4cycling campaign.

## **12. Next Meeting**

11.2 Monday 14 April 2014 at The Sidings Community Centre, 150 Brassey Road (off Maygrove Road), London NW6 2BD) – Chair Stefano Casalotti.