

## 11th May 2016

## To: Green Lanes Area Transport Study Steering Group Members

Firstly, thank you for agreeing to join the steering group for the Green Lanes Area Transport Study. I'm optimistic that this project will offer an opportunity for an objective and holistic view to be taken on how best to improve traffic flows, enhance road safety and promote cycling and walking for those who live and work in this vibrant yet densely populated corridor.

The steering group, to be chaired by the Cabinet Member for Environment, will not be a decision making body and will principally serve as an advisory panel for the council, as well as SDG who are the transport consultants appointed to undertake the public consultation work that will form the main thrust of the project.

Please find attached a map of the project area, terms of reference for the steering group and an abridged engagement plan that lists and describes the key stages within the planned consultation process. A webpage will be maintained for the duration of the process, much as has been the case with the works underway on Wightman Road bridge which has been progressing relatively smoothly as a result of the significant and ongoing community engagement work with local stakeholders that has gone into ensuring this is the case.

Stakeholders from a wider area affected by Green Lanes traffic flows have also been written to, so as to update them on the project, the setting up of the steering group and informing them about the webpage which will be updated regularly with key documents and information. The webpage address is as follows: <u>http://www.haringey.gov.uk/transport/green-lanes-area-transport-study</u>

The first meeting of the steering group which is expected to meet every 4-6 weeks will be on Wednesday 18th May at the St Paul's Parish Hall on Wightman Road N8, from 7-8:30pm

If you have any questions about the project, the steering group or anything else please contact <u>frontline.consultation@haringey.gov.uk</u> in the first instance.

It only remains for me to say that I wish everyone involved with the project the very best of luck and hope that some meaningful progress can be made.

Regards,

Cllr Stuart McNamara Cabinet Member for Environment