

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

KILMARNOCK NORTH LOCAL COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 13 SEPTEMBER 2005 AT 1400 HOURS IN NEW FARM LOCH COMMUNITY CENTRE, 2A FRASER WALK, KILMARNOCK

PRESENT: Councillors Drew McIntyre, Daniel Coffey, Willie Coffey and John Weir; and Community Representatives: Beryl Graham, Billy Sullivan, Dorothy McGowan, Sally Roy, Charles McGowan and Julie Quinn.

ATTENDING: Margaret Phelps, Team Leader - Community Learning and Development; Anne Marie Carr, Senior Administrative Officer; and Robert Beaton, Administrative Officer.

ALSO ATTENDING: Sergeant Andy McInnes, Strathclyde Police.

APOLOGIES: Community Representatives Pauline Barber and Margaret Docherty; and Substitute Community Representative: Archie Pryce.

CHAIR: Councillor Drew McIntyre, Chair.

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING: TO ALLOW FOR PUBLIC QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION

1. It was agreed to adjourn the meeting at 1401 hours to allow for a 15 minute public question and answer session.

RECONVENTION OF MEETING

2. The meeting reconvened at 1415 hours with the same Councillors, Community Representatives and Officers present and in attendance.

MINUTES

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

3. There were submitted (circulated) for information and noting, the Minutes of the meeting held on 24 May 2005.

3.1 MATTERS ARISING

3.1.1 Recruitment of Community Representatives (Item 4.1.1, Page 1516, 03/07)

The Administrative Officer advised, and it was noted, that Ann Docherty would no longer represent Kilmarnock Forum on Disability and that Community Learning and Development would report back to the next meeting on progress of identifying a Young Person from the "Youthie" Project.

3.1.2 Shopmobility Update (Item 4.1.2, Page 1516, 03/07)

The Administrative Officer advised and it was noted that an Officer Working Group was currently examining various options in relation to establishing a Shopmobility Scheme and the Local Committee requested that a report on progress be considered at the next meeting on 8 November 2005.

3.1.3 Disabled Parking Provision in Kilmarnock Town Centre (Item 4.1.2, Page 1516, 03/07)

The Administrative Officer advised that the Head of Roads and Transportation intended to report further on the matter to the next meeting on 8 November 2005.

CORPORATE SUPPORT

STREET NAMING: PROPOSED NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENT OFF KILMAURS ROAD, KILMARNOCK AND PROPOSED NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AT ALTONHILL, KILMARNOCK

4. There was submitted a report dated 16 August 2005 (circulated) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support which requested the Committee to consider and determine 8 new street names for proposed new housing developments located off Kilmaurs Road, Kilmarnock, and at Altonhill, Kilmarnock.

It was agreed:-

- (i) to name the proposed new streets in relation to the new housing developments:-

<u>NEW STREET NAME</u>	<u>NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENT</u>
John Walker Drive Talisker Avenue Talisker Rigg Talisker Gardens	Off Kilmaurs Road, Kilmarnock
Dalwhinnie Crescent Dalwhinnie Gardens Cardhu Crescent Cardhu Gardens	At Altonhill, Kilmarnock

; and

- (ii) that the Executive Director of Development and Property Services be advised of the outcome.

EDUCATIONAL AND SOCIAL SERVICES

ANNUAL YOUTH CONFERENCE

5. There was submitted a report dated 4 August 2005 (circulated) by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services informing of the outcome of the 9th Annual Youth Conference held in Kilmarnock College on Wednesday 30 March 2005.

It was agreed:-

- (i) to welcome the success of this year's Youth Conference; and
(ii) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

SAFER STREETS STRATHCLYDE POLICE REPORT

6. There was submitted a report dated 29 August 2005 (circulated) by Superintendent Elizabeth Weir, Strathclyde Police, which advised of the crime figures and Police activity within the area.

It was agreed:-

- (i) that Community Representatives identify any local problems which may be addressed by local Officers; and
- (ii) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

EAST AYRSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM

7. There was submitted for information and noting, the Minutes (circulated) of the Community Safety Forum meeting held on 1 June 2005.

LOCAL COMMITTEE GRANTS SCHEME 2005/2006

RETURN OF GRANT MONIES FROM SOUTH KILMARNOCK ELDERLY FORUM

8. The Administrative Officer reported and it was noted that South Kilmarnock Elderly Forum had returned a total amount of £118.00 to the Council which remained unspent from the grant made in 2004/2005 awarded for a visit to the Scottish Parliament.

As this was a cross-boundary application, the amount returned to the Kilmarnock North Local Committee was noted as £10.62.

LOCAL COMMITTEE COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME - PEACE

9. There was submitted a report dated 5 August 2005 (circulated) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support which advised of the current position in respect of the voluntary organisation PEACE and which sought approval to accept the utilisation by the Group of the Local Committee grant funding for financial years 2003/2004 and 2004/2005.

It was agreed:-

- (i) to accept that the Community Grant funding awarded to PEACE of £2,835.46 for 2003/2004 and £7,646.06 for 2004/2005 was used to assist with staffing costs to fund a programme of activities for Easter, Summer and October Playschemes;
- (ii) that the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support write to the organisation to advise of the Committee's decision; and
- (iii) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

LOCAL COMMITTEE COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME

10. There was submitted a report dated 30 August 2005 (circulated) by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on the financial position in

respect of Community Grants to local organisations in 2005/2006, in respect of the undernoted applications, viz:-

10.1 Applications Approved (for the purpose as specified on the application), viz:-

- (a) Arts and Cultural
 - (i) Kilmarnock Gateway Writers (CG 3138) - £95.00;
- (b) Community Association
 - (i) Knockinlaw Community Association (CG 3101) (Item 8.1(h), Page 1517, 03/07) - Noted that an award of £1,250 had been made to the group following receipt of an assessment report from Educational and Social Services and satisfactory confirmation of a breakdown of accommodation costs for the group's holiday;
- (c) Older People
 - (i) New Farm Loch Lunch Club (CG 3102) - £467.00;
- (d) Social Inclusion
 - (i) The In-Betweens Club (CG 3126) - £220.00;
 - (ii) SVDP St Joseph's Conference (CG 3112) - £92.00;
 - (iii) 50's Club (CG 3157) - £700.00;
- (e) Disabled
 - (i) Contact PHAB (CG 3146) - £270.00;
 - (ii) St Marnock Youth Club (CG 3140) - £534.31; and
- (f) Sport
 - (i) Bellfield Royals (CG 3106) - Agreed to fund £70.58 in respect of equipment and to continue for further information consideration of the funding element for football strips amounting to £108.86.

NEW LOCAL ISSUES

- 11.** The Administrative Officer invited Community Representatives to raise any items of interest for inclusion on a future Agenda.

It was noted that there were no items raised.

The meeting terminated at 1557 hours.