

OPEN MEETING

**Unlawfully Moored Boats Enforcement Group
Minutes #8**

**Tuesday 13th January 2015 at 10:00 – 12:00
Town Hall, St. Aldate's Room**

Chair: John Copley (JSC)

Attendants: Chris Bell (CB); Simon Boden (SB); Cllr Colin Cook (CC); Simon Fisher (SF); Robert Fowler (RF); Jeremy Franklin (JF); [REDACTED] (TH); Simon Manton (SM); Russell Robson (RR); Matthew Symonds (MS); Paul Townsend (PT); Christopher Wood (CW); Richard Wyatt (RW); Michael Crofton Briggs (MCB); [REDACTED] (GL); James Pownall (JP); [REDACTED] (ES)

Apologies: James Pownall (JP); [REDACTED] (SM); [REDACTED] (RW)

Minutes: Anne-marie Speake

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Minutes were reviewed.

It was confirmed that 2 'questions on notice' had been submitted before the UMBEG meeting from ES.

Questions on Notice:

Q1 from [REDACTED]:

Would UMBEG consider communication with boaters groups such as B.O.A.T. JCBY etc if mooring enforcement is foreseen to be costly to tax payers, restricting / dangerous to navigation? If this is then thought reasonable then would UMBEG act on it's conclusions?

Response: The Chair confirmed that UMBEG was most happy to communicate with all boater groups especially if this would help mutual understanding. UMBEG would act as appropriate upon any information or views supplied – though there may on occasion be an agreement to differ.

Q2 from [REDACTED]:

Would UMBEG consider sharing the open minutes with next meeting times and dates in good time as this can save costly to tax payers F.O.I. requests?

Response: The Chair confirmed that meeting dates and times would be notified in the usual way.

Notification arrived 12 Jan, 18.55

For the consideration of UMBEG:

Resent updates improvements on communitiesland.org website and an invite to attending UMBEG persons to the Clo claimed land / community boat. communitieslandorg.wordpress.com

**Date of Next Meeting
17th March at 10:00 (Town Hall, St Aldate's Room)**