**MINUTES**

**Unity in Sound Community Choir**

**Date: Monday 14th December 2020 at 19.30pm ONLINE VIA ZOOM**

**Present: Jax, Beth, Claire, Jane, Kathy, Leah, Lesley, Sheena, Shelagh, Sue**

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| 1. **Apologies: Wendy** |  |
| 1. **Previous Minutes: Amendment to finance statement & signed in absentia** | **Jax** |
| 1. **Matters Arising:**   Subscriptions – still 2 members to commit to payments | **Jax** |
| 1. **Moving Forward**   Discussion took place to delay start of our return to face to face choir rehearsals until February 2021 to avoid possible infection transference – **ALL AGREED**  Proposal to cease **online** choir rehearsals for January. Any vulnerable members to be invited to contact Committee or a fellow choir member to ensure continuity of care **– ALL AGREED**  Proposal to continue payment break and restart subscriptions on 1st February when online choir sessions will resume – **ALL AGREED**  Proposal to return to just 1 weekly session of **live** rehearsals, depending on Government guidelines and infection rates **– ALL AGREED**  Leah wants to try using Zoom again so members can see each other and she can see them. She hopes to achieve this without the need of a mixing desk and backing tracks, which will make things less challenging on the technical side.  **Risk Assessment has been reviewed and there are no changes as at**  **14 December 2020 – We will continue to use protection screens, wear face masks and keep 2m apart. Ensuring NO MINGLING amongst Committee and members within church premises.**  Jax will email Choir to update on actions discussed at Committee including proposal to restart subscriptions. | **Jax/Leah** |
| 1. **Finance**   Funds held in current account as at 14 December 2020 is £11,333.96p  Half the members have suspended payment for December. | **Lesley** |
| 1. **AOB**   Sheena was concerned about ex-members not returning music but as our music notation changes throughout our rehearsals it probably doesn’t matter for copyright purposes. |  |
| **Date of Next meeting**  Monday, 18th January 2021 at 19.30 via Zoom |  |