

BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA – 22 February 2001

Bellshill, 22 February 2001 at 7 pm.A Meeting of the **BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE****PRESENT**

Councillor Heberton (Convener); Councillors Coyle, Gorman, Lafferty, Lyle, H. McGuigan and McKeown.

CHAIR

Councillor Heberton (Convener) presided.

IN ATTENDANCE

The Core Services Officer; Director of Community Services, Service Development and Review Manager (Area Team Leader), Principal Officer (Development) and Area Community Education Officer, Community Services Department; Information and Research Manager, Chief Executive's Department; Planning Manager (Southern Division), Project Manager, CCTV Limited, Area Housing Manager and Area Social Work Manager.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Superintendent McKelvie, Strathclyde Police, and W. Foy, J. Gilmour, A. Law, T. Leggate, S. Toyer and G. Williams, Bellshill and District Community Forum representatives.

APOLOGIES

Councillors Curran, McCabe and Saunders.

BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE - MINUTE OF MEETING HELD ON 7 DECEMBER 2000

1. There was submitted the Minute of the meeting of the Bellshill and District Area Committee held on 7 December 2000.

Decided: that the terms of the Minute be noted.**COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES**

2. There were submitted Minutes of the meetings of the Bellshill Community Council held on 15 November and 20 December 2000.

Decided: that the terms of the Minutes be noted.**BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY FORUM - UPDATE**

3. There was submitted a report dated 15 February 2001 by the Director of Community Services (1) highlighting a number of issues The Community Forum had raised for consideration by the Area Committee namely CCTV on the Jewel Scheme future plans for the site at Bellshill Maternity Hospital and future plans for North Road, Bellshill, and (2) enclosing as Appendix 1 to the report the Minute of the Bellshill and District Community Forum held on 1 February 2001.

The Planning Manager (Southern Division) gave an update in relation to the situation regarding the Bellshill Maternity Hospital site and North Road, Bellshill and the Project Manager, CCTV Limited, was heard regarding CCTV in the Jewel Scheme and both officials indicated their willingness to attend a future meeting of the Community Forum to discuss these matters in more detail.

Decided:

- (1) that the Officers referred to above attend a future meeting of the Community Forum to discuss the issues raised in more detail, and
- (2) that the contents of the report be otherwise noted.

REMIT FROM POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE HELD ON 5 DECEMBER 2000 - NORTH LANARKSHIRE RESIDENTS SURVEY 1999 - BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE ANALYSIS

4. With reference to paragraph 22 of the Minute of the meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee held on 5 December 2000, when that Committee had considered a report dated 5 December 2000 by the Chief Executive advising of the progress of the residents survey analysis for the six Area Committee districts and had agreed, *inter alia*, that a report on the key findings for the Bellshill and District Area be submitted to this Committee for its consideration, there was submitted a report (docketed) dated 15 February 2001 by the Chief Executive (1) highlighting the topics covered in the analysis, and (2) enclosing as an Appendix to the report, the results of the analysis for the Bellshill and District area.

Decided: that the contents and findings of the report be noted.

TIMETABLE AND VENUES FOR BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE MEETINGS DURING 2001

5. With reference to paragraph 6 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 7 December 2000, when it had been agreed *inter alia* that the locations of future Bellshill and District Area Committee meetings be subject of consideration at this meeting, there was submitted a report (docketed) dated 14 February 2001 by the Director of Administration (1) advising of the meeting dates for the remainder of the year, and (2) proposing possible venues available on the dates stated.

Decided: that the following schedule of meetings for the remainder of the year 2001 be approved:-

12 April 2001	-	Holytown Community Education Centre
14 June 2001	-	Newarthill Community Education Centre
13 September 2001	-	St Columba's Primary
15 November 2001	-	Bellshill Cultural Centre

COMMUNITY GRANTS SCHEME 2000/2001

(1) APPLICATIONS AWARDED DURING CHRISTMAS RECESS - FOR HOMOLOGATION

6. With reference to paragraph 7 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 7 December 2000, there submitted a report dated 29 January 2001 by the Director of Community Services detailing the applications for Community Grants dealt with as a matter of urgency during the Christmas recess.

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Decided: that the actions of the Director of Community Services in awarding grants as detailed hereunder, be homologated.

