

## COPLEY CLOSE Resident Association COMMITTEE MEETING

New Community Centre, 39 Honiton Court, Copley Close W7 1DT

#### **TUESDAY 28 NOVEMBER 2023 - 6PM TO 7PM**

#### **MINUTES**

Attendees Residents				
	MS	RA & RSG Chair	Constituency	
	JW	RA & RSG – Vice-Chair	Constituency	
	BS	RA & RSG - Committee member	Constituency	
	AP	RA & RSG - Committee member	Constituency	
Attendees External	Attendees External			
Claire Sherwin	CS	Neighbourhood Housing Officer - Zoom	LB of Ealing	
Paul Grant	PG	Surveyor & Project Officer - Zoom	LB of Ealing	
Mark Tregunno	MT	Copley Regeneration Project Manager - Zoom	LB of Ealing	
Janet Edwards	JE Consultant		PPCR	
Catherine Michelet	Catherine Michelet CM Consultant (Minutes) PPCR		PPCR	

Apologies			
JS	RA & RSG - Committee member	Constituency	
JJ	RA - Committee member	Constituency	
NS	RA & RSG - Committee member	Constituency	
Cllr. Rima Baaklini	Pitshanger Ward Councillor		

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1.0	WELCOME, INTRODUCTION &APOLOGIES (MS)	ACTION
1.1	MS welcomed all to the RA meeting  Apologies as noted above	
2.0	DECLARATION OF INTEREST (AII)	

2.1	There were no declarations of interest.	
3.0	MEETING CODE OF CONDUCT (AII)	
3.1	Agreed – In place.	
4.0	AGREE MINUTES OF RA 31 October 2023 (All)	
4.1	Minutes agreed.	
5.0	HUB UPDATE	мк
	Last RA meeting was 31 October 2023.	
5.1	Hub Moving Date	
	The Hub team do not currently have a date to move into the new office as there are various issues with handover of the building and internet connections. As soon as a date is confirmed, residents will be advised.	ALL TO NOTE
5.2	Hub team work area changes	
	There is going to be a change in areas of work that officers are responsible for – currently all Housing Officers deal with rent accounts and tenancy matters; going forward, over the next couple of weeks officers will be splitting into 'specialist' teams. This means that there will be specific housing officers assigned to patches who will be responsible for individual work areas, i.e. an officer solely responsible for tenancy matters etc.	ALL TO NOTE
	As part of this change, a rent officer Takunda Chidhakwa, for all of Copley is now in post.	
	A new Housing Officer, Ranjit Bhardwaj, has started at the end of November. Ranjit Bhardwa and Claire Sherwin will be allocated each their own patch to work on.	
	The Hub team still have a shortage of 1 officer in the Hanwell Hub;	
	All these changes will be communicated to residents once the Housing Management Team has moved to the new Hub.	ALL TO NOTE

### 5.3 Estate Inspections and Estate Walkabout

The date for the next estate inspection is in February 2024. Claire has sent out suggested dates and is awaiting feedback and confirmation of attendees' availability.

There were no resident questions on Claire's update.

#### MT provided an update on the regeneration

#### 5.4 Phase 5

The team have employed a Employer Agent. They are reviewing the all the information making sure that all the documents are up to Ealing requirements. The M&E (Mechanical & Electrical) consultant is also in post.

The planners are not satisfied with the parking layout and the soft landscaping. They refused the design as it has a bank surface and not a dropped one. The team is working on solutions and reviewing the design. Once the package of works is finalised, it will go to tender.

Section 20 consultation is about to start and the team will engage with the leaseholders.

The team are working on finding voids properties for residents. Void properties to be used to decant housholds will be given a huge renovation upgrade, same standard as Phase 6 social housing properties.

A resident meeting was held on 21st November focusing on the decanting process. The purpose of the resident meetings are to encourage as many residents to engage with the team.

The tender process to choose the contractor will take 6 to 8 weeks.

