

CARA

17th May 2019

First Committee meeting of the 19/20 CARA year

9 am (at 12 Gay St)

Present: Barry Gilbertson, Ron Temperton, Mike Richardson, Richard Brown, George Feiger, Bernard Horn

Apologies: Malcolm Baldwin, Anne Love

Minutes of meeting held on April 4th approved

Various:-

RB updated meeting on **Coaches**, including signage

BG mentioned Andy Furse (Lib Dem councillor for Kingsmead and possible new treasurer of B&NES) had been on touch to indicate his involvement with the **RVP Events** debate. It was suggested we also involve the new Lansdown Councillors...which Ron agreed to do.

Social events. BG advised the meeting that Rosemarie Tunstall, Caroline Brown and Santosh Chaston had agreed to take on the role vacated by Jackie Hampton (but would not be on the committee – they will liaise as a Social Team with Barry and Bernard).

MR advised that **currently £3200 in the bank** and we have 99 paid members with approx. 30 still to pay. **BH to undertake a gentle reminder exercise**

Newsletter dissemination. BG will compile a separate list of those people we should include in addition to our members (e.g. councillors, MP etc)

Priorities:

> Circus

> Parking (eg all of the Circus)

NB : GF will prepare a draft note suggesting outsourcing of after hours and weekends enforcement

> Rubbish, graffiti, Traffic management, air Pollution (including Queens Sq.)

Future Meetings : all at 9am (Committee please diarise now)

16th August (20 Gay St)

11th October (12 Gay St)

6th December (20 Gay St)

21st Feb 2020 (12 Gay St)

3rd April to include AGM prep so longer meeting (20 Gay St)

AGM May 7th 2020 (Royal Avenue Pavilion)

AOB

GF showed the metering the new **pollution monitor** he has acquired. He is awaiting software to enable creation of maps from the data collected.

Bath Transport Alliance (subsequently resolved-CARA will withdraw as a member but support through FoBRA)

After the meeting, BG and BH met with the **Social Team**. The following events would be organised (with Committee's grateful thanks to the Team):

Summer Drinks (Georgian Garden) Thursday 13th June

Autumn Social

Xmas Lunch

Carols Friday 20th December

Spring Social

AGM 7th May 2020