

# Spittalfield & District Community Council

## Minutes of SDCC Meikleour Hall 18<sup>th</sup> June 2013 (Draft)

- Present: Roddy McInnes, Graham Juggins, Grant Laing, Jean Rae, Sheena MacPherson, Alf Megson, David Hayes, Anton Edwards. Apologies: James McIntosh, Barbara Vaughan, Police (report received and circulated) and Margaret Edwards.
- Minutes of meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> June 2013 were taken as read and adopted(prop GJ, sec JR)
- Police report: various petty crime in the area including theft from sheds, barns, isolated properties and unsecured vehicles. **Secure all such property.**  
**Beware bogus callers, distractive doorstep thieves and false doorstep calls for help.**  
**Call 101 for all police matters not needing emergency services.**
- There were no new public matters of concern.
- Matters arising from minutes. Murthly hedge has been cut. Goods Yard hedge in hand – owner contacted by GL. Station Road hedge may become an issue if not seen to. “Slow” signs at Murthly school have been removed. Clunie loch – landowners will not be seeking funding of £3K (mentioned at last meeting). RMCl has been in touch with all landowners. Reply awaited from Danielle Muir about new bins. Snaigow will allow a graveyard extension. Concern was expressed about an SNH publicity promotion of (irresponsible) access.
- Councillors' reports. Caputh – council house tenancy problems have been resolved and new tenants are expected. Congratulations were extended to PKC and police for sensitive handling. The advice from PKC **is to complain immediately** in any future such incidents.
- Area reports. Meikleour: Heritage Scotland has cleaned the Mercat Cross; 40 tipped tyres have been removed; dog mess is to be monitored by PKC before any new bin can be installed. Spittalfield: it was regretted that the Dunkeld service has stopped. Caputh: graveyard improvements and a pending A984 road closure were noted; Spittalfield - our web page has been popular because of *Spittalfield in Bloom*: AE will write to Hazel Pattie on our behalf. Murthly: concern was expressed about the blocked road through the estate. Clunie – road improvements near Forneth house are in hand.
- Correspondence. AE wrote to SNH Blairgowrie but no reply received so far. **AE** will chase.
- Any Other Business
- All are encouraged to claim all mileage now. AE will circulate expenses form.

### Correspondence (mostly circulated)

Report on A9 meeting 130723

PKC wish to celebrate 50 60 wedding anniversaries and 100<sup>th</sup> birthdays.

Notification of [www.Tellmesotland.gov.uk](http://www.Tellmesotland.gov.uk)

Keep Scotland Beautiful dog fouling campaign

Elizabeth Smith MSP surgery information

Invitation to SNH liaison meeting (response made by email about wind farm and access legislation)

Convention of Perth and Kinross Community Councils

Dungarhill woodland plan

Berrybrae planning application

Invitation to Community Council training sessions

Local Development Plan Flood Risk Assessment Consultation

Planning Scotland's Seas - Consultation 2013

Snaigow estate woodland plan

Clunie & Chair: Roddy McInnes

Meikleour & Vice Chair: Graham Juggins

Spittalfield and Glendelvine: James McIntosh (Treasurer) & Alf Megson

Caputh & Secretary: Anton Edwards, Duguid's Wark, Caputh, PH1 4JH, 01738 710 774

Murthly: Jean Rae & Sheena McPherson

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