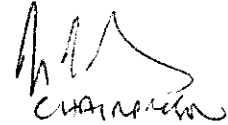


## Minutes of Meeting

### Parkhall Tenants Hall

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2008

  
13/3/08

#### Community Councillors Present:

Jim Lindsay (Chair)  
Jim Paisley (Treasurer)  
Diane Docherty

Gilbert Howatson (Vice Chair)  
Alex MacFarlane  
Neil Etherington

Walter Graham (Secretary)  
Anne Hickey  
Drummond McNair

**Apologies:** none

#### West Dunbartonshire Councillors;

Provost Denis Agnew

Cllr. W. McLaughlin

Cllr. J. Brown

**Strathclyde Police;** Constable McCracken

#### Local residents

3 local residents presents.

The meeting was opened at 7:30 PM by the chair,

#### Address to committee by Lawrence McLafferty

Mr McLafferty wished to bring to the attention of the community council, his concern over the proposed park and ride scheme at the Kilbowie road junction with Great Western road. There are no objections to the clean up of the site but residents have concerns over the additional traffic lights that will be erected at the entrance to the site which he feels will aggravate the already congested traffic on Kilbowie road and he is trying to organize the local community to oppose this.

It was proposed by Gilbert Howatson and passed by the committee, that a special meeting be held at the hub to discuss this development as there is still time to submit objections.

**Action Point Walter Graham.**

#### Police report:

Most of the crime over the last period was for minor assaults and breach of the peace of which a majority have been detected. There were 3 robberies, one being a robbery at knife point at a local residence which is still under investigation.

There is no update on the additional community officers for the area and that there is no staff flexibility due to the changes in the shift patterns which is affecting the number of officers on the beat.

Drummond McNair reported to the constable that there is still a problem with children riding motorcycles in Parkhall. This will be investigated by the Constable.

#### Minutes of last meeting:

Proposed by Gilbert Howatson  
Seconded by Anne Hickey

#### Matters arising:

Neil commented that some points he had submitted to the committee had been omitted, this was noted by the Secretary and he will add any valid points to the Authorized Version of the minutes.

Secretary has covered all action points.

#### Secretary's report:

Walter discussed with the committee the results of the action points from the last meeting

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### **Correspondence:**

Reply received from Steve Marshall regarding tree preservation in Parkhall and a survey will be required.

**Action Point: Walter to reply back.**

Reply received about CCTV Camera in Kilbowie road at Technical College. The new camera will be at a lower level the previous one and may be unsatisfactory. Denis Agnew suggested that the person in charge be invited to a meeting to respond to concerns.

**Action Point: Walter to invite chairman of CCTV Trust.**

A lot of correspondence has been received recently from the ASCC which Jim Paisley has been dealing with. There has been a request to licence for data protection which generated discussion at the meeting. Jim proposed that no action be taken on this until advised by ASCC, this was seconded by Neil Etherington. Neil replied that an ASCC representative exists in Dumbarton and suggested that the rep be invited to attend a meeting.

**Action point: Walter to deal.**

### **Treasurers report:**

Balance £820.17

### **Planning issues:**

Gilbert gave an overview of the proposed Park and Ride scheme on Kilbowie road and after discussion it was agreed to hold a public meeting with a suggested date of Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March.

There followed a discussion on the proposed boundary changes for Government. This places most of Clydebank in with Renfrewshire. Duntocher will be separated from Clydebank under this change.

### **WDC report:**

Provost Denis Agnew commented on the congestion on Kilbowie road and on the proposed boundary changes and also in the issue of the additional tree protection for Parkhall was still in progress. Provost Agnew also informed the committee on the new WDC budget, the status of the Antonine wall and the Parkhall Post Office issue. Provost Agnew informed the committee that the demolition of the shops at Leven view was imminent and also an update on the Granville Street site. The status of "Haddows Lane" was discussed at length.. There followed a short discussion on the planning rules within the WDC area.

Cllr. McLaughlin overviewed some other local issues including the implementation of waiting restrictions at Stevenson Street bowling club, complaints about lack of neighbourhood notification for roadwork's at Morar road and the status of litter in Clydebank.

### **Core paths plan:**

Neil gave a report on the meeting to discuss this issue.

### **A.O.C.B:**

SEPA letter: there will be a conference in Perth and a discussion followed regarding this event.

**Action point; Walter to ask for papers.**

Jim Paisley raised the point that a condition for the applied grant is that all publications by the Community Council must have a clause that it is supported by the WDC.

Litter collecting at the railway tunnel in Dalmuir Park is again an issue and a letter should be written to Network Rail.

**Action Point: Walter to deal.**

There was a discussion on graffiti in the area and committee members will take note to compile a list to pass to WDC.

The issue of the state of the tow paths on the canal was discussed by the committee.

Neil Etherington's list of outstanding issues was discussed and dealt with by the committee

**The Chair closed the meeting at 10:00 pm and date set for next meeting to be Tues 11<sup>th</sup> March.**