



# Craigmarloch Community Council



## MINUTES

Tuesday 27 June 2017 at 7.30pm in Tesco Craigmarloch.

### **In attendance:**

Ailsa Clunie (AC)  
Ann Ballinger (AB)  
Carolyn McIntyre (CM)  
Brian Lallaway (BL)  
Mike Ogden (MO)  
Barney Kinsler (BK)

### **Also in attendance:**

Councillor Alan Masterton (AM)  
Councillor Tom Fisher (TF)  
PC Alan Hendry (AH)  
PC Pauline Leckie (PL)

### **Apologies:**

Philip Gilmour (PG)  
Tracey McLaughlin (TM)  
Jean Thomson (JT)

## **Welcome/Introductions/Apologies**

AC welcomed everyone to the meeting, particularly the new community police officers allocated to the area. She also welcomed Cllr Tom Fisher (TF) and congratulated both councillors on their election.

## **Community Safety**

AH & PL reported that 12 crimes had been reported with 6 of those detected. 2 were housebreaking in Carrickstone where thieves had retrieved keys via the cat-flap. 2 were minor domestic assaults. The others were either RTAs or minor vandalism.

There was a general discussion about the plans for new fast food joints behind Tesco and the potential for further problems with groups of youths collecting at the underpass & perhaps moving to fast food area.

We also discussed the reported problems with a bus company in the area, informing AH & PL of previous problems and illegal practice reported by residents. ALB reported that some information had been passed to Bus Users Group and we look forward to cooperating with them in future.

AH & PL informed the CC about the new campaign to stop adults buying alcohol for young people. CM has already put notice on CC Facebook page.

## **Minutes of Previous Meeting**

BK and MO approved the minutes of the meeting held on 27 June 2017.

## **Matters Arising**

Matters Arising were all overtaken by the agenda

## **Treasurers Report:**

JT had circulated a report, knowing she would be unable to attend. There have been no changes since the last report and we continue to have very little funds.

## **Secretary's Report:**

ALB circulated communication received from NLC, which included Planning Applications and Minutes of Council Meetings.

ALB reported more fully on contact with Bus Users Group. The CC agreed to keep them informed of incidents and reports. We also agreed to invite a member to a future meeting.

Changes to bin collections were discussed and we were reminded that any non-recyclable waste added to recycling bin greatly reduced value of waste to council.

Particular concern was expressed about black bin collections & the CC noted that a number of roadshows will be held later in the summer.

### **Community Councillors Report**

BL reported a number of problems caused by installation of cables by Virgin Media. AM noted that he was already dealing with a number of complaints and would contact the Roads Dept – **Action AM**

BL also commented on the misuse of weedkiller by NLC workmen & informed CC of legislation concerning this. AM will discuss with NLC

MO commented on the Planning Application lists and asked for lists to be emailed as they appear. ALB will also forward any important planning applications to CC **Action TF**

AC noted the decision to spend a little money on a pop-up sign and asked for ideas to be sent to BL **Action – all members**

### **Local Councillors Report**

AM reported on a meeting held in St Andrews/Cumbernauld Primary regarding parking at the school. David Kay (NLC Education Officer) was surprised at how bad the situation is. One of the highlighted problems is drivers' stopping on pedestrian crossing. He will work to find a solution, changing layout and identifying additional parking spaces.

### **AOB**

ALB will circulate meeting dates and copy of letter re infrastructure when received from BK. **Action BK & ALB**

**There being no further business the meeting was closed with thanks to all who attended.**