WEST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting held at Glenbarr hall 20th March 2017

UNCONFIRMED MINUTES

1. Present:

Margaret Pratt (MP) (Convenor), Margaret Soudan (MS) (Treasurer), Morag Branson (MB) (Acting Secretary), Christine O'Hanlon (COH), Duncan Macalister (DM), Michele Seddon (MSe)

2. Apologies:

Linda McCrae, George Thomson

3. In Attendance:

Members of the public- 4. Councillors- Anne Horn & Rory Colville. Local Reporter from Courier

4. Police Report:

Increase in minor road traffic incidents. Various other small incidents noted. A youth engagement officer based in Campbeltown has been appointed. An open day in Campbeltown station will be held on 1st April between 1 and 2pm, hosted by Area Inspector Julie McLeish

- **5. Minutes of meeting** in A'Chleit hall 16th January 2017. It was noted in Matters Arising 4) Tarbert should be Campbeltown. Amended. Proposed by MS and seconded by COH
- 6. Matters Arising: Refer to action log

7. Locality Planning group (LPG):

No change to report re- Muasdale surgery. Auchinlee - discussions are taking place with Cross reach and the IJB regarding the possibility of looking at joint funding for 1 year to allow a long-term solution to be found. A community engagement group has been set up to improve communication to residents. It is hoped to produce a newsletter. MP will be Vice Chair.

8. Correspondence:

- 1) Annual survey to be completed by MP
- 2) National elections for all CC to stage elections on same day
- 3) Received reply to email from Bear Scotland following complaints relayed to BS from residents. Attached to minutes at back

9. Community Liaison Group (CLG):

Blary Hill and Creggan - no change
Killean - to go to ministers
Freasdail - in testing for end of April handover
Willow - to complete 1yr bird survey
Carse - renamed Airigh -to meet with community council at some point

10. Community Action Plan (CAP):

Draft plan still in transit, for integration by October

11. Development Trust (DVT):

Community Empowerment Act -Training day recently attended by MP proved to be very useful in regard to community council use of powers and best way to enable same.

12. AOCB:

- 1) Recent road closure produced many complaints from residents in particularly about extended closure and lack of signage. MB will send letter with helpful suggestions
- 2) A request has been made to find new home for recycling bins in Glenbarr due to them covering a fire hydrant. AH will look into this

13. Action Log:

Action Point	Minute	Person Responsible	Action	Outcome
5.14	8	AH	Glenbarr bus shelter repair	ongoing
			Standing water at Whitehouse	Awaiting heavy rain
1.6	6	MSe	Glenbarr & cottage signs	ongoing
3.16	7	All	Freasdail Trust	Constitution & criteria ratified by RES
7.16	10	All	CAP	Draft plan in transit
9.16	6	АН	Emptying of recycle bin at Whitehouse	Resolved
1.17	6.1	MP	Siting of defibrillators	Sites identified & application to WFT
	6.2	ZS	Replacing notice boards	To be sourced and funds from WFT
3.20	12.2	АН	Re-siting of recycling bins at Glenbarr	✓

Date & place of next meeting: Whitehouse hall 15th May 2017 7.30pm - AGM

Next Wind Farm Trust meeting: Tayinloan hall 24th April 2017 7.30pm

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