

**Bellshill Fire Station, Old Edinburgh Road, Bellshill, 15 April 2010 at 8.45 pm.**

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

**PRESENT**

Councillor Lyle, Convener; Councillors Burrows, Curran, Delaney and H. McGuigan.

**CHAIR**

Councillor Lyle (Convener) presided.

**IN ATTENDANCE**

The Committee Officer, Corporate Services; Local Regeneration Manager, Chief Executive's Office; Development Projects Team Leader and Traffic and Transportation Team Leader, Environmental Services, and Area Housing Manager, Housing and Social Work Services.

**APOLOGIES**

Councillors J. Coyle and McCabe.

**1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN TERMS OF THE ETHICAL STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2000**

The Area Committee noted that there were no declarations of interest.

**2. CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT LOCAL AREA PARTNERSHIP HELD ON 15 APRIL 2010**

The Committee gave consideration to the recommendations made by the Bellshill and District Local Area Partnership at its meeting held on 15 April 2010 and agreed in respect of each item, the following:-

**(1) BELLSHILL AND DISTRICT LOCAL AREA PARTNERSHIP/AREA COMMITTEE – MINUTES**

**Decided:** that the terms of the Minutes be noted.

**(2) COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES – BELLSHILL COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

**Decided:**

(1) that it be noted that a report on the condition of the War Memorial on Main Street, Bellshill would be submitted to the next meeting of the Local Area Partnership, and

(2) that the terms of the Minutes be otherwise noted.

**(3) NORTH LANARKSHIRE PARTNERSHIP BOARD MINUTE OF 18 NOVEMBER 2009**

**Decided:** that the terms of the Minute be noted.

**The Convener exercised his discretion to vary the order of business as hereinafter minuted.**

**(4) BELLSHILL TOWN CENTRE ACTION PLAN UPDATE**

**Decided:**

- (1) that West End Church be included in the lighting proposals for Phase 4 works in Bellshill Town Centre;
- (2) that consideration be given to the use of part of the Tesco car park to assist those businesses displaced from the North Road car park during the improvement works, and
- (3) that the presentation and progress made on the Bellshill Town Centre Action Plan be otherwise noted.

**(5) JOINT COMMUNITY SAFETY REPORT**

**Decided:** that the content of the report be noted.

**(6) LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**

**Decided:**

- (1) that the progress in relation to the delivery of the projects in 2009/2010 through the Local Development Programme, as detailed in Appendix 1 to the report, be noted;
- (2) that the progress in terms of projects for delivery in the 2010/2011 programme be noted, and
- (3) that further progress be reported to future meetings of the Bellshill and District Local Area Partnership.

**(7) BELLSHILL ATHLETIC FOOTBALL CLUB**

**Decided:**

- (1) that up to £10,000 be provided for a further year only to assist with the cost of the changing accommodation at the Sir Matt Busby Centre, and
- (2) that the Council be requested to consider the compulsory purchase of land at Hattonrigg Road, Bellshill (New Brandon Park – former playingfield of Bellshill Athletic Football Club) in view of the condition of the premises and to enable its proper use.

**(8) DATE, TIME AND VENUE OF NEXT MEETING**

**Decided:** that the next meeting of the Bellshill and District Local Area Partnership would be held on Thursday, 8 July 2010 at 7 pm in Tannochside Senior Citizens' Centre, Thorniewood Road, Tannochside.