**Minutes of Cycle Islington meeting Wednesday 11 July 2018 at 7.30-9.30pm at the Town Hall, Upper Street N1**

**Apologies:** Alison Dines, Sue Marris, Eilidh Murray, David Harrison, Tabitha Tanqueray, Graham Parks, John Ackers

**Present:** Liz Reiner (Chair), Simon Izod, Adrian Williams, Chris Reeve, Paul Standeven (late), Keith Macfarlane (Minutes). Meeting clashed with a World Cup match.

**Matters arising from May meeting**

Agreed to roll over action items till the next meeting. We needed to clarify what Chris Kenyon’s ‘draft of cycling principles for the council’ are. Pothole repair should be discussed at a future meeting with council officers.

**Report on full Council meeting, the petition and Quietway 10…and Shepherdess Walk**

As we had a petition with sufficient signatures, we were allowed a 15 min debate at the full Council meeting. Tabitha spoke well for 2 minutes, asking for a 6 month trial. Cllr Webbe replied at some length, suggesting that one of the difficulties is engagement with residents. Caroline Russell and two [Labour] councillors spoke, being generally favourable, Caroline more emphatically. The subsequent press coverage was good and we praised the follow up emails from Tabitha. We weren’t sure what the motion said; it was passed. We agreed that we need a strategy for Quietway 10.

Chris Reeve asked a question about the TfL scheme where Shepherdess Walk crosses Old Street. Cllr Webbe gave us the impression that work would start in August.

**FreeCycle**

We are very short of marshals; we need to use social media and our email list to try to recruit more. **Action Keith**

**Angel Festival September 2**

Volunteers are need for the stall; Simon and Adrian volunteered. Alison, Talia and Keith have already done so. We could still do with more!

**Any other business**

We should make sure we have a question for every full Council meeting and this should be a regular agenda item. Next Council meetings are 20 Sept, 6 Dec, 28 Feb [budget], 16 May [Annual]

CS6 is being extended to Kings Cross and work on Quietway 2 is going on; the part in Islington is not good.