

DUNURE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of a Meeting held on Tuesday 20th September 2005 in the Kennedy Hall.

SEDERUNT: Mr Adam Montgomerie (Chair), Mrs Jean McGinn (Secretary), Mr Roy Storie (Treasurer), Mr D Broadhead, Mr Andrew Guthrie.

IN ATTENDANCE: P C John Hamil (Community Policeman), Mr Philip Findlay.

1. APOLOGIES: Councillor Murray, Mrs Alison Houghton, Link Officer.

2. ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: Proposed by P Findlay, Seconded D Broadhead.

3. MATTERS ARISING:

PUMPING STATION, SEAVIEW: No notification as yet of the "drop-in" day, which Scottish Water is arranging. This has been held up owing to objections and possibility of utilising a gravity connection rather than pumping station in bay.

SEAVIEW: Nothing further to report.

NOTICE BOARD: Mr Findlay is agreeable to erect a new Notice Board on Harbour property, which will be more sheltered location.

TRAVELLERS: Travellers at Maidens have now moved on. We have been sent a copy of South Ayrshire Council's policy on travelling families for our information.

JET SKIS: A letter was written to the Harbour Committee and our comments have been noted.

GAS SUPPLY: After several phone calls, secretary now has had information from a company "Fulcrum" who constructs and lays gas pipes for Transco. The outcome of this is that the cost of getting a gas line from Craig Tara to Dunure would cost a seven-figure sum and even if every house in the village decided to connect to gas, the cost is deemed to be prohibitive. Perhaps we should now look at energy efficiency, as all energy costs are about to increase.

BEACH CLEAN: this has now taken place with a total of 16 bags of rubbish collected.

4. POLICE REPORT: P C Hamil advised no reported crimes since last meeting.

5. COUNCILLOR'S REPORT: Councillor Murray is on holiday.

6. FINANCIAL REPORT: at 20 September our account holds a balance of **£1593.90.**

This is made up of the balance of the Home Front Exhibition Grant of £996.00 (which will be used shortly), plus the Community Council Administration Account. This comprises balance of account, plus £100 refunded from Strathclyde Police, plus the South Ayrshire Council Administration Grant top up of £471.57, making a total at this date of £597.90.

New Hall Account stands at **£2428.37.**

7. CORRESPONDENCE:

Travelling families - copy of Council Policy.

Victim Support - asking for donations towards dinner event.

Cathy Jamieson - NHS Ayrshire & Arran Review of Services - emergency & unscheduled care.

Westrans - joint Transport Strategy for Western Scotland to 2025.

South Ayrshire Council - Vision and Values discussion 11 October 2005.

Renewable Energy Fair Dumfries 5 November.

Copy of letter from Cathy Jamieson to Scottish Executive - Renewable Energy Developments.

Leaflets - Activity for Health.

CVO Update.

Tenants & Residents Forum - cancellation of meeting.

Strandline.

The Local Channel.

Postcom.

Local Works.

Citizen Advocacy Support Services - Poster.

Stewartsturf.

Postwatch Scotland.

Wickstead Leisure.

8. PLANNING APPLICATIONS:

2 Kennedy Drive: Change of use of shop/post office to form dwelling house.

Ayr Road, Dunure: Proposed housing development (28 dwellings) Hope Homes.

1 & 2 Balig Cottages: Formation of access.

PERMITTED:

Dunure Mains Farm - Alteration of farm buildings to form extension to dwelling house.

9. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

A Guthrie comments on the fact that the area of the bus stop at the east side of A719 at Bracken has still not been constructed to make a safe area to alight from bus.

BT have left a pole at top of Harbour View after work involving telephone lines. This pole is no longer in use.

Hydrant has been knocked over on Station Road by hedge cutters.

Sign for Kennedy Drive broken.

"Historic Castle and Harbour" sign askew at south of village.

The meeting closed at 9.15pm and the next meeting will be on Tuesday 18 October 2005 at 7.30pm in the Kennedy Hall, Dunure.