



The Gosport Partnership

" Working Together For The Gosport Community "

Gosport Transport & Sustainability Partnership Minutes Meeting held on 26 November 2009

Attendees	Organisation/representing
Heather Cusack (HC)	Fareham Environment and Transport Partnership
Cllr Inge Forder (IF)	Gosport Borough Council – Cycle Lane Working Group
Paul Fuller (PF)	Operations Manager, Gosport Ferry Company
Darren Hall (DH)	DSTL Travel Plan Coordinator
Jo Hamilton (JH)	LSP Coordinator
John Holland (JohnH)	Portsmouth Cycling Forum
Tim Houghton (TH)	Groundwork Solent, Executive Director. (Chair of GTSP)
Richard Mackay (RM)	Lee on Solent Residents Association
Andy Maclean (AM)	Hampshire County Council (HCC), Transport Team Leader South
Jim Weeks (JW)	CTC Fareham area local rep
Apologies	
Kathy Azopardi (KA)	Portsmouth Cycling Forum
Fran Buxey (FB)	Hampshire PCT
David Duckett (DD)	Gosport Borough Council
Nick Farthing (NF)	Sustrans
Cllr Peter Langdon (PL)	Gosport Borough Council (GBC) and on Transport for South Hants Committee
Dervla McHugh (DMcH)	First Group
David Miles (DM)	Gosport Voluntary Action
Jayne Rodgers (JR)	Portsmouth City Council, Transport & Sustainability Officer
Cllr David Swanbrow (DS)	Fareham Environment and Transport Partnership

1 Introductions, apologies and minutes of last meeting

TH welcomed all to the meeting and noted apologies as above.

TH informed the group that he would submit a response to the LDF on behalf of the GTSP.

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed as an accurate record.

2 Greening Campaign

Hampshire County Council has confirmed that it will fund up to five campaigns in each district. Gosport Borough Council has agreed to initially fund two campaigns as part of its climate change action plan.

The group agreed that the first campaign should be set up in Lee on Solent and the second should be either Forton or Leesland. This would also contribute to the LSP's community cohesion agenda. Also use angle that greening campaign helps people to save money.

TH agreed to follow up with the Residents Association in Leesland and also Motiv8 who are doing a community garden project in that area. He also agreed to speak to the Friends of Leesland Park to see if they would be interested too.

JH offered to set up a meeting between RM and Terena Plowright from the Greening Campaign to start off the campaign in Lee on Solent.

Actions:

- **TH to speak to groups in Forton and Leesland re second campaign.**
- **JH to set up meeting between RM and Terena Plowright.**

3 A32 banners

Three quotes have been sought for production and installing the banners and Stanbury Press in Gosport has come back with the best quote.

The Air Quality Steering Group in Fareham has approved designs so far and will decide which banners to use. The group pointed out that messages about the ferry should be included.

There is an issue with the lamp columns – they may need to be strengthened and still waiting for clarification from Hampshire County Council.

TH agreed to clarify exactly how much is left in Gosport's budget for the banners.

The group discussed whether the BRT would continue with a cycle way up to the Gillies. If it did it would intersect with the Stubbington/Gosport cycle way. AM and JW agreed to find a map and draw a line where the cycle way should continue and TH then to write to TfSH.

Darren informed the group that Dstl started running shuttle buses on 5 October from Fareham/Portsdown Hill. Three buses run in the morning and five in the afternoon. This could link into the BRT when it happens and could also link to the hospital. Would give a bus route all the way from Gosport to QA. TH agreed to raise this with TfSH and Cllr Edgar's group looking at access to QA.

Actions:

- **TH to clarify amount left in Gosport's budget for banners**
- **AM and JW to define potential cycle way up to the Gillies and TH to write to TfSH.**
- **TH to raise potential of linking with Dstl buses with TfSH and Cllr Edgar's group looking at access to QA.**

4 Accident rates

TH is in touch with Ernie Sage at Hampshire County Council and has reviewed notes from Gosport's Road Safety Council which is looking at school travel plans, bikeability and casualties. There is a danger of overlap but there is no action plan for the road safety council. The Road Safety Council is dismissive of 20's Plenty. The remit of the Council is to support the Highways Authority in reducing accident rates. TH agreed to meet with Ernie Sage to find out where the GTSP might add value – for example by adding road safety messages to the A32 banners. He also agreed to follow up with Ernie on how bikeability is being rolled out in Gosport.

It was agreed that the GTSP could target businesses October 2010, linking into the Business Forum and newsletters to encourage them to subsidise bikes and provide hi

viz gear. There might be funding available through the Road Safety Council budget – RM and TH to speak to its Chair – Cllr Chris Carter.

Actions:

- **TH to meet with Ernie Sage re how GTSP can support and also on bikeability.**
- **RM and TH to speak to Cllr Carter re the Road Safety Council budget and targeting businesses.**

5 AOB

Publicising the travel website – links have now been fixed, cycle maps still to be finalised and published. Need to consider publicity strategy. TH and JH to take forward.

Bicycle User Group – Lyn Johnson at GVA is setting up this group and it will need to be linked into the GTSP.

Actions:

- **TH and JH to consider publicity for website**
- **TH and JH to follow up with Lyn re bicycle user group.**

Dates of 2010 meetings, 10am – 11.30am

4 March 2010

22 April 2010

3 June 2010

15 July 2010

26 August 2010

7 October 2010

25 November 2010

All meetings to take place at GVA.