Note of the joint Lambeth Council and Lougborough Junction Action Group steering group which will deliver a master plan and public realm improvements in the area held on Wednesday 4 July at the Loughborough Centre at 6.30pm

Attending: Anthea Masey (Chair), Abu Barkatoolah (Lambeth Council), Richard Ambler (Lambeth Council), Ann Hoad (Loughborough EMB), Clare Neely (London Cycling Campaign), Tim Gaymer (LJAG), Susan Sheehan (Lambeth)

Apologies for absence: John Frankland, Walter Reed, Alison Fordham, Naomi Smith, Lois Acton.

The following actions were decided:

1. Quick wins: In order to have the biggest impact it was decided to concentrate on one quick win. The preference is for the Cambria Bridge project. It was explained that LJAG needed to complete stage one which was dependent on an Awards for All grant by the middle of September. This would involve cleaning and painting the bridge and cleaning the brickwork and mounting six mosaics.

LJAG undertook to organise a community clean-up day over the weekend of 21/22 July. LJAG requested the help of Lambeth with a mobile scaffolding and high pressure jet sprays. Lambeth agreed to contact its contractor Conway which was suspending work during the Olympics and the weekend of 21/22 was the last week end the company would be working.

LJAG explained that it needed around £10,000 to complete the artwork on the bridge.

LJAG was meeting Network Rail at the Loughborough Centre on Tuesday 10 July to discuss the fixing of the six mosaics undertaken by Tamara Froud with three local schools.

1. LJAG would co-ordinate any further comments on the masterplan brief and this would be finalised by Wednesday 11 July.
2. Anthea Masey, Susan Sheehan and Stephanie Henrys a Master Garden and Loughborough Estate resident had done a walk around the area to identify possible “greening” sites. It was agreed that they would work on two possible ideas:

the recently cleared land opposite Wyck Gardens on Loughborough Road where there is the possibility of establishing a community garden or growing project; and the far end of Wyck Gardens where a community orchard could be established.

1. The next meeting falls on Wednesday 1 August and it was agreed that the meeting should include a study tour of the traffic calming scheme in De Beauvoir town in Hackney with a meeting room found for the formal business.