

York Central Action

Committee Meeting 6th June 2017

Present: Jo Milner, John Nelson, Chris Barrett, James Pitt, (note taker), Lyn Langford, Katherine Blaker, Sally McLean, Julie Ray (York Timebank) Hannah Swierstra. **Apologies:** David Finch, Laura Outhart, Sam Leach

Time Bank: we will join and Jo to be contact person.

York Law School (Prof Caroline Hunter): we welcome their offer of help; Lyn to be contact person.

Other help: John to follow up Prof May re transport; James to look for someone in Environment (ask Andreas?); Lyn to follow up with planner Jenny Jacobs and find a date that Chris and James can both do if possible

Central partnership: representation on York Central Forum: James to ask Catherine Birks if Katherine Blaker could attend meeting on 26th June and we will make decision after that. James to ask Catherine also if we might have meeting with YC Partners at early stage.

Vision statement process:

1. Chapter co-ordinators (John, Sam, Laura, Lyn, James, Hannah) to send one-pagers to Chris by **19th June (N.B. new date)** based on Laura's conference report. Beforehand consult the other members of the groups (names already circulated in agenda). *NB this is an opportunity to engage a wider membership even if it is only at the level of approving/improving a draft.*
2. Chris to composite and write overarching intro (max one page) and get draft statement to members of the coms group in time for their meeting on 21st June.
3. Comms group edit as necessary and prepare visuals in time for York Central Forum on 26th June. N.B. we don't necessarily present it them but we want to have it ready before the partnership's meeting on 26th June

Katherine to work out budget for **video** of vision statement – we might apply for ward funding.

Other events: West Bank Park Summer Fair on July 9th. Ideas and help needed contact James. Are strawberries and Prosecco legal and/or realistic?

Woodthorpe Green event on August 12th

Citizen Jane – battle for the city: this is an inspiring film about cities and community organising see <http://www.altimeterfilms.com/citizen-jane-battle-for-the-city/> James to contact City Screen about possible screening in conjunction with York Central Action

Next meeting: Tuesday 27th June at 6.45 in the Volunteer Arms