(1) APPLICATIONS SPECIFIC TO BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
Health and Support Group, Bellshill (CG00/01-293) - £500	To assist with the purchase of equipment, general running and activity programme costs.	Grant £50
Mossend Primary Parent Teacher Association, Mossend (CG00/01-408) - £500	To assist with the costs of Christmas parties, outings and treats.	Grant £250
Newarthill Amateur Football Club, Newarthill (CG00/01-410) - £2,000	To assist with running costs and fees.	Grant £50
Bellshill and District Citizens Advice Bureau, Bellshill (CG00/01-411) - £100	To assist with the costs of Christmas social events for volunteers.	Grant £40
Bellshill and Mossend YMCA Out of School Child Care Service, Bellshill (CG00/01-413) - £720	To assist with the costs of taking children to the pantomime.	Grant £200
Bellshill Community Council, Bellshill (CG00/01-414) - £350	To assist with the costs of Remembrance Day parade.	Grant £85
Bellshill (South) Senior Citizens Group, Bellshill (CG00/01-417) - £600	To assist with the costs of a meal, entertainment and a gift.	Grant £300
Little Gems Parents and Toddlers Group, Orbiston (CG00/01-480) - £300	To assist with the costs of a Christmas party, group activities and the purchase of equipment and toys.	Grant £100
Orbiston United Football Club, Bellshill (CG00/01-481) - £400	To assist with the costs of games, training and the purchase of equipment.	Grant £100

(2) APPLICATIONS COVERING MORE THAN ONE AREA COMMITTEE BOUNDARY

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
Society for the Protection of the Unborn Child, Bellshill (CG00/01-58) - £1,500	To assist with the general running costs and purchase of educational materials.	Grant £100
Monklands Club for the Blind, Coatbridge (CG00/01-342) - £600	To assist with the costs of Christmas dinner and outing to pantomime or show.	Grant £100
Jack and Jill Support Group (CG00/01-488) - £2,000	To assist with the costs of taking families away to holiday centre.	Grant £150

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
Motherwell and Wishaw Citizens Advice Bureau (CG00/01-543) - £100	To assist with the costs of the Christmas lunch for volunteer staff.	Grant £100

(2) CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS

7. With reference to paragraph 7 of the Minute of the meeting of this Committee held on 7 December 2000, there was submitted a report dated 29 January 2001 and a schedule of applications (tabled) by the Director of Community Services detailing applications for Community Grants covering more than one Area Committee boundary together with continued and new applications specific to the Bellshill and District Area Committee.

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

(1) APPLICATIONS COVERING MORE THAN ONE AREA COMMITTEE BOUNDARY

(a) CONTINUED APPLICATIONS

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
Keir Hardie Coyotes Roller Hockey Club, Airdrie (CG00/01-343) - £1,500 (previously awarded £200)	To assist with the purchase of equipment.	Grant £400
Strathcarron Hospice Charity Shop, Kilsyth (CG00/01-344) - £2,000 (previously awarded £220)	To assist with the costs of rent.	Nil award
One Way Group, Bellshill (CG00/01-345) - £2,000 (previously awarded £30)	To assist with the purchase of recording equipment, tapes and compact discs.	Nil award
Wishaw and District Branch of Arthritis Care, Wishaw (CG00/01-347) - £1,840 (previously awarded £200)	To assist with general running costs and purchase of stationery.	Nil award
Charter Pensioners Association, Motherwell (CG00/01-348) - £500	To assist with the costs of a dinner dance.	Nil award
The Barn Amateur Boxing Club, Coatbridge (CG00/01-445) - £2000	To assist with the purchase of equipment.	Nil award
Jack and Jill Support Group, Bellshill (CG00/01-488) - £2,000 (previously awarded £480)	To assist with the costs of taking families away to a holiday centre.	Nil award
1 st New Stevenston Girls Brigade (CG00/01-490) - £2,000 (previous awarded £100)	To assist with the costs of sports, buses for outings and purchase of microphones and stands.	Nil award

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Neilson Hall Men's Fellowship, Bellshill (CG00/01-507) - £500 (previously awarded £50)	To assist with the costs of an outing.	Nil award
St Andrew's Hospice Fayre Group, Airdrie (CG00/01-509) - £270	To assist with the cost of hiring Town Hall and Lesser Hall.	Grant £22
Carfin Parish Church, Carfin (CG00/01-533) - £700	To assist with the purchase of folding tables.	Continued for further consideration

