



## Notes of the North West Group Meeting

Held on: 9 November 2016

At: Monk Sports Club, Hillock Lane, Warrington, Cheshire WA1 4NF

1.	<p><b>Welcome and apologies.</b></p> <p>The deputy chairman Andy Hiles welcomed the chairman Roy Tunstall on his return.</p> <p>Signed in Attendees : Roy Tunstall (Liverpool City Council), Andy Hiles (Anchor Security Services), Steve Clark (BPA), Mark Osmond (BPA), Colin Arthur (ZZPS Ltd), Steve Brown (Equita), Daniel Eyres (Pod-Point), Lisa-Marie Hunt (Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council), John Lee( Cemplas), Jackie Sansam (Liberty Printers), Austin Shields (Cumbria Count Council), Samantha Smith (Marston Holdings), Karen Spencer (St Helens Council), Susan Straw (St Helens Council), Cheryl Vickers (Newlyn PLC), Iain Wishart (Burnley Borough Council), Liz Morris (Sefton MBC)</p>
2.	<p><b>Apologies from chair</b></p> <p>Roy Tunstall thanked the meeting for the flowers and their sympathy and support during a very difficult period</p>
3.	<p><b>Winter is coming! Preparing your facility for winter by John Lee (Cemplas)</b></p> <p>A presentation by John with tips on how to help preserve your car parks for the future.</p> <p>A copy of the presentation will be available on the BPA website.</p>
4.	<p><b>Electric and Ultra low Emission Vehicles – Prediction for market growth and use of charging points by Daniel Eyres (Pod-Point)</b></p> <p>A presentation of the various charging pods available for electric and hybrid vehicles.</p> <p>Copy available on BPA website.</p>
5.	<p><b>BPA update by Steve Clark (BPA)</b></p> <p>Following an organisational restructure, the BPA team will be focusing on innovation and continuous improvement. This will include the introduction of dedicated account managers for each of the BPA membership groups, details of which will be circulated shortly.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The “Parking Bulletin” focused on a PCN pilot scheme taking place in Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead. They are providing a 25% discount to motorists who lose their appeal at the Traffic Penalty Tribunal (TPT) stage of the PCN process. The scheme will be reviewed in January 2017</li> <li>• POPLA appeals are currently averaging 35/65 in favor of the motorist</li> <li>• A list of the consultations the BPA has submitted can be found here: <a href="http://www.britishparking.co.uk/Consultations">http://www.britishparking.co.uk/Consultations</a></li> <li>• Parkex/Traffex is April 4-6 2017 at the NEC</li> <li>• The BPA wants to hear from you on how membership services can be developed and improved to serve you better <a href="mailto:membership@britishparking.co.uk">membership@britishparking.co.uk</a></li> </ul> <p>A copy of the full update presentation is attached with these notes.</p>

6.	<p><b>Discussion on North West Regional meetings</b></p> <p>A lively discussion took place and some of the following suggestions were made.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Break out sessions not favoured</li> <li>- Frequency of meetings up to the group</li> <li>- Lasig, more information required</li> <li>- DVLA</li> <li>- TPT</li> <li>- TEC</li> <li>- MOJ</li> <li>- Invitations to future meetings- Lawline, DFT, Chair of transport select committee, chair of parliamentary sub committee.</li> <li>- Take a selection of LA`s to Westminster to lobby on a variety of issues with BPA sponsorship</li> </ul> <p>BPA to get into new powerhouse authorities</p>
<b>AOB</b>	<b>N/A</b>
	<b>Meeting closed.</b>