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SAVE UXBRIDGE POLICE STATION

Campaign Update

We have sought support across the Political Spectrum for our Campaign to get the Mayor to change his mind.....

Boris Johnson came to meet us outside Uxbridge Police Station last September. His visit was fully covered, with photographs, in the Uxbridge Gazette. As Prime Minister, he continues to give his support – We are in regular contact with his Constituency Office.

In October 2019 NURA Committee Members met Ali Milani, the Labour Candidate for this Parliamentary Constituency. He gave his support to our Campaign and said he would seek an opportunity to put our case to the Mayor in person.

The next Election is for London Mayor on 7 May 2020. One of the Candidates for London Mayor is Rory Stewart. Nick Johnson, one of our Committee Members, spoke to him in a video telephone conference to brief him on our case. He pledged his full support and signed our online Petition.

We held our photoshoot on Saturday 1 February 2020 to demonstrate the volume of support for our Petition to the Mayor to **SAVE UXBRIDGE POLICE STATION – 1353 signatures and 600 comments**. This received full coverage in the Uxbridge Gazette on 5 February, with the front page headline 'FORCE THE ISSUE'. Since then, Nick Johnson has been seeking to attract the attention of National Newspapers.

Shaun Bailey, the Conservative Candidate for London Mayor, is visiting Uxbridge on Monday 24 February. He has asked to meet NURA representatives and local people outside the Police Station at 16.00 – to hear about our Campaign. He has in mind to say a few words about his plans to deal with crime and then will take questions. We have readily agreed to ask you – the residents – to come and meet him. It will be another opportunity to show the volume of support for our Petition and to record this, with photographs.

This will be an Election issue in May: the Mayor needs somewhere to locate the additional Police Officers which have been approved for London. There is an obvious solutionWe feel, however, that he will defer a decision until after the Election.

Please come – Voices raised in opposition carry weight.

MEET SHAUN BAILEY, CANDIDATE FOR LONDON MAYOR, OUTSIDE UXBRIDGE POLICE STATION AT 16.00 ON MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY.

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