

Bellshill Academy, 321 Main Street, Bellshill, 11 March 1999 at 7 pm.

A Meeting of the **BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE**

PRESENT

Councillor McKeown (Convener); Councillor Saunders (Vice-Convener); Councillors Coyle, Curran, Hebenton, Lafferty, Lyle and McAlorum.

CHAIR

Councillor McKeown (Convener) presided.

IN ATTENDANCE

The Head of Construction Resources (for the Acting Liaison Director); Administrative Officer; Local Officer, Chief Executive's Department, and Bill Hazel, Transportation Team Manager, Planning and Development Department,

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Chief Inspector Bill McArthur and Inspector Angus McPhail, Strathclyde Police; and Margaret MacDonald, Bellshill and District Community Forum representative.

APOLOGIES

Councillor McCabe and John Gilmour, Chrissie Kennedy, Sandra Toyer and Isobel Wotherspoon, Bellshill and District Community Forum representatives.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES

1. There were submitted Minutes of the meetings of the undernoted Community Councils held on the dates specified:-
 - (a) Bellshill Community Council 20 January 1999
 - (b) Holytown Community Council 2 February 1999
 - (c) Mossend Community Council 13 January 1999

Decided: that the terms of the Minutes be noted.

BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY FORUM MINUTE

2. There was submitted a report dated 1 March 1999 by the Chief Executive enclosing the Minute of the meeting of the Bellshill and District Community Forum held on 21 January 1999.

Decided: that the terms of the Minute be noted.

BELLSHILL AREA SAFETY INITIATIVE - MINUTES

3. There was submitted a report dated 1 March 1999 by the Chief Executive enclosing the Minute of the meeting of the Bellshill Area Safety Initiative Management Committee held on 12 January 1999.

Decided: that the terms of the Minute be noted.

ROADS SAFETY ISSUES

4. With reference to paragraph 5 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 4 February 1999, when *inter alia* it was agreed that a report on road safety issues be brought forward, there was submitted a report (docketed) dated 11 March 1999 by the Director of Planning and Development (1) advising on the Council's responsibilities in relation to road safety issues under the Road Traffic Act 1988, Section 39, and main sources of funding for road safety schemes; (2) listing recently implemented schemes in the Bellshill and District Area; (3) outlining traffic calming measures to reduce the incidence of accidents, and (4) commenting on specific issues raised by Bellshill and District Community Forum relating in particular to speeding, pelican crossings, road maintenance and street lighting on Main Street, Mossend.

Decided: that the contents of the report be noted.

REMIT FROM PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE OF 24 FEBRUARY 1999 - THE REPLACEMENT STRUCTURE PLAN FOR GLASGOW AND CLYDE VALLEY

5. With reference to paragraph 9 of the Minute of the meeting of the Planning and Development Committee held on 13 January 1999, when it was agreed *inter alia* that the intention of the Director of Planning and Development to hold meetings with community groups/local committees etc., regarding the contents of the replacement structure plan for Glasgow and Clyde Valley be noted, there was submitted a report (docketed) dated March 1999 by the Director of Planning and Development (1) advising on the progress made towards the preparation of a replacement Structure Plan for Glasgow and the Clyde Valley; (2) detailing in an Appendix to the report an abstract of a draft policy framework for the replacement Plan, and (3) advising of the consultation process with community groups.

Decided:

- (1) that the progress made towards the preparation of a replacement Structure Plan for Glasgow and the Clyde Valley be noted and the current and future involvement of the local community in preparing the plan be welcomed;
- (2) that the report be referred to the Bellshill and District Community Forum for information, and
- (3) that the contents of the report be otherwise noted.

COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME

(1) CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS

6. With reference to paragraph 7 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 4 February 1999, there was submitted a report dated 4 March 1999 by the Chief Executive detailing applications for Community Grants continued from that meeting together with new applications.

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Decided: that subject to receipt of any outstanding information, the applications for Community Grants be dealt with as follows:-

CONTINUED APPLICATIONS

Group: **Bellshill Girls' Football Club - CG98/99-663**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of taking 18 girls and 7 helpers to Dublin at Easter to take part in a week of football tournaments and cultural experiences.

Grant Requested: £700

Decision: Grant of £220

Group: **Focus Youth Project, Viewpark - CG98/99-676**
Purpose of Application: To assist 4 community organisations with the cost of arranging a local conference in order for the community to voice its current concerns and re-establish a community agenda.

Grant Requested: £1,465

Decision: Grant of £300

NEW APPLICATIONS

Group **Uddingston and District Homing Club - CG98/99-733**
Purpose of Application: To assist with general running costs and upkeep of premises.

Grant Requested: £300

Decision: Grant of £200

Group **Bellshill Congregational Church - CG98/99-734**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of games, sports equipment and transport.

Grant Requested: £200

Decision: Grant of £200

Group: **Society for the Protection of the Unborn Child, Bellshill Branch - CG98/99-735**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of hall let, purchase of materials and a slide projector.

Grant Requested: £1,000

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Decision: Grant of £490
Group: **The Point Youth Centre, Mossend - CG98/99-736**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of a computer/printer and internet access.

Grant Requested: £1,500

Decision: Consider under Area Allocation 1998/99

Group: **Tots 'N' Toys - CG98/99-737**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of toys and safety equipment.

Grant Requested: £200

Decision: Grant of £50

Group: **Bellshill Salvation Army Senior Band - CG98/99-738**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of music and books.

Grant Requested: £600

Decision: Grant of £357

Group: **Salvation Army Youth Club - CG98/99-739**

Purpose of Application: To assist with start up costs for the drop in centre.

