

Bridge Owners' Forum – BOF37

Tuesday 22nd May 2012
Beves Room, King's College, Cambridge

AGENDA

09.30 – 10.00 Arrival - Tea & Coffee

Beves Room

10.00 MORNING SESSION

1. Apologies
2. Previous Minutes – BOF35: 28th September 2011 & BOF36: 28th February 2012
3. Actions from BOF35 & BOF36
4. Feedback from meeting with Steve Berry (DfT) & Mike Winter (UKBB Chair)
 - a. Proposed new memberships
 - b. Subscription levels
5. BOF Research Projects Update – including review of contractors performance
 - a. Revision of BS6779 Part 4 (Masonry Bridge Parapets) – Brian Bell
 - b. Bridge deck slabs with non-metallic reinforcement –
 - c. Carbon composites for strengthening steel structures – Brian Bell
 - d. Automating bridge inspections – Stephen Pottle
 - e. Scanning of HA Research Reports – Cam Middleton
 - f. Bridge Inspector Qualifications (Part II) – Stephen Pottle
6. Research Priorities for the Future
 - a. Discussion on new research projects and priorities for BOF
7. Update on current Asset Management initiatives in UK
8. Temporary bridge options and inventory for emergencies –
 - a. Darren Keep/Ted Wells - Mabey Bridge

1.00 – 1.50 Lunch

Saltmarsh Room

2.00 AFTERNOON SESSION

9. Infrastructure UK Working Parties
 - a. Industry Standards Group (ISG) – Dr Steve Denton (PB)
 - (i) EU Assessment Code/Highway Loading Standards – Graham Bessant
 - b. Infrastructure Data Group – Cam Middleton
10. Other Bridge Research Update
 - a. TfL – Stephen Pottle
 - b. Network Rail – EC FP7 2012 work programme - Brian Bell
 - c. Highways Agency – Neil Loudon
 - d. Other – IKC; FIF (progress with working groups) & LimesNet – C.Middleton
11. Any other business
 - a. Future agenda items
12. Proposed dates for 2012 BOF meetings:
 - a. September 2012 BOF38 – Tuesday 25th September 2012
13. Proposed dates for 2012 FIF Meetings
 - a. FIF4 : Tuesday 11th & Wednesday 12th September 2012
14. Closing/Summing up

Expected finish time: 4.00pm