

**Stratford upon Avon Town Transport Group,  
10am, Wednesday 25 January 2017 at Stratford Town Hall**

**Present:** Ian Andrew [IA], Joe Baconnet [JB], John Deegan, Chairman [JD], Elizabeth Dixon [ED], Ian Fradgley [IF], Jenny Fradgley [JF], Richard Freer-Hewish [RFH], Ian Heggie [IH], Theresa Parker [TP], Robin Sankey, [RS], Juliet Short, [JS].

**David Miller** has resigned as a member and we thank him for his contribution. *RFH is also a member of Stratford Cycle Group and will report to the TTG on their behalf.*

**Mike Peet** has left WCC and Stephen Rumble [SR] will now represent WCC.

**Ian Heggie** was the founder member of this group in 2003 and is becoming a 'corresponding member' only. Ian gave a résumé of the TTG formation and changes over the years, highlighting the Ambassadors Courses now run by Stratforward BID, a Parking Survey about to be re-done by Stratforward, a seminar organised with Stratford Society about the changes to Bury St Edmunds town centre and overseeing SDC parking policies and tariff changes which received acclamation from many experts.

Juliet Short, Mayor, thanked Ian on behalf of the Town Council for all that he has done for the town in addition to the TTG and made a presentation. A gift was also made with huge thanks for all his work as a member of the TTG but with good news that he will be a 'corresponding member'. Chairman, John Deegan told the meeting he had known Ian since 1975. *Ian left the meeting.*

1. **Apologies:** Adrian Purchase [AP]. Kate Rolfe [KR].
2. **Minutes** of 14 December 2016 were agreed.
3. **Matters arising:** Ask Dave Webb. SDC about their TTG membership. JD  
Information still being sought about the Tramway.  
SR had provided detail about the road size for Shottery by-pass.
4. **Stratford Transport Strategy:** The draft response was discussed at length and will be revised to take into account various points made. Any additional points should be submitted to JD as soon as possible. The general view was that the strategy currently lacked detail or much new content and if not fleshed out it would become another missed opportunity for the town. The proposed meeting with NZ offered the chance to make this point in advance of the forthcoming public meeting. JD  
ALL
4. **Neighbourhood Development Plan:** No further news. ED
5. **Members Reports:**
6. **Any Other Business:** Meeting with a local, prospective new member on 31<sup>st</sup> who has experience in Health & Safety. JD/ED

**Next meeting 10am, 8 March Wednesday 2017, Stratford Town Hall.**