Transport for London

Minutes of the Meeting

Committee Rooms 4-5, City Hall, The Queen's Walk, London 10.00am, Wednesday 21 July 2010

Members

Boris Johnson Chairman

Daniel Moylan Deputy Chairman

Claudia Arney Member Charles Belcher Member Christopher Garnett Member Sir Mike Hodgkinson Member Judith Hunt Member Patrick O'Keeffe Member Kulveer Ranger Member Tony West Member Keith Williams Member Steve Wright Member

Staff

Steve Allen Managing Director, Finance

David Brown Managing Director, Surface Transport

Ian Brown Managing Director, London Rail

Mike Brown Managing Director, London Underground

Howard Carter General Counsel Stephen Critchley Chief Finance Officer

Michèle Dix Managing Director, Planning

Vernon Everitt Managing Director, Marketing and Communications

Peter Hendy Commissioner

Ellen Howard Director of Corporate Governance

Richard Parry Strategy and Commercial Director, London

Underground

Clive Walker Interim Director of Internal Audit

David Waboso Capital Programmes Director Line Upgrades, London

Underground

Shamus Kenny Head of Secretariat

48/07/10 Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

Apologies for absence had been received from Peter Anderson, Baroness Grey-Thompson, Eva Lindholm, Bob Oddy and Steven Norris.

The following interests were declared: Daniel Moylan as Deputy Leader of the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea, a director of the London Transport Museum and Chairman of Urban Design London; Sir Mike Hodgkinson as a non-executive director of

Crossrail Limited; Tony West as a member of Bexley Council's Public Transport Advisory Group; and Steve Wright on matters relating to private hire vehicles.

49/07/10 Minutes of the Meeting held on 23 June 2010

The minutes of the meeting held on 23 June 2010 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

50/07/10 Matters Arising and Actions List

The Actions List was noted.

51/07/10 Status of Jubilee Line Upgrade

Mike Brown introduced the report, which updated Members on the current status of the Jubilee Line Upgrade (JLU) as at June 2010, prior to the acquisition of Tube Lines Limited (TLL) by TfL. The report also provided Members with information on the approach taken to design and testing; the proposed commissioning strategy; and the risks to completion of the upgrade and the potential impact on customers.

Serco Ltd (Serco) had independently reviewed the programme and progress of both the JLU and Northern Line Upgrade (NLU) programmes. Serco's report on the JLU agreed with the key findings of LU's report. TLL's new Chief Executive also supported the findings of both reports.

TfL's direct control of TLL and direct engagement with Thales meant relationships between the parties were improving, which would enable the JLU to be delivered in the most effective way. Once TfL had made a full assessment of the JLU programme, it would communicate a realistic date for its completion.

Members expressed their dissatisfaction with the legacy left by Tube Lines in relation to the Jubilee Line particularly because of the ongoing disruption to the travelling public.

The lessons learnt from the JLU would be shared with Crossrail and applied to the NLU. The direct relationship with Thales and a better approach to testing would ensure that the NLU programme was delivered with significantly fewer closures required. A report would be submitted to the Board on the progress of the NLU. A paper would also be submitted on the commercial levers available to TfL to incentivise the signalling contractor for the Sub Surface Lines.

[ACTION: Mike Brown]

The Board noted the report.

52/07/10 Any Other Business

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 10.45am.
The next scheduled meeting would be held on Wednesday 22 September 2010 at 10.00am.
Chair:
Date: