

DUNURE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 20th February 2007 IN KENNEDY HALL,
DUNURE, AT 7.30PM**

SEDERUNT: Mr Adam Montgomerie (Chair), Mr Phil Findlay (Vice Chair), Mrs Jean McGinn (Secretary), Mr Roy Storie (Treasurer), Mr David Broadhead, Mrs Margaret Masterman.

IN ATTENDANCE: Councillor Alan Murray, P C John Hamil.

1. APOLOGIES: None.

2. Adoption of minutes for meeting of 16th January 2007: Proposed by Mr P Findlay, Seconded Mr David Broadhead.

3. POLICE REPORT:

P C Hamil reports the theft of generator from a property in the village. This occurred during the previous week.

P C Hamil asks that residents keep all tools and garden equipment under lock and key to deter the opportunist thief.

Mr Findlay is concerned about speeding vehicles on Station Road, and P C Hamil suggests he reports this when it occurs.

4. MATTERS ARISING:

Railway Bridge above Croft: Plastic netting has now been put in place over the metal sides of the bridge as a safety measure and to make people aware of the dangerous condition. Councillor Murray advises the next step here is to ascertain the owner of the bridge.

Pumping Station at Seaview: Nothing further to report here, but a resident has suggested a meeting with the Planning Department and Scottish Water has been arranged for the near future.

Wind Farm: The meeting arranged by Mr Peter Walker was cancelled at the last minute and we were unfortunately not advised of this cancellation. This meeting will take place at a date to be arranged.

Finances: We have agreed to order a bench as soon as possible and then decide on a suitable site for this at a later date.

Ditches: The open culvert at the end of Fisherton Avenue has been cleared and also ditches all along the road that will be of benefit during any further heavy rain.

5. COUNCILLOR'S REPORT:

Repairs to the road have been agreed - Castle Road and in the vicinity of Dunduff Farm.

National Trust for Scotland will be contacted re the possibility of a dog waste bin at Croy Shore.

Hall Insurance: Mrs McCreath, Secretary of Kennedy Hall & Park Committee has been in contact with Councillor Murray re a demand from South Ayrshire Council for Hall Insurance although the Committee have already paid this themselves. Councillor Murray is writing re this. We have assured Councillor Murray that it is not Kennedy Hall & Park Committee who are refusing to sign lease, but that South Ayrshire Council seem to be dragging their feet. Councillor Murray will chase this up.

The **All Weather games area** will go ahead and will still accommodate tennis. It is hoped this will be completed before the end of the financial year.

6. FINANCIAL REPORT:

The Administration Account has a balance of **£510.31**.

The Community Hall Account balance stands at **£2457.71**.

7. OPEN FORUM:

As there were no members of the public in attendance, this did not take place.

8. CORRESPONDENCE:

Brochure from Shaw's - Forms Records & Registers.

Marine Conservation Society: Endangered marine wildlife.

CVO Update. Petition from Cathy Jamieson: Improving Local Bus Services.

Carrick Community Transport Group: A G M on Wednesday 28 February.

Carrick Community Councils Forum: Meeting on 5 February.

Rural Affairs Meeting on 1 March 2007.

Scottish Executive: National Planning Framework Seminar.

Scottish Parliament: Letter from Cathy Jamieson - local NHS Services.

South Ayrshire Council: Election of community Councillors.

South Ayrshire Council: New Boundary map.

NHS - Annual Report.

Emails from **Archie Monkhouse**.

Wickstead Leisure Brochure.

9. PLANNING APPLICATIONS:

Alterations & ext to dwelling house: Drumbain.

REFUSED: McIlwraith, Balig - Erection of dwelling house.

PERMITTED: R McCutcheon - erection of store at harbour.

10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

Station Road: Mr Storie commented on the state of the road from the Waste Water Treatment Plant to the harbour, and it is hoped that this will be reinstated when Scottish Water complete their project.

Community Council Elections: At this date there have only been five nomination forms completed and returned..

The meeting closed at 8.50pm and the next meeting will be on Tuesday 20th March 2007 at 7.30pm in the Kennedy Hall, Dunure.