

Carsphairn Community Council

Minute of the meeting Thursday 25th October 2012

Lagwyne Hall 7pm

Present

Tony Challis	Liz Holmes	Aleta McCallie	Roy McCallie
Sarah Ade	Simon Holmes	Daren Challis	John Eller
Matt Hickman	Ruth Williams	Arnold Duggleby	Ken Williams
Bill Holmes	David McMilliam	Jean Cowley	Steve Cowley
Alex MacRae	Robin Ade	Martin Temple	Sylvia Sinclair
George Jefferys	Andrew Metcalf	Maggie Phillips	Margaret Richmond
Trish Bates	Belinda Hilton	Mr Hilton	

Apologies

Irene McCreath

Stuart Marshall

1. Welcome and Apologies

The new Chairman welcomed all to the meeting. Apologies were received as above.

2. Secutary for this meeting

Maggie Phillips agreed to take the minutes for this meeting.

3. Declarations of interest

None were addressed

4. Minutes of meeting 24th September 2012

There were 3 things which needed amending. Point 13 (Pub) had should be changed to has not been. Margaret Richmond sent her apologies to the last meeting. Sylvia had been spelt wrong. The minutes were accepted once amended.

Proposed: Matt Hickman

Seconded: Sylvia Sinclair

5. D & G Councillor

None were present

6. Police report

None were present.

7. Wind farms

Discussion took place with regards all Wind farms which are planned for the area. There were updates. A letter is to be sent to Scottish Power to invite a representative to attend the next meeting to discuss the extension of Wetherhill Wind farm. Also a letter is to be sent to the Council Landscape Architect to discuss Wind farms being built in an area of

It was discussed as to if a subcommittee be set up to take this forward. 10 people showed interest in this. This will be discussed at the next meeting, as will the subcommittee.

8. Community Garden

CVSL will hold the Community Garden in trust for the community. It will still belong to the Community Council, but CVSL will send a letter to CC to state it is willing to hold it in trust.

9. Welcome Leaflet

The welcome leaflet is completed and ready to get printed. A member of the community offered to see how much the print cost would be, but personal circumstances have changed this. Anne Rutherford, Maggie Phillips and Margaret Richmond will meet with Sarah Ade with regards this.

10. Footpath to Bridgend

This is part of the core paths route, and also connects 3 houses to the rest of the village. A quote for £35,000 - £37,000 has been obtained for Peacock's. This is for Type 1 aggregate. There is to be another quote to be obtained, and then enquire about funding.

11. Future secretary

There are 2 possible people willing to take this job on. Discussion to take place at the next meeting.

12. Wreath

A local serving member of the armed forces has been approached to place the wreath, but he is unable to do it. A son of a community member, who is also serving, will try to attend, and other than that, Arnold Duggleby will do it.

13. Pylons

Discussion took place with regards the new line. It was stated that there are to be even more power lines on the pylons than first stated. Alex MacRae offered to research the possibility of putting the lines underground.

14. Sponsorship of the Gazette

It was decided that this wouldn't be discussed due to the lack of funds which the Community Council hold.

15. Planning Applications

None applicable

16. Correspondence

A letter was received with regard the D & G elections, Eon, a Jazz night and Stewartry sports.

17. AOCB

The email distribution list is to be updated. George Jefferys from Vattenfall informed the Community Council there is to be the final public consultation on January 13th 2013. The ownership of the land at the old parking space at the entrance of Whitecrooks was discussed due to the fact that rubbish had been left there where there used to be a rubbish bin. It was mentioned that a notice should be placed there by the council. It was raised about the price of heating oil to outlying areas. This is going to be discussed at the next meeting.

Date of next meeting Monday 26th November 2012 at 7pm in Lagwyne Hall.