

## CROSSHILL AND GOVANHILL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

### JULY MEETING

10<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017

#### Those Present

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Joseph Beaver  
Andrew Carberry  
Marion Nisbet  
Raza Sadiq  
Damien Tausney  
Grant McManus  
Cllr Alexander Belic  
David Zabiega - GCDT  
Jo Hartga – South Seeds

#### Apologies

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Mary Wright  
Keith Hawley  
Anne Marie Millar  
Cheryl McCormack  
Jean Adair  
Cllr. Mhari Hunter  
I MacInnes

The Chairperson opened the meeting by welcoming those present. In the event of the Secretary not being present, the minutes will be compiled by attending members. He introduced the guests that were present.

#### GCDT Shop Front

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The Chairperson passed the meeting over to David Zabiega from the Govanhill Community Development Trust who had been invited to discuss issues with regards the Community Information Shop within Alison Street. Annie McFarlane, who is a Director within the Trust was also in attendance but did not sit within the body of the hall answering questions from the public seating what the shop was used for, why there is no signage outside for when the shop is closed to inform the public of what services it offers. David advised that they are looking at new signage for when the shop is closed as well as a notice board.

The Govanhill website was now live which outlines services available in the area and is in multiple languages.

#### Previous Minutes

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The minutes of the previous meeting had been forwarded by email and issued during the meeting. Councillor Belic asked that a minor change be made as Cllr Hunter has been shown on the minutes to be present and also submitting apologies. Following confirmation that these were an accurate record of the meeting, they were proposed by Grant McManus and seconded by Andrew Carberry

#### Matters Arising and Action Points

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Action Points as per document emailed out were discussed.

#### Secretary's Report/Mail In – Mail Out

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In the absence of the Secretary, the Mail In/Mail Out section was discussed and the chairperson commented about some e-mails that had been received from Iain MacInnes that were not relevant to the work of the CC with an example being 'Lily Allen being excluded from BBC Newsnight' It was decided that a general e-mail should be sent advising that only relevant information pertaining to the work of the Community Council should be forwarded to Community Councillors and not non-relevant items

#### Police Report

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There was no representation present from Police Scotland so no report was given. Contact will be made to source the crime stats and issued at the August Meeting

#### Councillors Reports

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Councillor Belic gave his report for the month discussing issues with regards to problem with a manhole cover within Govanhill Park that was sorted out. He outlined ongoing discussions with Viridor and also issues with Hampden Park that had been brought to his attention.

There was discussion regarding the Community Meetings that Viridor have held in the past.

Andrew Carberry asked that we have a member of L.E.S. at every meeting due to the ongoing issues with cleansing and that the main contact is Robert Souter.

#### Community Participation

As Vice-chair was not in attendance this agenda item will be deferred to a future meeting

## South Seeds

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Jo Hartega from South Seeds was in attendance. She asked about our views pertaining to underused spaces within Govanhill and what they could be used for. She handed round an information gathering survey to gauge our opinions. As this is what GCDT does, Raza asked whether this is just going to be a replication in services ie. 2 organisations offering the same things.

## Treasurer Report

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Treasurer gave apologies for tonight's meeting.

## Planning/Licensing

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CC Nisbett advised that there were no planning/licensing issues

## AOCB

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There was no AOCB.

## Close of Meeting

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The Chairperson closed the meeting by thanking those in attendance and advising of the date for the next Community Council meeting.

**Next meeting 14<sup>th</sup> August**