

Moseley Forum

Minutes for Tuesday 23 February 2021

Zoom meeting. 7.30 to 9.30pm

Committee members in attendance: Becky Greenhill, Richard Kimberlee, Gig Payne, Jill Adams, Huw Davies, Jane Harvey, Esther Boyd, Tom Russell, David Isgrove (Chair), Izzy Knowles, John Gorman

Other attendees: Cllr Kerry Jenkins and 16 others

	Item	Action
1	Welcome & Introductions DI welcomed everyone to the meeting. Apologies: Fiona Adams.	
2	Minutes from Previous Meeting & Matters Arising <i>Minutes from previous meeting – 26 January 2021</i> The minutes of the previous meeting were approved. <i>Matters arising (not covered elsewhere)</i> Investment in rail A letter has been sent to Chancellor, Rishi Sunak, from Moseley organisations in support of the Camp Hill line/Midland Rail Hub. A copy of the letter will be posted to MF website. 5G Masts 1 location identified, the forecourt of station, Andy Street will push WMRE if Moseley orgs are keen (other sites are being explored by Cllr Jenkins).	IK/EB
3	Update from BS4M/KJ - LTN <i>Phase 1</i> 2 closures in Moseley Has not been universally popular. Feedback requested – Common Place Framework and https://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/.../ebtp.../ (includes Places for People Moseley initial measures) <i>Phase 2</i> Tranche 2 funding confirmed. BCC finalising consultants for Phase 2 – design, participation and community consultation. Feedback from Phase 1 will feed into Phase 2, it is therefore important people feedback through official BCC channels. BS4M will shortly be collecting community ideas – they want residents to have a voice in bringing forward a Phase 2.	

	Leaflet imminent for residents - mailshot area yet to be agreed. MF have made a request for mailshot this to be extended to wider community. DI to write to Joe Green – we feel this should be ward wide.	DI
4	<p>Matters arising from residents:</p> <p><i>Ascot Road – residents parking</i> Whether as part of LTN, residents parking schemes could be included – c/f to next month.</p> <p><i>Parking on verges</i> Can the signage and management of parking on the verges be extended beyond Yardley Wood Road? There is currently no enforcement more widely across the ward e.g., Swanshurst Lane, Moor Green Lane.</p> <p>KJ advised grass verge protection measures need to be enforced through a Traffic Regulation Order which is expensive. Funding is limited. BCC is looking at a city-wide grass verge parking policy, KJ will investigate, report back and follow up with those interested. Enforcement is a challenge. Repairs take time to be undertaken.</p> <p><i>Green Road</i> Recommended to write to KJ (cc MF) to outline issues - fencing/bollards, litter, antisocial behaviour, driving on meadow, fly tipping (no one taking responsibility).</p>	<p>c/f next month</p> <p>KJ/relevant attendees</p> <p>Relevant attendees</p>
5	<p>Moseley Folk Festival – presentation by Gerv Havill</p> <p>Highbury - July 9-11 It is hopeful that Moseley Folk Festival will be able to take place, the government is running pilot events to see how the impact of COVID-19 might be managed. The govt roadmap announced yesterday means it is looking like it may be possible to hold large events by July.</p> <p>Inevitably, the Festival will need more space than Moseley Park due to social distancing, Kings Heath Park/Cannon Hill are not suitable. A site in the South West corner adjacent to the railway line in Highbury Park has been identified as suitable for large scale event. The event organisers have been in discussions with Community Highbury Trust and stakeholders; and are now in the process of a licence application.</p> <p>The event organisers have not ruled out Moseley Folk Festival taking place in the Moseley park but need a failsafe contingency. Traffic, noise, and litter are concerns for local residents; the Event Management Plan will address these. Residential properties are further away than at Moseley Park.</p> <p>This is a temporary contingency for the Moseley Folk Festival for 2021. The event organisers are open to feedback from the community, local authority and CHT. Mostly Jazz should be able to be held in Moseley in September.</p> <p>Some suggestions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Considering live streaming event • Contact KH Forum – IK to forward contact details. • Article for B13 magazine (via DI). 	IK

6	<p>Reports from</p> <p>The meeting ran out of time for reports from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Support Team (police) • Moseley Society • Moseley Regen • Moseley in Bloom <p>Farmers Market</p> <p>In running for Best Farmers Market in UK</p> <p>Finance Report</p> <p>On radar - AGM / application for Neighbourhood Grant.</p> <p>Moseley Litter busters</p> <p>Rolling out Adopt a Street and had first school join the campaign – Moseley School.</p>	
7	<p>AGM/Hustings</p> <p>Hustings – PCC and Mayor</p> <p>Need to look at the dates, be aware of postal vote deadline.</p> <p>2 Hustings events to be organised – questions beforehand take place in virtual realm/200 people can attend on the current Zoom account used by MF but this could be extended – RK to look at options.</p> <p>AGM</p> <p>To take place instead of the March MF meeting.</p>	DI/RK
8	<p>AOB</p> <p>A carry forward for meetings</p> <p>Collating and reporting ASB problems across the ward</p> <p>Drug dealing – a number of locations to be forwarded to Paul Weate.</p>	

Date of next zoom meeting: Tuesday 30 March 2021 7.30pm