

# Dundonald Community Council

## Minute

09 05 2024

**Present: Community Councillors -** [REDACTED]

**Members of Public -** [REDACTED],

**SAC Councillors -** [REDACTED]

**SAC -** [REDACTED]

**Police Scotland -** [REDACTED]

**Apologies -** [REDACTED]

### **Chairperson's Opening Remarks.**

The Chair opened the meeting by welcoming all to the meeting. Noted that the AGM will take place immediately after the open meeting. Invited all to stay if they wished.

### **Police Report.**

New police sergeant introduced himself. He noted that there had been one report of assault in the village. The police will use quad bikes over lighter nights. He noted that the village had been very quiet with only one report of youth poor behaviour. A MOP informed the police about cyclists using the pavements and not the road, the police stated that any cyclists on pavement would be spoken to if seen. Speeding was raised especially on Old Loans Road and Main Street. Police will attempt to have a day of action with speed guns if manpower allows.

### **Community Matters.**

**Field.** A MOP reported that SAC had met with a group of residents re the works to be carried out on the field. Reports for the works should be available soon. Works will probably commence after the DHG. Residents are still experiencing localised flooding. Concern was raised re asset transfer. It was noted that an engineering company Atkins have been appointed currently checking the measurements for the swales. The burn will be kept clear. Two sections of the connecting pipe have been fixed. It is understood that the swales will be on the embankment near the houses. It was noted that initial information submitted to SAC were not correct. It was noted that there is concern about the embankment sliding. The CC will contact DHG re this information. MOP stated that they will ask SAC via an FOI about the costs of the works

**Works on A759.** Reported that the works were preparatory for the Cycle Track. Traffic Lights. The latest info is that works will begin in June.

**Pot Holes.** The number of pot holes around the village is huge. This has been reported to [REDACTED].

**Wind Turbines.** No further info available.

**Quarry Blasting.** A MOP raised this issue stating that they felt that the blasts were becoming stronger. [REDACTED] will contact SAC and ask for measurements.

**Elected Member Report.** Noted that it was unacceptable that the works on the field were taking so long, noted that the three ward councillors had raised this issue. Noted that Wifi now available in the Montgomerie Hall. [REDACTED] will ask for figures re quarry blasting.

### **Community Council Meeting**

The minutes of the previous meeting were proposed by [REDACTED] and seconded by [REDACTED]. Apologies received from [REDACTED]

**Matters Arising** - none

**Garden Update.** There will be three wild flower beds. We have had assistance from Community Payback. Thanks to [REDACTED] and team. Seeds purchased.

**Defibrillator** - Email from [REDACTED] confirming site of new defibrillator.

**Symington Community Council.** Agreed to support them in their environmental project.

**Chair Report.** Circulated

### **Secretary Report**

All correspondence has been distributed.

### **Treasurer Report**

Balance in the account £5461.43 in bank  
After cheques to Castle and Secretary £5401.93

**Elected Members Report** - noted above

**Licensing and Planning** - Nothing of note

### **AOCB.**

Date and time of next meeting. Thursday 13th June 2024. Montgomerie Hall. 7pm.

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