Grant Requested: £350

Decision: Consider under Area Allocation 1998/99

Group: **Holytown Elderly Forum - CG98/99-740**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of administration.

Grant Requested: £100

Decision: Grant of £100

Group: **Holy Family Church Hall Committee - CG98/99-741**

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of kitchen equipment and crockery.

Grant Requested: £400

Decision: Grant of £375

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Group: Christ the King PTA, Holytown - CG98/99-795
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of painting games on the playground.
Grant Requested: £200
Decision: Grant of £200

Group: Viewpark Thistle AFC - CG98/99-796
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of football strips and equipment.
Grant Requested: £500
Decision: Grant of £500

Group: Holytown Senior Citizens - CG98/99-797
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of outings and dinners.
Grant Requested: £300
Decision: Grant of £300

Group: Holytown Historical Society - CG98/99-798
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of printing a book "In Memory of The Fallen of Holytown and New Stevenson 1914 - 1918".
Grant Requested: £200
Decision: Grant of £200

Group: Holy Family Primary School Board, Mossend - CG98/99-799
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of "Enterprise Topic" project for Primary 6/7 pupils.
Grant Requested: £100
Decision: Grant of £100

Group: Sacred Heart St Vincent De Paul - CG98/99-800
Purpose of Application: To assist with the Society's programming costs.
Grant Requested: Any Award
Decision: Grant of £300

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Group: EU Playgroup, Mossend - CG98/99-801

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of hall fees for the year.

Grant Requested: £500

Decision: Grant of £160

Group: Bellshill West Church Senior Citizens Group - CG98/99-808

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of outings, speakers, entertainment and lunches.

Grant Requested: £200

Decision: Grant of £200

Group: Fallside Action Group - CG98/99-809

Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of developing a business plan.

Grant Requested: £600

Decision: Grant of £600

Group: St Gerard's Primary School Board - CG98/99-849

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of guitars for the guitar club.

Grant Requested: £250

Decision: Grant of £125

Group: Sportscene Youth Club - CG98/99-850

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of equipment and strips.

Grant Requested: £400

Decision: Grant of £120

Group: Hattonrigg Senior Citizens Lunch Club - CG98/99-851

Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of a bingo machine.

Grant Requested: £190

Decision: Grant of £185

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Group: Bellshill Athletic FC - CG98/99-852
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of upgrading the dressing room building.
Grant Requested: £500
Decision: Grant of £210

Group: 'The Gym' Bellshill Boys Club - CG98/99-853
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of equipment and benches.
Grant Requested: £1,000
Decision: Grant of £100

Group: Mossend Boys Club - CG98/99-854
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of equipment and strips.
Grant Requested: Any Amount
Decision: Grant of £200

Group: Tannochside Senior Citizens Club - CG98/99-855
Purpose of Application: To assist with the cost of an outing.
Grant Requested: £500
Decision: Grant of £500

Group: Locket Yett View Residents Association - CG98/99-862
Purpose of Application: To assist with start up costs.
Grant Requested: £200
Decision: Grant of £200

Group: Tannochside Angling Association - CG98/99-863
Purpose of Application: To assist with start up costs for the youth section and the purchase of equipment eg rods and reels etc.
Grant Requested: £300
Decision: Grant of £300

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Group: Tannochside Video History Group - CG98/99-865
Purpose of Application: To assist with running costs.
Grant Requested: £308.36
Decision: Grant of £308.36

(2) AREA ALLOCATION 1998/99

7. With reference to paragraph 7 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 4 February 1999, there was submitted a report dated 11 March 1999 by the Chief Executive (1) intimating the remaining balance of the Area Allocation for 1998/99, and (2) outlining funding proposals for consideration from this budget.

Decided: that subject to receipt of any outstanding information, the funding applications for Community Grants Scheme Area Allocation be dealt with as follows:-

Applicant: **The Point Youth Centre, Mossend**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of a computer/printer and internet access.
Level of Funding Requested: £1,500
Decision: Award £1,500

Applicant: **Salvation Army Youth Club**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the purchase of equipment to establish a drop-in facility.
Level of Funding Requested: £350
Decision: Award £350

Applicant: **Blue Triangle Housing Association, Viewpark**
Purpose of Application: To assist with the provision of home safety/security devices, including CCTV, for Viewpark mother and baby unit.
Level of Funding Requested: £1,462 (Safety items £462 - CCTV £1,000)
Decision: Award £462.

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Applicant: Bellshill Area High Schools - School Boards

Purpose of Application: To assist with the provision of a Young Scot information pack and discount card to all 5th and 6th year pupils in the Bellshill and District area, as at September 1999.

Level of Funding Requested: £2,048 as undernoted:
Bellshill Academy/Cardinal Newman H.S. £945
Brannock High School £338
Taylor High School £495
Uddingston Grammar £270

Decision: Award a total of £2,048 for allocation in accordance with the funding applications.

Applicant: Hattonrigg Senior Citizens Club

Purpose of Application: To assist with the provision of a home and personal safety roadshow to tour senior citizens centres.

Level of Funding Requested: £1,500

Decision: Award £1,400

Applicant: Mega 2K Youth Group

Purpose of Application: To assist with start-up and administration costs to promote and organise a musical project for young people.

Level of Funding Requested: £1,500

Decision: Award £815

CANCELLATION OF MEETING SCHEDULED FOR 18 MARCH 1999

8. The Convener intimated that the meeting of the Area Committee scheduled for 18 March 1999, had been cancelled.

Decided: that the position be noted.