

# Minutes of St Ives BID Board Meeting held at The Market place Tearooms, St Ives at 5pm on Wednesday 24<sup>rd</sup> April 2019

# Present (BID Board):

Alex Ward (Chair) Steve Cross James Deseta Sherry Siefken-Glossop Justin Morgan

#### In attendance:

Kate Woodstock, BID Administrator Mel Richardson Nik Read, Meor Design

## 1. Welcome & Apologies for absence

Apologies were noted from Damian Sargent.

2. Minutes of the Board Meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> April were approved

#### 3. BID Renewal

A total of 191 St Ives businesses took part in the ballot, a turnout of 60% (14% above the national average turnout for BID ballots). Of those voters, 121 were in favour, representing a 63% majority by number and 71% by rateable value.

# 4. BID Manager Recruitment

The position for BID manager has been posted on the British BIDs website.

Action: Kate to post to all of the bid members and to post the job on indeed Nik to post the job on the BID website

## 5. Food festival Update

Carl & Kate distributed all of the posters & flyers to the St Ives Businesses and posted the letters explaining the road closure to the houses effected.

## 6. Financial Update

Bid has currently received almost half of the remaining money owed. Cornwall Council were invoiced on the 15<sup>th</sup> April for what monies have been collected.

Action: Kate to e-mail Martin next week and ask if any more funds have arrived

Steve – Mentioned that the over flow parking over Easter hadn't been clearly sign posted Action: Steve to ask about more visible sign posts to show parking to the rugby club
Kate – Asked the board if they would like the bunting to go up again before summer.  Action: Kate to ask Dominic for a quote for Royal Square
Kate – Asked if it was okay to instruct Gary to place the planters and conduct a "tidy up" around the town
Action: Kate to ask Gary to start work as soon as he is available
8. Date of next Meeting is Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May, 5.30pm at Una Resort.
The meeting closed at 6.30pm
Minutes approved
Date: Signature:

**7.** AOB