



Minutes of the MA Committee meeting – 21.2.17

1. **Present:** Ricci, Bob, Clive, Eileen, Len, Nicky C., Richard, Tom, Andrew C., Marc and Nigel. Apologies were received from: Gareth, Nicky S (post-meeting), Andrew S. and Liz.
2. **Minutes of the 10.1.17 Committee meeting:** These were agreed as a true record.
3. **Treasurer's report:** In Nicky's absence the Chair reported that we had received a £500 donation from Laura Holmes Production Ltd, as compensation for the disruption caused to the community by their recent event in the Army Centre. Expenditure totalled £178.06, including £50 paid to Lumen Church instead of the full fee for the September 2016 meeting. The balance at bank on 20.2.17 was £2,307.61.
4. **Chair's Report - the report was noted with the following action points:**
 - **Grade II listed telephone kiosk, Brunswick Square:** Agreed to suggest That BT Openreach considers an alternative use for this kiosk.
 - **Leon Restaurant, 2 the Brunswick:** Agreed to lodge an objection to the proposed change of use from A1/Retail to A3/A5 Restaurant/Take-away.
 - **Compton Place – replacement trees X 2:** Noted that Richard was pursuing this on behalf of Knolly's House RA.
 - **BT Link street products:** Agreed to ask Camden to indicate all locations being considered for the replacement of redundant BT kiosks with these innovative products.
 - **Tavistock Place trial traffic scheme:** Noted that Camden' Cabinet was due to consider a proposal on Wednesday to maintain the current road layout, but to refer the matter to a public inquiry before making a final decision. It was also note that the knock on effect of this decision would be that the Brunswick Square and Midland Road/Judd Street traffic schemes would be deferred until the above decision is made.
 - **Parking suspensions in connection with events at the Army Centre, Handel Street:** Noted that the organisers had apologised for the inconvenience caused to residents and had made a £500 donation to MA by way of compensation.
 - **Shop Front Awards 2016:** Noted that Gareth could no longer assist with these and that Andrew S had kindly volunteered to take his place. The judges agreed to make their recommendations to our next meeting.

- **4 Woburn Walk:** The Chair confirmed that he had spoken to the proprietor about improving the appearance of their shop front, and although they were very receptive to the idea, no action had yet been taken.
 - **King's Cross SNP:** Bob reported that the next meeting of this group would be considering petty crime, vehicle crime and people trying to gain unauthorised access to blocks of flats.
5. **AOB:** None.
6. **Date of next meeting:** 4.4.2017, 7pm, Holiday Inn Hotel.

The meeting closed at 8.50pm.