(b) NEW APPLICATIONS

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
No. 7 (Bellshill) Platoon Army Cadets, Bellshill (CG00/01-549) - £300	To assist with the purchase of football strips.	Grant £75 and continued for further consideration
Holytown Karate Club, Holytown (CG00/01-550) - £200	To assist with the purchase of equipment.	Grant £200
Scottish and European Boxing Hall of Fame Steering Committee, North Lanarkshire (CG00/01-551) - £1,420	To assist with start up costs, stationery, telephone and hall lets.	Continued for further consideration
Coatbridge Indoor Bowling Club Senior Section, Coatbridge (CG00/01-552) - £250	To assist with the costs of closing social events and prizes for competitions.	Continued for further consideration
Dyslexia Scotwest, Glasgow (CG00/01-553) - £2,000	To assist with the costs of help and support service and raise awareness.	Continued for further consideration
Bellshill Salvation Army Band, Bellshill (CG00/01-554) - £400	To assist with purchase of folders for bands music.	Grant £125 and continued for further consideration
Cleland Church of Scotland Choir, Cleland (CG00/01-555) - unknown	To assist with general running costs.	Continued for further consideration
The Nicolodeans Concert Group, Wishaw (CG00/01-556) - £800	To assist with purchase of new equipment and travel expenses.	Continued for further consideration
Motherwell United YMCA (CG00/01-602) - £2,000	To assist with costs of providing disabled entrance and adapting reception area.	Continued for further consideration
Motherwell United YMCA (CG00/01-603) - £2,000	To assist with costs of refurbishing toilets and shower room.	Continued for further consideration
Motherwell United YMCA (CG00/01-604) - £2,000	To assist with costs of altering kitchen with appliances that meet environmental standards.	Continued for further consideration

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Strathkelvin Riding Club, Muirhead (CG00/01-605) - £1,125	To assist with costs of participating in competition.	Nil award
South Dalziel Parish Church Men's Club, Motherwell (CG00/01-607) - £225	To assist with travelling costs and tour of Edinburgh.	Continued for further consideration
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth District Youth League, Cumbernauld (CG00/01-608) - £2,000	To assist with the cost of taking boys to football tournament in Holland.	Continued for further consideration
Motherwell and District Women's Aid, Motherwell (CG00/01-609) - £1,500	To assist with the costs of developing a landscape refuge garden.	Grant £75 and continued for further consideration

(2) APPLICATIONS SPECIFIC TO BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT AREA COMMITTEE

(a) CONTINUED APPLICATIONS

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
Newarthill Amateur Football Club (CG00/01-410) - £2,000 (previously awarded £250)	To assist with running costs and fees throughout the year.	Nil award
Bellshill and Mossend YMCA Out of School Child Care Services (CG00/01-413) - £720 (previously awarded £460)	To assist with costs of taking children to pantomime.	Grant £50
Bellshill Community Council (CG00/01-414) - £350 (previously awarded £225)	To assist with costs of Remembrance Day Parade.	Grant £50
Hattonrigg Senior Citizens' Centre (CG00/01-418) - £200 (previously awarded £150)	To assist with costs of Christmas dinner.	Nil award
Little Gems Parents' and Toddlers' Group (CG00/01-480) - £300 (previously awarded £200)	To assist with costs of Christmas party, group activities and purchase of equipment and toys.	Grant £100
Orbiston United Football (CG00/01-481) - £400 (previously awarded £200)	To assist with costs of games and training and purchase of equipment.	Grant £100

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(b) NEW APPLICATIONS

Group/Grant Requested	Purpose of Application	Decision
New Stevenston Nursery Support Group (CG00/01-565) - £400	To assist with start up costs and purchase of equipment.	Grant £71 and continued for further consideration
Newarthill Parish Church (CG00/01-566) - £2,000	To assist with costs of extension to church hall for kitchen and toilets.	Grant £250 and continued for further consideration
Unitas Court Housing Association (CG00/01-588) - £200	To assist with purchase of plants and shrubs to fill tubs in the complex.	Continued for further consideration
Viewpark Lunch Club (Old People's Welfare Club) (CG00/01-589) - £377.20	To assist with costs of meals, travel, cleaning materials and photocopying.	Continued for further consideration
Tannochside Community Bowling Club (CG00/01-590) - £300	To assist with costs of hall lets.	Grant £300
Holy Family PTA (CG00/01-591) - £500	To assist with purchasing computer for school library.	Grant £400 and continued for further consideration
Enable, Bellshill and District Branch (CG00/01-614) - £350	To assist with costs of hall rent.	Grant £135 and continued for further consideration
Newarthill Children's Gala Day Association (CG00/01-615) - £1,000	To assist with costs of renewing costumed, floats and cost of vehicle hire.	Continued for further consideration
Mossend Primary School Board (CG00/01-616) - £400	To assist with costs of promoting new projects and purchasing equipment.	Grant £300 and continued for further consideration
Bellshill Congregational Church (CG00/01-617) - £350	To assist with costs of renovation to hall, kitchen and equipment.	Grant £245
Regency Park Residents' Association (CG00/01-625) - £350	To assist with start up costs, purchase and posting of neighbourhood watch signs and purchase of 24 hour segment timers.	Grant £350
Bellshill and District Retired Miners' NUM Scotland (CG00/01-651) - Unknown	To assist with costs of transport.	Continued for further consideration

PRESENTATION BY DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY SERVICES

8. Following the conclusion of the meeting, those present received a presentation from the Director of Community Services detailing services provided by his Department.