FEDERATION OF BATH RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

Minutes of the Committee meeting of 13 January 2022 held on Zoom at 6.00 pm

There was a total of 28 people present

The Chair welcomed everyone. Apologies had been received from Neil Barnes, Stephen Little, Morny Davison, Paddy Doyle and Elizabeth Hallam.

- 1. <u>Minutes</u>. The minutes of the previous meeting on 11 November 2021, which were on the website were approved.
- 2. <u>Transport Group Report</u>. The Group's report was discussed as were issues concerning the reopening of Cleveland Bridge. There was also a discussion about "citizens juries" that the Council are planning to establish in connection with contentious transport-related questions. There was also a discussion about whether FOBRA should continue to be a member of the Bath Transport Alliance. It was agreed that a further meeting with the chair of the Alliance should be held.
- 3. <u>LTN'S</u>. The Chair noted that the roll-out of these had been further delayed but it appeared to be the case the Council would soon be engaging with residents on these and the co-design of them.
- 4. <u>Planning Group Report</u>. There was a brief discussion about this report which was felt to be comprehensive.
- 5. <u>Entry Hill</u>. The Committee was updated by Entry Hill's representative about latest developments and how it was expected things would develop over the short to medium term.
- 6. <u>City Council</u>. It was agreed that FOBRA should actively campaign for a City Council rather than some form of parish council and that a steering committee be set up to take this forward. It was noted that Taunton, for example was in the process of getting a city council, so this ought also to be achievable for Bath.