

HUTCHESONTOWN COMMUNITY COUNCIL

17th APRIL 2018

ST FRANCIS CENTRE

MINUTES

ATTENDANCE; P Ingram, V McHugh, L Jackson, A Barclay, S Chase, C Buchanan, J Hewitt, J McManus

VISITORS; CLLR J Scanlon, CLLR M Hunter, CLLR A Belic

APOLOGIES; S Ochouba, J Stewart, CLLR S Siddique,

CHAIR; On holiday, P Ingram chairs A Barclay minute taker

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING (april); Minutes approved

MATTERS ARISING: 47-49 Errol Gdns repaired. Lisa martin NHS approached about Helen Crawford memorial. Nicola Sturgeon has spoken to Lisa.

TREASURER'S REPORT; Libby advised that she would not on this occasion charge for paper and inks for the parking survey sent out two weeks ago

POLICE; No formal report but John McManus raised continuous concerns about abuse of use of graveyard- drinking, theft and unruly behaviour. John felt that this was now getting out of hand. Bus stop glass been broken again.

John suggested New Gorbals needs to be involved. Trisha updated meeting on some progress regarding "removal" of certain youths.

Possible airgun use in Oatlands area was raised. Regarding illegal drinking it was suggested we ask Police to test sale of alcohol to underage youths. Mhairi suggested HCC, NGHA, Police and Social Workers meet to work on creating an Active Plan. John advises some of the community are frightened.

PARKING; Libby reported 544 letters out and so far 79 returned. Mhairi advised that she had spoken with LES to get the proposed works done at the school area first. Libby to send Cllr Belic a copy of the living streets report. Mhairi will check status of roads in Commercial Court and Waddell Court- adopted or not.

COUNCILLOR HUNTER; barrier at lights at Naburn gate have not been fixed. Roll out of new street litter bins to start in the Gorbals second week in May. Bulk uplift proposals info was incorrect and needs further development, but concerns were raised re mis-use of system and NGHA not following up with penalties against those leaving bulk on wrong dates. Jim

Scanlon will look into this. Much discussion re dog fouling. 22 dog fines issued and only 8 paid.- 14 to debt collectors for whole of southside central.

COUNCILLOR SCANLON: Also spoke about dog fouling. Updated meeting on footpath and road repairs. Restaurant on Ballater street was given one month to rectify the situation but so far allegedly nothing has been applied for. Further action to be taken.

COUNCILLOR BELIC: Malain schools project discussed

A.O.C.B: Planters- community benefit. Councillors will look into getting some back. NGHAs to be asked to help to provide more flowers.

Michael Fullerton is contact for stalls for Gorbals Fair

Beehives on top of health centre- idea to be developed.

Idea of Parks being taken out of ward boundaries as they effect more than just one community council in many areas.

“Scheme of establishment” changes being looked at include eligibility to serve on a CC must be on the electoral role.

John Hewitt raised issue of Chiropody at the health centre, not providing services for those unable to help themselves.

Ideas for spending monies- Libby raised and idea – Schools Community project- 10 Gorbals Girls and 10 Gorbals Guys. Automated external defibrillators.- one at co-op one at new Health Centre.

Lack of grit bins raised.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING. 15th MAY 2018