

Cycle Islington meeting 12/07/2023

Chair:	NK	Minutes:	JAH
Attendees:	AW, KM, EM, JH, MS, RH, OL RH was welcomed to the meeting.		
Apologies:	SM, SK, TB, SG, AS		
Item	Topic / Action	Action:	
1	Minutes of last meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved by all present. To be published to all members. 	JAH	
2	Minutes of last meeting - actions arising <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes / agenda distribution to all members now in procedures. 		
3	Bikers' breakfasts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Highbury Fields event feedback – in hand. Whittington Park – Provisionally booked for Saturday 9 September morning. To be decided in August Islington Schools fun run – a good opportunity for June next year – to be kept on Agenda as a c/f item. Saddle & Sole 24 September – we will have a stall here. 	JG/NK/OL All JAH JAH/RH/SM	
4	AGM feedback <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Constitution changes – o/s 	JAH	
5	Kingsbury Bridge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current Network Rail (NR) plan is to demolish Christmas 2023 and reinstate Easter (end March) 2024. NR will fund LBI changes to alternative route. Create Twitter thread. Email to Tribune re our demo Email Will Norman again. Email Network Rail again Email Garmon to raise with Hackney (LBH) Councillors Create FOIs for correspondence between: NR/LBI; NR/LBH; NR/TfL to be sent by JH. Follow up placement of "Except Cyclists" RH turn sign. 	OL OL OL MS OL MS/JH OL	
6	Socials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lea Valley social ride – c/f Family ride to Victoria Park (and Olympic Park circuit) 16 July. Living Streets AGM – good event with excellent speakers Pride Ride 8 July – great fun with lots of marshals. Organised by "IBikeLondon" Picnic ride – TBA. Kidical Mass – 24 September. Clashes with Saddle & Sole. Awaiting details – will probably organise a feeder ride. 	SK JAH/EM/SK SG EM/SK	
7	OCSR <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LCC advise no progress. FOI to TfL re: funding sent – awaiting response (possibly by mid-August) FOI to TfL re: correspondence with LBI sent – awaiting response (possibly by mid-August) We need to think of an alternative demo to Make the Lane 	NK NK All	
8	Climate Safe Streets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report is on LCC website – no further action 		
9	Council Liaison report back <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Active travel strategy – due in September. Bike Hangar application software - in Acceptance testing. Bike Hangar waiting list now 1,200. Pricing reviewed annually but the scheme is run "at cost". LBI introducing Cycle training for "early in Life" and Dementia 		

	<p>sufferers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scooter training being rolled out in Primary Schools. • Charlton Place Signal changes – awaiting TfL approval. • Madras Place yellow box has support from LBI. • Meeting with Planning Department re: Cycle Parking in Developments – no progress from Planning Officers. Email sent to Councillors on Planning Committee. Awaiting response. • Freight Hub (Finsbury Square) – starts 2024. Will be general use (not just bikes). 	NK
10	<p>Cycling without Age</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cycle Routes for this charity (Golden Lane) to be followed up 	NK
11	<p>Active travel meeting with Council</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next meeting booked for 28 September (+ Living Streets) 	EM/JAH/DH
12	<p>Five Asks status.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now ready to go live – very impressive, thanks to NK. • To be put on CI website. 	NK
13	<p>Joy riders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rides planned for 13/7 and 15/7 (four boroughs combining for this one) 	EM
14	<p>CI Newsletter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red-top Newsletter. EM creates and LCC distributes about every two months to about 600 LCC members in LBI. 	EM
15	<p>CI/LCC branded merchandise.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will buy one CI branded flag (£150) and 1,000 LCC badges (£70). Flag to be designed in conjunction with LCC. • We would like LCC water bottles (to sell). 	EM/JAH EM
16	<p>Market Road segregated Cycle Lanes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raise with Council (now that Market Road will be “officially” a Boundary Road). JAH to draft email for NK to send. 	JAH/NK
17	<p>Contra-flow cycling on one-way streets.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council’s last look at this was years ago so they will probably need to re-assess. To be raised at next liaison meeting. 	NK
18	<p>AOB</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RH reported a left hook collision at the junction of Penton Street and Pentonville Road (fortunately her family member was not badly injured). This could be avoided if the left turn were banned. NK to raise with LBI. • KM showed LCC’s new joiners’ pack – very nice. Noticed two broken links, /shops and /explore. Need to report to LCC then need to check that lcc.org.uk/explore page contains link to CI. • Can we make the minutes fit on two pages? • City of London’s Beech Street tunnel zero emissions scheme will not be continuing because of LBI issues but may become part of a wider scheme in the future. • Bunhill LN (LBI working with the City) may start consultation process in 2024 but unlikely to be introduced until 2025. • Vote taken of start time of meeting – 19:00 is more popular • Cally LN plans. Considered inadequate, https://www.islington.gov.uk/roads/people-friendly-streets/liveable-neighbourhoods/the-cally-liveable-neighbourhood <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ NK to formulate response and send it in on behalf of CI. ○ Others to respond on their own behalf. 	NK NK JAH ALL NK ALL
19	<p>Date/Time of next meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wednesday 9 August 2023 @ 19:00 > 21:00. Committee Room 3. • Chair: OL, Secretary: JAH 	ALL OL/JAH