

Spittalfield & District Community Council

Minutes of meeting 22nd February 2017 Spittalfield Village Hall

- Present: Roddy McInnes, Grant Laing, Margaret Wilson, Jean Rae, Sam Mercer-Nairne, Danny McGee, Anton Edwards, Barbara Vaughan and 6 members of the public.
- Minutes of 23rd November 2016 were adopted (proposed DMcG and seconded SM-N)
- There were no matters arising
- Police reports for the region, including the community council area, been received regularly.
- Public matters of concern: concern was expressed at recent attempts by the proprietor to restrict pedestrian access near and around Baldarroch House in Murthly. The matter may already be in the hands of Perth and Kinross Council's access officer. The community council expressed its serious concern about this matter and hopes for urgent clarification. The Meikleour traffic survey results are not yet available but road safety has been prioritised in PKC budgeting and resurfacing is planned.
- Any Community issues to be raised with local Members of the Scottish Parliament - none
- Clunie Graveyard: RMcl reported on continuing progress with the graveyard extension.
- Dulater Proposed Wind Park – an enquiry starts on 28 March. RMcl reported on the forthcoming planned meetings. The community council noted recent offers of shared ownership from the developers.
- Area reports. **Meikleour**: a complaint has been received about the cutting of trees. RMcl has inspected the site, with its associated new tree planting. A site meeting has been held and the relevant PKC planning officer has been consulted. **Spittalfield** – the Millhole Burn investigation continues. A damaged fence has been repaired, and detritus has been cleared by DMcG. There are hopes of a community garden, presentation to be arranged at a forthcoming meeting. **Murthly**: the suspect wall is being attended to by PKC; **GL** will look into a problem of mobility scooter access; a hedge at Dunvorist still overhangs the pavement – **AE** will write to PKC. Complaints continue about safety at the side of the Pittensorn road and plastic markers are planned. **Caputh** – no news on the petition about road safety in Manse Road; see above about road safety. **Clunie** – as above.
- All complaints about dog fouling should be sent to **01738 475000**.
- Councillors' reports: are included in the above
- Correspondence was outlined.
- Any Other Business. Nominations are now sought for our Spittalfield vacancy. PKC has agreed that our AGM will remain in April, so long as our accounts are rendered by end March. A new secretary and representative for Caputh will be needed after the AGM.
- The meeting closed at 2020, next 19 April.

Clunie: Roddy McInnes (Chair)

Meikleour: Sam Mercer-Nairne (Treasurer)

Spittalfield: Carol Downie & Danny McGee

Murthly: Jean Rae & Margaret Wilson

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

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