

Uplawmoor Community Council Meeting.

Date: Monday 18th November 2013

Attendees: Members: David Carslaw, Karen Bain, HeatherAnderson, Charles Brindley, Ken Knox, John Black, Gordon Steel.

Counsellors: Cllr. Paul O’Kane, Cllr. TonyBuchannan, Cllr. Charles Gilbert

Police: PC Kelly, PC Goldie

Community Safety Officer: Stephen Fox

Apologies: Lorna Dempster.

Police Report:

– No crime reported by Police.

~ DC reported about a plastic shed being ransacked. Action: Ring and report!

– Community safety officers will look into this matter and be extra vigilant around the hours of 22:00 hrs to 01:00 hrs.

Community Safety Officers report:

Youth disorder at school. Damage to poly-tunnel. Action: Nightshift have checked at various times. This weekend, joint patrol with police in unmarked car. Unfortunately there are no CCTV cameras in school.

Dog fouling continues to be a problem. Action: Ring and Report!

Counsellors report:

Commore application: Because it was a small scale development, it was in Barrhead News and Weekly Planning list. Hence it NOT going out as a specific notification.

Braefoot Lane application: Report of handling. Gillian McCarney is happy to meet with UCC members to discuss. Action: DC to arrange meeting!

Eastwood High School: Different designation therefore NOT actually designated as school estate. Out to consultation. This is an ongoing complex issue.

Gilbert to deal with issues surrounding clear up of the Glen.

Libo Ave: Light out. This will be reported to ERC by Charlie Gilbert.

Alex Hewetson:

1 Analysis: HMI may contact UCC to interview. This follows the meeting had by AH, KB and CB.

Montague: Convener for CC's. Meeting on 4th Dec 2013 from 18:30 until 20:30 approx. at Eastwood House. Informal setting and a good opportunity to network. KB has offered to attend. Mark Harris from Civil Contingency will be there.

Matters Arising:

Padlocked gates: Action: DC dealing with it as it is East Ayrshire council.

As Lorna unavailable, any items that Lorna was to deal with will be put on the agenda again for next meeting.

Park Entrance: Action: KB dealing with getting permission from the residents that own the path into the park from Neilston Road. This is to enable ERC to erect 2 removable barriers on path in order to slow pedestrians down before the road.

Community Planning Partnership: Alex Hewetson talked about this, see notes under Alex.

Website: Minutes to be updated.

Ross Leggat says that website for UCC doesn't exist/is out of use.

Action: DC to contact Iain Oliphant regarding this.

Graham Shankland: Planning and Development on Tuesday 10th of December 2013 and Eastwood House. Another networking opportunity.

Community Planning Team: Alisdair Martin, researcher at ERC. Is available to help with survey if UCC wish to carry out a survey.

Needs assessment: This is a way that we could accomplish this service. 3 people will be required. GS & KB offered offered to assist, one additional UCC member required.

KB proposed £500 would be donated by UCC to fund the entire projected costs of a Public meeting to be held by Uplawmoor Development Trust (UDT).

Following much discussion, UCC felt the amount being asked for appeared to be high and no documentation of actual costs had been submitted by UDT the amount could not be supported from UCC's small annual budget. A vote was

taken and the motion fell. However, to assist the UDT it was unanimously agreed by the UCC committee that it would fund the costs of the venue which could be justified.

KB proposed Aileen Jackson to be co-opted on to the UCC as an "Associate Member" with no voting rights. KB explained this position would allow Aileen Jackson to offer advice regarding planning applications without having to be at every meeting, which she couldn't commit to due to her other commitments. KB's proposal was debated with the committee deciding that the Community Council Scheme made no provision for an "Associate Member" and as UCC could call on experts for advice at any time the motion fell.

At this point Karen Bain resigned from UCC, requested DC take over recording the minutes and left the room.

DC took over the recording of the minute from this point in the meeting.

Cath asked the UCC for £400 for a de-fib unit. She was referred to the Area Forum for funding. The next meeting of this forum is on the 13th December 2013 which Cath and HA will attend and present the case for funding of the de-fib unit.

Co-opted members: Rose Daly, DC proposed, JB seconded. Ross Leggat, HA proposed JB seconded.

Next Meeting: Monday 20/01/14