

# Communications and Community Engagement minutes of meeting Thursday 18th February 2016

## Present

## Apologies for absence

<b>Robert Glick</b>	<b>Frank Kelly</b>
<b>Mike Gibson</b>	<b>Rob Kent</b>
<b>Kim Tisdale</b>	
<b>Geogina Bassett</b>	
<b>Violetta Soura</b>	

## New members

The new members of the working group were welcomed.

## Next committee meeting

Action: Currently planned for Thu 10<sup>th</sup> March. RG to book the room.

## Website content

Members of the working groups are encouraged to supply a one paragraph autobiography (preferably with a photo) for the website and Facebook page.

**Action:** RG to edit the website and Mike's organogram to reflect the consolidated working groups (three now, instead of five).

**Action:** RG to investigate Google analytics for the website.

## Petitions

The Hove Station footbridge petition has been launched and already has around 170 signatures. Leafletting is in process. The campaign will be continued for another week or two.

**Action:** RG to monitor the number of signatures online.

The petition against the council's waste disposal proposal in the Coalyard is now awaiting judgement by the central authority.

## Stoneham NP Group

The next meeting planned with this group has been postponed.

**Action:** MG and RG to agree a new date with the Stoneham group.

## **Have Your Say Day**

There's a divide in opinion whether the 19th March is too soon after the last one. It probably depends on getting developers to make new presentations. Leafletting will be required again (4-5,000 households in the area).

**Action:** RG to investigate the possibility of using Hove Methodist Church.

## **Gmail account**

RG has sent updated documentation to all committee and working group members. Any enquiries to RG

## **Misc**

Mike to confirm that Andrew Renault is head of transport, BHCC.

## **Publicity**

Viletta has a contact at 1 Brighton FM (1brightonfm.co.uk)

Kim suggested HSNF postcards (easy to distribute, small enough for company noticeboards etc).

Other noticeboards: Hove station's London platform, Tesco Metro, Ralli Hall, Blatchington Court, community centres.

Older items carried forward:

## **Comms strategy**

The Comms workplan can be built from a matrix of:

- (i) spatial areas (eg areas like Stoneham, Goldstone Villas etc) and
- (ii) functions (e.g. local contacts, businesses, publicity, campaigns etc)

The Stoneham NP Group will be able to submit a draft for their ideas as input to the HSNF NP.

Action: RG and Mike to continue maintaining contact with them and explain our rough timetable to them, to secure their input.

**Action: RG to update the detailed Comms group task list (this probably won't happen until March)**

***Next meeting: date to be announced***