

Maidenhead Neighbourhood Forum

Minutes of the Neighbourhood Forum Meeting held at 20.00 on 27nd June 2024.

The Maidenhead Neighbourhood Forum meeting took place immediately after the AGM, at the United Reformed Church Hall, Maidenhead.

Attendance

Richard Davenport, Andrew Ingram, Sue Ingram, Mick Jarvis, Martin McNamee, Ian Rose, Nicola Stingelin, Andy Woodcock, Judith Littlewood, Bob Beauchamp, Jinx Dacombe, Helen Taylor, attended the meeting.

Discussion:

Following the formal AGM, Ian Rose, co-chair, opened the Maidenhead Forum meeting, and with Andrew Ingram, Co-Chair, presented a series of slides

- a) Putting together the plan (process and contents)
- b) Current status of the draft plan
- c) Plan schedule
- d) Questions
- e) Motion - to share pre-consultation draft plan with RBWM

Ian explained the process of putting together a draft plan, including extensive research, creation of specific topic groups; public engagement; consultation from external experts providing technical support; and inputs from local groups to demonstrate how residents of Maidenhead were consulted; the way the topic groups worked to create their part of the plan.

The current status of the draft plan was explained, and there were further questions and discussion about timings on the schedule, and costings, knowing we have a limited time in which to spend any future financial grant. The RBWM planning team will be asked to review the draft plan as soon as practicable, and implications of delays were discussed.

The motion was proposed by the co-chairs to share pre-consultation of the draft plan with RBWM, seconded by Andy Woodcock, and was unanimously approved by all members attending and 15 proxy votes.

The meeting formally closed at 21.10pm

The next Management committee meeting is due to be held on 17th July. Details to follow.