

Minute of Meeting of Buckie and District Community Council

Date	Tuesday 16 November 2021
Time	19:00
Venue	Online Microsoft Teams meeting
Chair	John Stuart (JS)
Minutes	John Stuart (JS)
Attendees	Christine Allan (CA), Ross Ingram (RI), Stephanie Lindsay (SL), Beverley Woods (BW), Alison Durno (AD), John Stuart (JS), Cllr Gordon Cowie (GC), Cllr Sonya Warren (SW).
Apologies	Cllr Tim Eagle (TE).
Not present	Ann Mitchell (AM).
Public	Aileen Park (AP) – representative from the Peoplehood healthy ageing project.

Agenda point	Discussion	Action point	Who?
1 Welcome and apologies	<p>JS welcomed everyone to the first official meeting of the newly formed community council.</p> <p>AD would join the meeting late.</p> <p>Attendee's and apologies were noted for the minutes.</p>	None required.	
2 Previous minutes	Previous minutes of the inaugural meeting were reviewed on screen by everyone.	No issues noted, minutes contained correct information. Minutes approved.	
3 Matters arising	<p>CA asked if there had been any update from members who had not attended the inaugural meeting and were not present tonight?</p> <p>JS confirmed no apologies had been made and there were procedures within the Community Council handbook covering absences of members.</p>	JS will reach out to members not present.	JS

<p>4 Community feedback</p>	<p>Community council members were asked if they had any community feedback from members of the public or others to raise.</p> <p>BW raised concerns about speeding at Shearer Avenue, heading towards junction for Parklands.</p> <p>CA had no issues to raised, but welcomed the CC being proactive in engaging with members of the public moving forward.</p> <p>RI had no issues to raise.</p> <p>SL had no issues to raise.</p> <p>AD had no issues to raise.</p> <p>JS raised speeding along Portessie and asked if elected members were aware of an update. Both GC and SW explained they had not heard an update. GC asked if there were any potential solutions being discussed, in which JS confirmed some of the key areas, suggesting that if it were a benefit, the CC could ask members of the public in the affected areas.</p>	<p>JS to email transport department to seek an update in relation to speeding issues at Shearer Avenue and Portessie. Thank you to GC for providing email contact address.</p> <p>Actioned - Email sent 17/11/2021 JS.</p>	<p>JS</p>
<p>5 Treasurers report</p>	<p>CA offered everyone an overview of which accounts the community council held and what their purpose was. Accounts are currently sitting with the following balances:</p> <p>£ 993.97 SSE fund account. £1,248.10 CC fundraising account. £7,131.20 CC admin grant account.</p> <p>CA updated about a potential shift of funds to Buckie Townhouse for assisting Covid-19 safety mitigations. Money had been returned from community groups. CA will arrange shortly for accounts to be audited.</p>	<p>SSE funding – microgrants promotion to encourage small grants of £250.</p> <p>CA accounts for audit, when practical.</p>	<p>All members.</p> <p>CA</p>

	<p>JS to arrange fundraising for car show and MS Teams bills to be forwarded to CA. Fundraising remains open with more squares to sell.</p>	<p>JS to provide MS Teams bills for reimbursement, by end of November 21.</p>	<p>JS</p>
<p>6 Reports</p>	<p>a. <u>Subgroups</u> Money for Moray CA updated about Money 4 Moray - which is a participatory budget group. Circa £150,000 to be spent across Moray – more groups required to apply. Younger peoples’ groups likely to go ahead for funding round. Fiona Herd has linked in from Schools. Local Outcomes Improvement Plan (LOIP). CA sits on this group and updated about what the plan was about. Survey is currently out for public members to complete which will help update the plan. Community lunch is currently scheduled for 3 December at the Baptist Church.</p> <p>b. <u>Elected members reports.</u> GC – spoke about the work taking place at the harbour and the securing of the overline, signalling an investment in Buckie and the harbour.</p> <p>SW – spoke about the school learning estate consultation which is due to launch. There will be opportunities for Moray Parent Forums, Joint Community Council and then wider public consultation over the coming months. Buckie and Forres Highs have been identified as having issues around capacity and estate. Issues around parking and active walking to schools, with GC confirmed as a problem.</p> <p>High School in Buckie – a lot of agency work following the sequence of complaints regarding behaviours. GC/SW agreed the complaints had</p>	<p>CA encouraged people to attend. Promotion to go on Social media.</p> <p>SW to share updates to JS to share on social media to make sure people are aware of events.</p>	<p>JS to post.</p> <p>SW/JS</p>

	<p>settled down and reduced following on from the work with younger members of the public.</p> <p>c. Harbour advisory group AD hasn't been receiving invites. Next meeting 29 November 2021. SW/GC offered email addresses to get in touch to arrange invites.</p>	<p>JS to email NM/KMcG to ask that invites are sent to BDCC and AD.</p> <p>Actioned - Email sent 17/11/2021 JS.</p>	
7 Joint Community Council	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JS attended the inaugural meeting held 11 November 21. No change to office bearers as all re-elected. • Update from Police Scotland about matters affecting Moray – for example speeding, road safety matters. • Chief inspector will be moving on from Moray shortly. • Local community councils will take part in resilience planning, which is to become an initiative across Moray, including individual households. • School learning estate overview at next JCC meeting 9 December 2021. 	Two representatives to attend next meeting 9 December 2021.	
8 Planning considerations	<p>No issues within the last couple of weeks. JS asked if BW would like to become our planning person.</p>	BW to have a think and let JS know.	JS/BW.
9 AOCB	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Police involvement Members asked about Police coming back to meetings. 2. BW – raised an email regarding Coop funding in the email box. JS updated, and that this was now in hand. 3. BW – raised profile of the BDCC. Agreed to meet in person unofficially, prepare a statement for the Buckie papers and invite Alan Beresford to attend. 	<p>JS will contact to seek an update.</p> <p>JS to contact AB to invite along to unofficial meeting of the CC members.</p>	<p>JS</p> <p>JS.</p>
Guest Speaker	AP came to the meeting to give members an overview of the Peoplehood Health Ageing Project which has begun		

	<p>work working with people living in Buckie and community groups and partners.</p> <p>This is an exciting initiative which will see great investment, directed by Buckie, to help support sustainable options to help contribute to healthier ageing. The project will run in Buckie for 3 years, with investments likely to amount to over £1,000,000.</p> <p>Project overview available at: https://www.blackwoodgroup.org.uk/peoplehood</p> <p>Members were able to ask some questions about the project and welcomed AP's input and the project being supportive of Buckie's communities.</p>	<p>Community council members offered their support to the project in any way which is needed.</p>	
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11. Date, time and venue of next meeting – online Microsoft Teams meeting on 18 January 2022 at 7.00 pm