

George Osborne Chancellor of the Exchequer visits Kimpton Industrial Park Sutton

George Osborne MP visited Kimpton Industrial Park last Friday, seen in the photo visiting Nu-Flame who manufacture fires on our Industrial Park.



He was very interested in the large number of manufacturing companies we have on Kimpton, the mix of businesses and the rapid expansion our Industrial Park has enjoyed over the last few years.

With more New Builds approved he was very impressed.

Photo of me (the older one) bringing him up to speed with the work KIPPA BID has been doing, working

closely with the LB Sutton, Councillors, local Police and our MP Paul Burstow for over ten years to improve our Industrial Park.

It gave us, as KIPPA BID LTD the opportunity to inform him of the down side of this success story as the original build on the Industrial Park is suffering daily from serious traffic flow problems, due to the original narrow roads being unsuitable for the large HGVs of today, causing serious traffic flow problems and demurrage charges from lengthy delays. An unacceptable expense for companies. It could even discourage companies from joining us on Kimpton.

We are continuing to work with all parties to resolve this problem.

With a visit from Nick Clegg DPM in the summer and meeting Danny Alexander at a local business meeting in Sutton organised by our local MP it can only be good for BIDs all over the country, we certainly hope so.