



Meeting 89

BID CAMBORNE – 89th BOARD MEETING

Monday 12th May 2025
Tyacks Hotel Conference Room

Minutes

Attendance: Anna (BID Camborne) , Samantha (The Make Space), Jo (Jojangles), Brian (Camborne Regen Forum), Rachael (Camborne Back Clinic), Nikki (Camborne Games) Chantelle (BID Camborne - notes)

Apologies:, Ian (Fonehouse)

1. **Welcome, Housekeeping & Apologies**

Apologies were noted.

2. **Declarations of Interest**

None received.

3. **Operations Update (Anna)**

Project A-Void – currently waiting to hear back from the planning department. Anna chased Tim Hendy for the updated map boards and location plans. Anna and Chantelle reviewed the map boards proof, and some further amendments are required.

Anna has had some productive meetings with Kieren Couch at Cormac regarding Camborne Renew and additional artwork in town with a deadline of October 2025 for completion. Suggested to ask Cormac to sponsor the Tykes on Trikes bike race. **Action: Anna.**

Also suggested to tie in the new artwork with the Street Draw event. **Post Meeting Update:** Street Draw posted on their social media in January 2025 that they are ending Street Draw but might host another event and exhibition if they can find a new home.

The Trevithick Day event was a success and BID Camborne had lots of positive comments about the work they are doing. Many people enjoyed playing the 'guessing game' where visitors had to guess the locations of local businesses in town.

BID:BIS Scheme (DISC) –Anna confirmed due to the success of the BID:BIS scheme, Littoralis has asked BID Camborne if they would be a case study to show good practice.

Anna also contacted Louisa Brown, Inspector to ask that the BID:BIS scheme is mentioned in press releases, as since BID Camborne started funding the scheme, it has helped catch offenders.

Kay's role as ASB Officer has been funded for another year and she will specifically cover Camborne only. Samantha confirmed she had spoken to Alicia at Camborne Town Council about signing up to DISC.

4. Minutes of the Board – 31st March 2025

Anna has emailed several potential new directors for BID Camborne, following the last board meeting.

Following Rachael's suggestion to offer businesses first aid in the workplace course, Anna has found an organisation that could help. Kernow First Response recommended Lifestar Training (they offer accredited and non-accredited courses). Potential costs for a group of 6 would be £80 +VAT for accredited and £50 +VAT non-accredited. **Action: Anna will ask Lifestar if they can offer the course to a larger group.**

Letters offering businesses outside the BID Camborne boundary the opportunity to join the BID:BIS scheme have been drafted and are ready to go out.

Minutes were proposed by Samantha and seconded by Rachael.

5. Fun Fridays 2025: To review and agree programme

Chantelle put together a draft programme of events for review.

25th July – assortment of music in town

1st August – Facepainting and Magic Potion Workshop

8th August – Plant Workshop and Street Art (Stilt Walker)

15th August – Treasure Hunt

22nd August – Aussie Pup Meet n Greet

29th August – Puppet Workshop

Jo (Jojangles) has kindly agreed to sponsor the Magic Potion Workshop. Directors suggested asking some local groups to attend and maybe do a short show (CD Kids, Maka Choir). **Action: Nikki will send contact details to Chantelle.** Anna confirmed she had emailed Ed Rowe (Kernow King) to see if some of the puppets from the White Horse of Zennor show could attend a fun Friday. Brian confirmed he could attend a Fun Friday dressed as a banana (either 8th August or 15th August). **Action: Chantelle to let Brian know which date would be best.**

Proposed draft budget of £1,295 was proposed by Samantha and seconded by Jo. All approved.

6. Fourth Term Renewal

Anna ran through the proposal from Mel Richardson.

Directors were asked if BID Camborne should go to ballot for a fourth time? All agreed to go to ballot. Unanimous decision. Directors were asked if they were happy with the proposed ballot timeline taking place in December 2026? Everyone agreed. Unanimous decision.

Directors were asked if they wanted to appoint Mel Richardson. All agreed. Unanimous decision. Fourth Term Renewal was proposed by Samantha and seconded by Nikki. All agreed.

7. **Financial Update**

Anna ran through the financial report. It has been beneficial for the levy bills going out in March which is earlier than normal. Most voluntary BID members have paid their bill which is positive.

8. **Police & Crime Commissioner manifesto**

Anna drafted a manifesto which identified the key priorities for the town and local businesses. The manifesto was reviewed by BID Camborne directors, and it was agreed and proposed by Jo and seconded by Brian.

This will be sent to the Police and Crime Commissioner and shared with local organisations including Camborne Pubwatch, Camborne Town Council, Safer Cornwall, Camborne Regeneration Forum and Cornwall councillors that represent the Camborne wards.

9. **AOB**

Brian confirmed the theme for Fairtrade this year is tea. If any businesses would like any resources, please contact Brian.

Information regarding the free energy audits have been shared with local businesses. Anna isn't sure if businesses have taken up this offer as they were asked to contact Abi direct.

Date of next meeting is Monday 14th July at Lowenac Hotel (the board meeting will follow BID Camborne's AGM).