

**Bromley Neighbourhood Watch Association**  
**Executive Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**15<sup>th</sup> August 2013, 7.30pm, Committee Room 6, Bromley Civic Centre**

**1. Welcome, Attendance & Apologies:** (\* denotes non-voting members)

- Present: Alf Kennedy (AK) Chairman  
Aidan McCulloch (AM) Secretary  
Terry Belcher (TB) BCEF & Member  
Brian Rowland (BR) Member  
James Ellis (JE) Member  
Clifford Longley (CL) President and Member  
Graham Pyefinch (GP) Member  
Sue McVicker (SM)\* LBB SNDO  
Cllr. Tim Stevens (TS)\* Chair of Safer Bromley Partnership  
Gordon Snashall (GS) Non-Member / Coordinator  
Chris Taylor (CT) Non-Member / Coordinator
- Apologies: John Bruce (JB) Member  
Harry Bowman (HB) Member  
Chief Insp. Carron Schussler (CS) Met. Police Service

AK opened the meeting, welcomed all and advised the Agenda.

**2. Previous Minutes:** Agreed as true record.

**3. Matters Arising:**

a) Changes to Constitution: Discussed previously and AK, GP & CL to progress action from AK's previous draft. BR also offered his assistance if needed.

**ACTION: GP / AK / CL / BR**

b) Website Update: AK advised that BNWA.co.uk is all working correctly. A revised application form was required for the new site. It was agreed SM would send a word file to CL for update/action for electronic submission to JE.

**ACTION: SM/CL**

**4. Updates:**

a) **Chairman:** The structure of Safer Neighbourhood Boards is being reviewed across London. There was discussion on the structure and organisation of the Policing Model (SN Panels and SN Teams, and how BNWA can best engage.

b) **Treasurer:** The accounts had been circulated to the Committee. £5318 balance.

c) **Bromley Police:** regrettably CS was unable to attend to provide an update.

d) **Bromley Council:** There was discussion around the Safer Neighbourhood Panels and the New Policing Model structures. Strong opinions were expressed and the overall feeling was that there would be a breaking of the link between the Community and the Police.

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TB suggested and agreed to call a meeting of the Chairs of the Safer Neighbourhood Panels.

**ACTION: TB**

A 'Bromley Crime Summit' was due to be held on 28<sup>th</sup> September 13 at the Bromley Civic Centre between 1000-1400. The Deputy Mayor would be attending. TB would send a copy of all Ward Chairs to AK, for AK to write to them regarding the Meeting. Also all Coordinators should be asked to attend with reasons on why it matters to the people of Bromley, Coordinators and BNWA.

**ACTION: TB / AK / Exec.**

SM advised that crime information was being sent to CL for review and circulation. JE would then send out to all Coordinators.

**ACTION: SM / CL / JE**

**5. AOB:**

CL proposed that GS and CT should be co-opted on to the Executive Committee. TB seconded the proposal and both were accepted.

**ACTION: AK**

**6. Date + Time Next Meeting:** Agreed for Tue 1<sup>st</sup> Oct at 7.30pm. Venue Committee Room 4 at Bromley Civic Centre.

**ACTION: AM**

*A. McCulloch*  
*Secretary BNWA*  
*23<sup>rd</sup> Sep 2013*