



Cullen & Deskford Community Council
Minutes Tuesday 31 October 2017

Community Centre, Cullen

• **In Attendance**

- Stewart Black (Chairperson)
- Norman Marwick
- Steve Horrocks (Minutes Secretary)
- Colin Burch
- Phil Lovegrove (Planning Contact)
- Barry Addison (Treasurer)
- Councillors Ron Shepherd and Donald Gatt
- Observer: Morag Innes

Apologies

- Dennis Paterson, Councillor Theresa Coull

1. OPENING OF MEETING

Action

Jane Martin, Moray Council Community Council Liaison Officer had chaired the inaugural session during which she had spoken about Community Councils and their procedures. Office bearers had been appointed during this part of the meeting and at 2050 hours she left. Stewart Black then opened the meeting proper. Because this was not a full meeting of CDCC, approval of the minutes of the previous meeting and matters arising were deferred until the first full meeting of the Council.

2. ANY OTHER COMPETENT BUSINESS

Remembrance Day Wreaths

Last year the CDCC provided funding for various local organisations who had laid wreaths on Remembrance Day. It was agreed that this practice would be reviewed at the next meeting.

Common Good Fund

There was a query regarding the funds available in the Common Good Fund. Barry said that the Moray Council website showed £500 but Ron Shepherd said that there was no money in the fund. Donald Gatt said he would verify the position.

DG

Barrel Planters

It was agreed to buy a further 10 barrels for plants which would be situated at various



locations in the area. This would be another joint venture between CDCC and the Cullen Past and Present Volunteer Group who would provide the labour.

BA

Water Bowser

CDCC had purchased a battery powered water bowser to water the planters during the summer months. The £300 water bowser was in the charge of ex CDCC chairperson Tam McLellan of Cullen Youth Café who said that he had disposed of it after it had been damaged. CDCC will look at options to replace the water bowser in the new year.

No Entry Signs at Cullen Square

There have been problems with vehicle entering Cullen Square using the opening at the North side of the square despite the presence of No Entry signs. Stewart had contacted James Smith at Moray Council Roads Department who said that he would have a look at the angle of the No Entry signs. Stewart had also notified the Roads Department about Deskford Burn erosion between Clune and Milton Mills

Lurg Hill Wind Turbines Planning Permission

Stewart advised that there had been no objections from CDCC to this planning application.

Dog Fouling Poster Competition

It was agreed that the 6 winning entries should be put into perspex frames and displayed in areas where Dog Fouling was particularly prevalent. Barry said he would obtain the frames.

BA

3. CORRESPONDENCE

A Thank You card had been received from Kronach Youth Orchestra who thanked CDCC for paying the costs of hiring the Town Hall for their concert.

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

Barry circulated the closing accounts from the previous CDCC and a balance sheet for both the Funding Account and the Admin account.

Admin Account: Opening Balance £724.89, Closing Balance £539.97

Fundraising Account: Opening Balance £5188.89, Closing Balance £3814.10



Date; 31st October 2017
 Account; Admin Acc No. 06005242
 Opening Balance; £724.89
 Closing Balance; £539.97

Transactions;

Date	Credit	Debit	Balance	Remarks
06/09/17		1.49	723.40	Staples
07/09/17		9.47	713.93	Stamps & printer paper
07/09/16		45.96	667.97	Printer Cartridges
12/09/17		22.80	645.17	Meeting Keith CC & Delivering Accounts to Auditor
02/10/17		22.80	622.37	Meeting with REAP funding & collecting Accounts
26/10/17		82.40	539.97	Lady Haig Poppy FA

There are no outstanding cheques on this account.

Account; Fundraising
 Opening Balance; £4254.82
 Closing Balance; £3673.23

Transactions;

Date	Credit	Debit	Balance	Remarks
05/09/17		73.20	4181.62	Postcrete for HR Barrier handrail
12/09/17		30.00	4151.62	Concrete Mix for Pitness handrail
12/09/17		100.00	4051.62	Signs, Bolts, Wooden frame & Padlock for HR Barrier
19/09/17		436.80	3614.82	Cost for installing Defibrillator
21/09/17	148.41		3763.23	HR Barrier Credit from Seafield Estate
02/10/17	5000.00		8763.23	Veolia Contribution for Coastal Erosion at Pet Cemetery
05/10/17		90.00	8673.23	Defibrillator pads for 2 units
18/10/17		5000.00	3673.23	Paid Seafield Estates Veolia cheque for Coastal Erosion

Outstanding cheques on this account;



1/ Stewart Barclay for constructing HR Barrier £1500.00

5. CLOSURE OF MEETING

The meeting closed at 2130

6. APPOINTMENT OF CORRESPONDENCE SECRETARY

After the meeting, Norman Marwick said that he would accept the position of Correspondence Secretary of the CDCC.

7. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will take place on 21 November at the Community Centre.