**Public realm steering group**
21 November 2013, 6.30pm, BizSpace (Shakespeare Business Centre)

*Present: Anthea Masey (AM), Maude Estwick (ME), Hazel Watson (HW), Walter Reed (WR), Mark Trevethan (MT), Richard Ambler (RA), Tom Bridgeman (TB), Tim Gaymer (TG), Mandy Mazliah (MM) minutes*

*Apologies: Daniel Moore, David Hills, Tom Greenall, Naomi Smith, Sue Bell, Clare Neely, Matt Parr, Stuart Gardner, Leanne Targett-Parker*

1. **Welcome to new members**
2. **Note of the steering group 16 October 2013**The note was agreed
3. Matters arising
- AM has emailed Councillor Rachel Heywood and Councillor Jim Dickson RH about setting up a partnership meeting. Still not made progress. Ideal would be to have an agreement with Network Rail, Lambeth Council and LJAG to work co-operatively and meet quarterly.
**- AM to follow up with Natasha Walker about the business community action from October minutes.**
4. Consultation on Loughborough Junction Plan
(i) Residents
RA made a couple of amends and then the group agreed the consultation form.
(ii) Business community
Extra copies will be printed for businesses.
5. Cambria Road and bridge improvements
Steel rails have now been put up. Unlikely any more will be done this year because of the weather. WR working on a series of paving slabs with inter-active content commemorating WW1. Piece of music being written by music students for event in WW1 style pop-up tea shop.
Bollards (Mark Cowan) have been started.
RA updated on the demolition work on Bengeworth Road site. This will be finished in February. It was noted that the work is causing disturbance to Southwell Road residents.
6. Lambeth appointment of consultants to review Overground stations
has been put out to tender. Looking at whether it is possible to build new stations or use existing ones and how feasible this is. Work will take place between January and March.
7. Extension of KIBAs (Key Industrial and Business Area) in Loughborough Junction under new Local Plan.
AM – not happy about Wickwood Road being made a KIBA. Reduces the area’s flexibility.
TB – consultation on Local Plan finished a month ago. If LJAG want to respond they will need to send this directly to the Inspector in charge of the Plan.
**Action: TG to call Catherine Carpenter at Lambeth to follow up point about Wickwood Road being made a KIBA.**
8. Meeting with Network Rail on Tuesday 10 December, 3pm.
LJAG to take 2 or 3 people: WR, TG & AM.
**TB to ask if we can hold the meeting with Network Rail at DSDHA.**
9. Presentation of plan to Lambeth council cabinet members Wednesday 11 December.
Meeting is 1-2pm. LJAG to take two or three people. **Action: AM to let MT know who is attending 11 Dec meeting.**
10. NEP in Coldharbour – results of latest consultation.
Results will be sent out on Friday 29 November. **Item to be carried over to next meeting.**
11. Cycle route plans in Herne Hill and Coldharbour wards and timescale.
RA – TFL have not committed to fund the Quiet Way yet. Lambeth want this route to be the green route from Ruskin Park to the river. The group discussed additional sources of funding.
RA – there are plans to change the junction of Minet, Knatchbull and Lilford Road
12. Any other business.

Townscape Heritage Initiative, Heritage Lottery Fund. AM has done some research into this. Looks as if it’s for conservation areas only.
**TB to talk to Doug Black, head of conservation, about Townscape Heritage Initiative and report back to AM.** TB also talking to an HLF mentor about Brixton so will mention LJ in this meeting. **AM to speak to the HLF and report back.**

WR – heard from two people who live in Paulet Road, want to start a street food deli. Will be called 7 Bridges Deli.

TB gave an update on the Meanwhile Spaces project. It is an idea being developed with JP Morgan to use empty business properties in the Loughborough Junction area for start-up businesses. **Action: AM to speak to Mark Sullivan from Network Rail to ask if LJAG could use one of the arches for Loughborough Farm.**

TB - a paper will be taken to January Cabinet about CIL (Community Infrastructure Levy). Cllr Robins wants to understand local people’s priorities**. TB to share a paper with LJAG about CIL.**

The next meeting will take place on Wednesday 18 December 2013