**CLAPHAM COMMON MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CCMAC)**

**ANNUAL OPEN MEETING – 7pm, THURSDAY 7th FEBRUARY 2019**

**NOMINATION FORM FOR THE ELECTION OF COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES**

CCMAC has nine open Community Representative positions, for a two-year term from February 2019 to February 2021. Nominees will be chosen by election at CCMAC’s Annual Open Meeting on 7th February 2019. This will be held at Omnibus, 1 Clapham Common Northside, SW4 0QW.

Nominees should be resident in one of five local authority wards which border the Common (Clapham Town, Clapham Common, Balham, Northcote and Shaftesbury) or represent a major user group on Clapham Common.

Candidates are asked to ensure they have time available to make a meaningful contribution. This includes monthly meetings of the whole Committee lasting about 2 hours, meetings every 1-2 months of working groups (each Committee member typically sits on one or two working groups) and email correspondence between meetings. Members may also volunteer in activities on the Common, such as assisting with community gardening or the summer Bandstand concerts.

More information about CCMAC is available at www.claphamcommon.london. This includes CCMAC’s strategic objectives, copied here:

1. We will provide a voice for people who use the Common working in consultation and partnership with the London Borough of Lambeth (LBL) and other key agencies
2. We will facilitate effective and sustainable management of the Common
3. We will conserve the heritage and enrich the biodiversity of the Common for the benefit of users and the local community
4. We will strive to balance the interests of the people who use the Common and the local community
5. We will maintain a robust infrastructure and sustainable organisation

Nominees should complete and return the form on the next page. Anyone interested in learning more about the work of a Community Representative can get in touch with the Committee for an informal chat (contact details on the next page and CCMAC’s website).

Please return the completed form by **Thursday 31st January 2019** to Tim Bennett, CCMAC Secretary, at timlbennett@gmail.com. Alternatively, forms can be posted to Cllr Linda Bray, Town Hall, Brixton Hill, London, SW2 1RW.

I, [Name]:

of [Address]:

[Tel/ email]:

wish to nominate to be a Community Representative on CCMAC.

Signature

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Please write (typed or hand written) in **no more than 200 words** why you should be elected. This will be displayed at the AOM. Nominees will also be invited to speak for two minutes at the AOM.

**Personal statement**

Signature: Date: