



Committee Meeting Agenda

Monday 6 January 2020, 6.00 p.m. - 8.00 p.m.

Waterways Children Centre, Southwood Road, Thamesmead, London,
SE288EZ

1. Introduction/Welcome

In attendance

Deborah Frimpong (Chair) **(DM)**
Sue Pollok (Treasurer) **(SP)**
Rachel Wicks (Peabody) **(RW)**
Tracey Megson **(TM)**
Derek Sewell **(DS)**
Chiamaka Muoneke **(CM)**
Julius Ariko **(JA)**
Titilope Durojaiye (Publicity Officer) **(TD)**
Patricia Reilly (Secretary) **(PR)**

2. Apologies/ Declarations

Beatrice Annaman

3. Minutes of last Committee meeting & matters arising

Minutes from the last committee meeting were not available. They will be available along with January 2020 minutes to agree.

4. Aecom Report - Forward Planning

Committee members to read the report and submit any comments or amendments by Friday to 10 January 2020 **(ALL)** to Deborah Frimpong and Giles. These will then be added to the minutes.

5. Report from Catherine McRory



Deborah read out an email from Catherine McRory regarding the GLA report on Thamesmead and Abbey Wood Opportunity Area Planning Framework which can be viewed at <https://www.london.gov.uk/thamesmead>

The link will be added to the Moorings Neighbourhood Forum website under the news page.

6. Delayed payment from Peabody

There was a delayed payment for the flyers we distributed in December. It will be paid this week.

7. Reinstated Notice Board re:Usage/Frequency

The committee are very grateful to Peabody for refurbishing the old board. With the funding from Locality MNF were able to purchase the new sign from print to design who were excellent and by far the cheapest including fittings.

A holding display has been posted with the Forum meetings as well as a map. These will need to be updated if changed going forward. **(DS/ Publicity Officer)**

Discussion around any other items from the forum to be posted - there is not much space for other organisations to display information. One suggestion was a poster with links to reports we are consulting on - including a brief one sentence (why it's beneficial to comment) about the report and signpost to our website where the reports can be found.

DS has the key for the box. **DS** will create a few posters to add to the box.

Add the MNF mobile number to the Notice Board in large font. Need to explore top up - **Publicity Officer**

8. Possible Response re: Gogis Underpass



The underpass was flooded, DS contacted council and had no response from them. However following Christmas it appeared dry so it may have been unblocked. Long term there is still need for work to be done as it may have been unblocked but not cleaned.

Agreed **DS** will go back to council by sending an official letter to inform the council it still needs to be cleaned and will copy in Councillor Averil Lekau.

9. Possible Dates of Events MNF members can attend & promote

Nothing in near future

10. Titilope's post (Publicity Officer)

Due to work commitments TD is unable to continue to stand as an Officer i.e. Publicity Officer but may be able to continue on as a committee member. TD may not be able to attend actual meetings but may be able to participate in the work happening in between meetings.

Discussion around the fact that there may be other people who can attend meetings that may want to join the committee. No decision was made either way.

11. Committee Members roles & responsibilities and Engaging others to get involved

Discussion around getting more people from the wider forum to be involved. 21 new people signed up from the recent events - Have they been added to the distribution list? **(PR)**

12. AGM - February 2020

The committee decided to move the next Forum meeting and AGM scheduled for 17 February 2020 to 03 March 2020 as the 17th falls within half term and so is problematic for some to attend the meeting.



Next dates: Committee meeting Monday 03.02.20
Cancel Monday 17.02.20
Change 02.03.20 from Committee meeting to AGM/Full
Forum Meeting

All officers will stand down and reapply for their positions. Others will be invited to apply to the Committee. Instructions need to be send to all Forum Members. **(PR)**

13. Confirmation of all 2020 Committee & Forum meeting dates

(PR) to check and update everyone

AOB

DF

DF shared an email which outlined work undertaken by Giles from November 2019. Total remaining = 23.25 hours or 3.1 days until the end of March 2020.

Also shared were Giles' thoughts for priorities for the next few months. These included developing the Neighbourhood Plan:

- 1) list of upcoming events which committee members attend
- 2) write a postcard for the future **(SP)** to explore upcoming events with contacts from Peabody rather than asking Giles to do that. Contact other organisations re: partnership working with Forum. Giles will need help with contacting and meeting local organisations
- 3) Someone to help with entering data from surveys from Survey Monkey

RW

RW raised the neighbourhood walkabouts and asked if the MNF are interested in restarting this previous practice and if yes could we start arranging it. CM is available on Wednesdays and Fridays. It was agreed for the first one to be scheduled for a Friday morning and for **(CM) and (JA)**



to be the representatives leading arrangements from the Committee. **(RW)** will link in with Peabody staff.

SP

SP raised the topic of training - PR and DF confirmed that there is training that we can access that is organised by Bonnie from Peabody. **(PR)** to email everyone the details to be registered for emails from Bonnie.

TM

TM shared that the children centres have been successful in their bid to continue delivering for the next 5 years. 2 in Abbeywood and 2 in Thamesmead. From April 20 they will also be running the Health Visiting programmes from 0-4 years with Health visitors located in Children Centres.

DM

DM reminded everyone **(ALL)** to please read the Aecom report and information from Giles and feedback by Friday 10 January at the latest.

Meeting closed