#### 5.5 Phase 6

End of defects period:

- Matlock Court & houses. End of defect inspections. Hills to close the issues.
- Loddon Court & Ipswich Court: Residents are advised to report new repairs to PG.
- Honiton Court & Community Centre: End of defect inspections March/April 2024.

**ALL TO NOTE** 

	Once the end of defect period is over Hill will transfer responsibility for repairs to Ealing.	
	BS reported a long list of defects and is waiting for an appointment. End of defect for her block is 17 January 2024.	
5.6	Phase 7 SP to provide a progress statement to residents.	SP
5.7	Undercroft Parking The Team is actively looking at progressing.	
6.0	RA Action Plan – October 2023	MS/AII
6.1	The Action Plan is updated monthly in blue and emailed to all members prior to the meeting.	
6.2	Point 1 AGM – Date is confirmed: Tuesday 19 December 2023, 6.30pm at the Community Centre. All residents are invited.	
6.3	Point 2  KPIs – Due to a re-structuring of the repair department, the KPI are hold.	
6.4	Point 4 Estate Inspection Walkbouts – JE encouraged RA members to take part in the quarterly walkabout. Hub team, Ward Clirs and RA are taking part. Next walkabout Feb 2024: date tbd	
6.5	Point 6 MIND sessions due to re-start in in the new year: 12.30pm Workshop & 1.30pm Drop-in	
	<ul> <li>Tuesday 16 January 2024: Health &amp; Wellbeing</li> <li>Tuesday 20 February 2024: Crisis Prevention</li> <li>Tuesday 19 2024: Awareness of Mental Health</li> </ul>	
	Leaflets advertising the Mind workshops & drop-in will be circulated to residents in the new year.	
	<b>EASE</b> activities are due to re-start in in the new year:	
	Stay & Play – For parents & carers and children under 5 Thursdays 1pm to 2:30pm  Thursday 25 January 2024	

- Thursday 29 February 2024
- Thursday 28 March 2024
- Thursday 25 April 2024
- Thursday 23 May 2024
- Thursday 27 June 2024

**Youth Club** – Sport Sessions for 11-18 years (High School attendees) - Mondays 6.30pm to 8.30pm (Term Time ONLY)

- Monday 29 January 2024
- Monday 26 February 2024
- Monday 25 March 2024
- Monday 29 April 2024
- Monday 20 May 2024
- Monday 24 June 2024

Leaflets advertising Ease activities will be circulated to residents in the new year.

## 6.6 **Point 8**

**Funding** - The RA completed a funding application for Music MIND sessions, supported by Cllr BW.

## 6.7 **Point 9**

**The Copley Whistle** - Issue 2, December 2023 All RA & RSG members to send articles to CM by **30 November 2023** – a small paragraph will be welcome. Thank you to JS to producing and editing The Whistle.

## 6.8 Point 10

**RA End of the Year Festive Event**, Tuesday 19 December, 3.30pm to 6pm, at the Community Centre. All residents welcome

Dancing competition for the little ones, young people will be asked to complete a small questionnaire with their suggestions for the activities they would like to see happening at the CC, all participants will be entered in a Raffle.

Prizes: A tablet, £30 and £20 Amazon vouchers.

**Food Bank Collection** - Tuesday 19 December, 3pm to 6pm, at the Community Centre. The RA is collecting donations on behalf of Ealing food Bank.

## 6.9 Point 11

#### RA & RSG Away Day

Due to the postponement of the AGM, the Away Day has been rescheduled to Saturday 2 March 2024.

7.0	AOB (AII)			
7.1	Paddington Court - MS  Hand-rail is loos Light near lift (lift	PG		
8.0	DATE OF THE NEXT N			
8.1	Date of the next RA meeting:			
	2024 Dates for your diary  2nd Tuesday of the 3rd Tuesday of the Last Tuesday of the			
	month RSG	month PPCR Drop-in	month RA	
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