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Meeting NEWCASTLE TOWN DEAL BOARD

Date Monday 27 March 2023
(Start Time: 3.30pm)

Attendees: Trevor McMillan, Cllr Stephen Sweeney, Elaine Burgess, Brian Meredith, Sarah Wilkes, Jane Tunnicliff, Dan Gray, Fiona Wallace, Lisa Healings, Gemma Whalley, Alex Collins, Simon McEneny Gareth Brown Aaron Bell MP Rebecca Parker Ashley Bennett

Minutes: Elaine Burgess

Distribution: Attendees & Apologies

Apologies: Gail Edwards, Stefan Brzozowski, Dan Dickinson, Cllr Philip White, Phil Butters, Carl Copestake, Charlotte Pearce, Kirsten Trenall, , Beverly Sampey, Jo Reilly, Eddie Leligdowicz, Graham Bibby, Bernard Greep,

REF.	ISSUE	ACTION	RESP.	DATE DUE	COMPL.
1.	Welcome & IntroductionAll were welcomed to the meeting.				
2.	Declaration of Interest It is noted that a number of people have interests in projects to be delivered.				
3.	Actions from Previous Meetings It was noted that all items would be covered on the agenda.				
4.	Astley Centre for Circus Business Case				

A presentation was given on the Astley Centre for		EB/TM/S
Circus Business Case.	0	31 Mar W
Issues raised	deadline 2	23
 Confirmation that the Business Manage post would be funded by SPF Fundraising activities would to be don to support other posts and som volunteering would be done. Confirmation that costs had bee benchmarked against other facilities an also information shared on local experience. Confirmation that the Philip Astley Cland experience of attracting other funding. Confirmation that the proposal for Phase 2 depend on delivery of York Place. If this is delayed, then Phase 1 occupation of Merrial Street could be extended. Confirmation that circa £260,000 fit outer for Phase 1 would transfer to Phase 2. Confirmation that a full event programme was included in the detaile business plan which formed an appendit to the business case. Confirmation that project paperworn needs to be submitted to DLUHC by 3 March 2023 with the Chair's and \$15 Officer signature. Resolved that the business case be approve and the appropriate paperwork be submitted to DLUHC by the deadline. 		

5.	АОВ	Project Adjustment Requests for Knutton and Chesterton were in the final stages of completion.	EB	31.03.23	
6.	Future Schedule of Board Meetings It was agreed that the future schedule of Board meetings would be aligned to submission of Monitoring & Evaluation information. Ad-hoc Board meetings would be arranged where particular project issues needed to be discussed. It was agreed that periodic newsletters would be issued to the Board to keep them updated on progress with project delivery and key milestones.		EB/ All	Ongoing	
7.	Date of Next Meetings To be confirmed	Microsoft Teams	All	To be confirmed	

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