Finsbury Park Events Stakeholder Group Meeting

Action Notes

14 May 2024, 6.30pm - George Meehan House

Attending

- Cllr Arkell Chair. Cabinet Member
- Simon Farrow Head of Parks & Leisure
- Sarah Jones Events & Partnerships Manager
- Dan Wales Senior Events Officer
- Chris Ellis Finsbury Park Manager
- Alex Fraser Tree & Nature Conservation Manager
- Cllr Claire Potter Brownswood Ward, Hackney
- Bethany Anderson Friends of Finsbury Park
- Noel Painting Festival Republic
- Charlotte Oliver Festival Republic
- Giovana lozzi Friends of Finsbury Park
- Ian Sygrave Ladder Community Safety Partnership
- Cllr Brabazon Harringay Ward, Haringey
- Jo Roach Pedal Power
- Cllr Culverwell Stroud Green, Haringey

Apologies

- Cllr Heather Islington Cllr
- Sarah Potter Highbury Community Association
- Kit Greveson Stroud Green Resident Association Finsbury Park Parkrun

Issues and actions by participants

Cllr Potter

- Issue: Why is Park House the only building being looked at in the Vibration study taking place?
- Action: CP to send NP the address and plans for these newer building that are effected by the vibrations to look into further.
- Responsibility: CP
- Status: Complete. Further discussion to identify appropriate monitoring points took place and these were shared with Cllr Potter.

Friends of Finsbury Park (FoFP)

- Issue: Can we have the locations of the air monitors and more information regarding the vibration study?
- Action: FR to share more information regarding the vibration study to share with SJ and DW to share with stakeholder and invite the PHD student at the next meeting.

- SJ to send FoFP the mapping of air quality monitors in the park.
- Responsibility: CO/NP/SJ/SW
- Status: Complete. Shared with the stakeholder group on 15 May.

FoFP

- Issue: When will be able to view the date that the air quality monitors produce?
- Action: Include air quality report comparative data (before & during) in the post event report at the end of the season.
- Responsibility: LBH
- Status: We hope that we will have some data to include within the Annual Review report in Autumn 24.

GI/FoFP

- Issue: Discussion around tree protection in parks and greenspaces.
- Action: AF to arrange to meet outside of the meeting with FoFP and Tree Protectors to discuss the management of trees in parks and greenspaces.
- Responsibility: AF
- · Status: Ongoing

FoFP

- Issue: Will there be a trained ecologist on site to enforce the contract stipulations around ecology?
- Action: LBH to have team members on site during the build to work alongside FR staff to ensure ecology side of contract is adhered too.
- Responsibility: LBH
- Status: Complete.

FoFP

- Issue: Can the fencing around skate park be improved to ensure there is better sight lines into the park?
- Action: Haringey to discuss with FR.
- Responsibility: LBH/FR
- Status: To be further considered for 2025 events.

Next meeting

Online – via Teams

Tuesday 8 October, 6.30 – 8.30pm