

## **Cliftonville Community Council: Minutes of meeting for March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

### **Welcome**

The Chair introduced the meeting and welcomed those present: Dianne Martin, Kieran Burns, Jim Hughes, Denis Carlin, Theresa Hamilton, Linda McComisky, Betty McLean.

### **Apologies**

Police Scotland, Cllr McPake, Jim Withers, Joey Maguire.

### **Minutes of last meeting and matters arising**

Minutes read by the Chair and passed. No matters arising from the minute.  
Proposed by Theresa Hamilton, seconded by Betty McLean.

### **Police update**

Not applicable

### **NLC update**

Kieran provided an update regarding waiting restrictions being imposed in the Cliftonville area. He had been in contact with William McAlpine (NLC) who informed him that the council will have to conduct another assessment on the implications of imposing such regulations, given business owners and residents concerns and objections.

### **Partnership working**

Chair met with Susan Flannigan (Dunbeth Park group) and NLC to discuss the concerns of the state of the park and its future given the lack of activity in park improvements. At the meeting it was agreed that Susan would work actively with NLC and our group to get projects moving including the completion of the sensory garden, pending permission by NLC. She also agreed to provide NLC with minutes of previous meetings of Dunbeth Park.

### **Public input**

A discussion took place about getting more involved with the community by publishing detailed columns or articles in the Advertiser and perhaps developing a newsletter dependent upon the status of current activity.

### **Correspondence**

Chair went through all of the applicable correspondence.

### **Any other business**

The Chair expressed disappointment with the attendance. There is the need to ensure that we increase our membership base and become more active in our community. Additionally, there should be a strong commitment from authorities that they will attend all meetings.

### **Date of next meeting**

May, 12<sup>th</sup> 2014 at 7pm, Coatbridge Indoor Bowling Club.