

Attendees:

Cliff Green (Chair), Sheila Taylor, David Lee, Sean Perry (WCC), Vincent, Kathy Mansfield, Donna Fuller

Apologies were received from:
John Orr, Rosemary Englander

1. Meeting opened, welcome from Chair.

2. Apologies received and minutes from 29th October.

Apologies received as above

The minutes of the September meeting were sent out 22/11 and are at

TBA Google Drive - [Gdrive](#)

Matters arising: -

1. Van parking. Kevin was not present to report, but enforcement is difficult. **Sean**
Sean will investigate an official letter from WCC to go on windscreen.
2. Print costs – See below under Working Grioup
3. Book table – Kevin was not present to report, Sean will check. Men in **Sean**
Sheds could build something if we got a grant from WCC community fund **Kathy**
4. Laptop procurement – money is now available, not yet purchased
5. Land ownership near Anthonia and trees – Kevin was not present to report, **Sean**
Sean will check. **Sean**

3. Guests

None

4. Chair's report

None

5. Treasurer's report.

None but Sheila reported that she does not believe there has been any other expenditure in November other than that mentioned in the grants update below.

6. Environment report

Sean and Donna will inspect footpaths by canal at 3:30 inspection Friday 27th

**Sean,
Donna**

Anita has said that MKC might now be starting some of the PRIF projects put forward last year, including refurbishing the murals. Serco will be asked to replace the pergola at the entrance to the Community Garden and may be able to do some

planting there.

7. Working group update.

The WG has been planning what is possible at Christmas

The Bridge editor was not able to do her task this month, so members of the WG managed to get reduced version out

Print costs have been obtained and will be considered in next meeting

8. Funding committee update.

MKC Grant has supplied money for Christmas and Laptop

9. Latest news on regeneration.

Will Rysdale attended the last RoRE meeting

MkFutures 2050 has been re-issued after consultation

Peter Marland, Leader of MKC, will be guest speaker at the next RoRE meeting on 4th December

10. Holmfield Close planning update

Application has been declined, thanks to WCC and other parties for the support. An appeal has not been ruled out.

11. Christmas planning.

The only activity will be Santa touring, with six elves giving out presents at doorsteps to the 105 children reported in response to TBRA enquiries. It was decided that sweets could also be given out, using scoops to avoid any contact, and these would be purchased by people present at the meeting. Cliff was asked to buy 8 boxes this weekend as they were on special offer at Asda (total cost £24).

Cliff

The WCC flatbed vehicle will be used, rather than the car transporter, for ease of manoeuvring at the ends of roads, and because it also needs to be used in Beanhill at 4:00 pm. Dave to explain to estate resident who offered use of transporter.

Dave

Sheila will purchase 120 selection boxes (including some dairy-free), with cards, wrapping paper, and PPE. She will see if the Tesco shop on the estate can supply at a good price.

Sheila

Multiple people will be needed for wrapping presents and writing cards. Donna and family will do some wrapping

**Donna
Others**

Beanhill have contact with someone who does “Elf on the Shelf”, who has volunteered to also join the Tinkers Bridge event. Kathy will confirm arrangements with her. She will be one of the 6 we will be allowed under Covid regulations, with Caroline Bell and Ellie also having volunteered. *(Post meeting note: Two teenagers who assisted Sarah with the halloween event have also volunteered)*

Kathy

12. A.O.B.

Donna is meeting the Neighbourhood officer manager to talk about the state of bin cupboards. She hopes this will open a dialogue about how future multiple bins can be handled on our estate, and that Car Ports can also be considered.

Donna

Sheila will officially notify MKC that our AGM is in February

Sheila

- 13. Next meeting 7.30PM 28th January 2021**
Meeting closed 20:42