

MAYFAIR NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM – STEERING GROUP MEETING 15:00-17:00, Wednesday 17th August 2022 Teams Meeting Minutes

Participants

Gordon Morrison (Chair) Jeremy Bishop Piers Townley Eric Scots-Knight Edward Watts Zaria Pinchbeck Graham Barnes

In Attendance

Catherine Jenkins Dan Johnson Cllr Paul Fisher

Apologies

Julian Stocks Natasha Mitchell Fr Dominic Robinson Jace Tyrell (Vice-Chair) Sandeep Bhalla Giles Easter Nigel Hughes Resident Business Resident Resident Community

Resident

Placemaking Placemaking WCC

Business Resident Business Community Business Business MNF

<u>Minutes</u>

Minutes approved

Curzon Cinema ACV nomination

Following the successful ACV nomination by the MNF, it was agreed that we would update the Members by email.

Action: Piers to email Members on the Curzon Cinema ACV.



Discussion on future Steering Group members

Steering Group agreed to approach NWEC and The Crown Estate (TCE) as to whether they would like to put themselves forward for vacant Steering Group member roles.

- TCEs role as Treasurer of the MNF and major landlord in Mayfair was highlighted as important
- NWEC's role in the community through its network and role it plays in promoting Mayfair and supporting cleaning and security was highlighted as important

Steering Group agreed to email Members to ask for people to put themselves forward to the Steering Group.

Action: Gordon to approach TCE and NWEC.

Action: Gordon and Piers to send out email to Members to ask for Steering Group nominations.

Comms committee

Zaria provided the update. Next newsletter to go out to members in November, with a focus on the Green Route and the CCTV pilot.

Planning and Public Realm committee

Gordon provided the update.

- Leconfield House development, which MNF did not support, was rejected at appeal
- 8/10 Grafton Street project was reviewed, with the main MNF comment being that it did not address the aspirations for the Tyburn route
- MNF P&PR committee were uncomfortable with the application at 27 Saville Row
- Agreed that the MNF would support the application at 17/22 South Audley Street
- Concern raised on the increase in outdoor dining

Action: Nigel / Gordon to approach developer at 8/10 Grafton St to improve their response on the Tyburn route.

Action: Nigel to prepare a letter of support for the 17/22 South Audley St planning application.

Action: Gordon to discuss with Nigel the best approach to liaise with WCC on the concern raised on outdoor dining.

<u>CIL committee</u>

Eric provided the update on the CIL committee.

- Looking to engage more effectively with the Peabody Estate in North Mayfair, linking in with Grosvenor and the Salvation Army's current engagement
- CCTV pilot final quote to be presented at the next Steering Group



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- Plan to set up regular review meetings with WCC design team on the Aldford Street garden in order to support momentum
- Developing thoughts on next phases of the Green Route
- The committee are working with WCC and Grosvenor to improve the underplanting in the Mount Street piazza area

Action: Eric and Cllr Fisher to discuss coordinating a coffee morning with Peabody residents and potentially to include Sanctuary House residents.

<u>AOB</u>

- Richard Cutt has resigned from the MNF as he has stepped down from the chair of the RSMSJ
- Gordon requested that members of the Steering Group put themselves forward to chair the Park Lane sub-committee, as Richard Cutt has resigned
- Gordon requested that members of the Steering Group put themselves forward to be vice Chair, as Jace Tyrrell has resigned