

## **Minutes of TRESAcic General Meeting held on 16.2.10 at 7:30pm at The Star and Dove**

**Present:** Suzanne Audrey (Chair), Ed Bramall, Martyn Trowbridge, Patrick Hulme, Mark Bailey, Alf Havvock, Lou Boyce and Nick Walters.

**Apologies:** Allan Keen, Alice Cabanas, Jonathan Wright, Alex Allen, Luke MacFadyen.

### **1. Welcome and apologies**

Suzanne welcomed members to the meeting and noted the apologies.

### **2. Minutes of last meeting and matters arising**

Minutes from the previous meeting were unavailable. It was confirmed that St Lukes Road *has* been included in the traffic regulation order for the 20mph zone.

### **3. Planning**

#### **a) Community involvement**

There was a discussion about how TRESA can best engage with the South Bristol Retail Study and Neighbourhood Partnership.

#### **b) Specific applications**

Although work has already begun on 25 Summer Hill, a planning application has now been submitted. There was some concern that the possible structural impact on surrounding properties is not a relevant planning consideration. An application to turn 46 Richmond Street into a maisonette and flat has gone to appeal, having been refused.

### **4. Members' concerns**

Nick raised a concern about the removal of the pedestrian crossing on Bath Road. It was confirmed that there will be a gap in the central reservation to allow bikes through. Not everyone is observing the 'give way' line on the Wells Road bus lane at Three Lamps.

### **5. Projects**

- **Talk of Totterdown** – is being delivered; next one due in April.
- **Truck art** – Suzanne explained that she is researching possible grant funding.
- **Teenage Art Project** – some summer activities are being planned.
- **School Road mural and parking** – Mark is making contact with the original artist and thinks TRESA should apply for funding to repair it later in the year. Yellow and white lines will be painted on the road once the flats development is complete.
- **Litter picks** – Martyn would like to buy some litter pickers for the committee to use.
- **Front garden competition** – will be held again this summer.

## **6. Officers' reports**

### **a) Website editor**

It was agreed to remove old editions of Talk of Totterdown from the website, to increase memory space, but it is important that we save them somewhere for our records. The domain package can also be renewed.

### **b) Treasurer**

We will need a new treasurer from the AGM. There was a discussion about whether or not to dissolve the community interest company. Suzanne will seek advice.

## **7. Any other business**

There was a discussion about Zone A and community facilities in Totterdown.