

Uplawmoor Community Council

Minutes

Minutes of Meeting held in Mure Hall on Monday 16th April 2018

Present

Rob Williams (Chair)
Ross Leggat (Secretary)
Alan Baxter (Treasurer)
Gordon Steele
Danielle Glendinning
Charles Brindley
Kyle Gordon
Charlotte Gordon
Ivy Cowan
Anne Sanderson

Apologies

Councillor Angela Convery
Councillor Paul Aitken
Christine Riddet

Chair's Opening Remarks

Following his nomination for chair, Rob Williams has gladly accepted his new role and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Approval of previous minutes

The minutes were approved.

Proposed: Gordon Steele

Seconded: Charlotte Gordon

Items continued from previous meeting

- A736 – Angela Convery is arranging a meeting with Jane Corrie, Roads and Transportation Controller at ERC, looking to improve safety at the bridge at Welsh's Garage corner.
- Glasgow Airport update – Working group, chaired by Rob Williams, has helped to coordinate the village's response to the proposed flight path changes. Two village meetings were held and the campaign received positive media coverage. Consultation started under CAP 725 process but now having to adhere to the current CAP 1616 which will involve more thorough and earlier community feedback. The village has worked hard together on this and its voice has been heard on the national stage. Still awaiting a response from the airport (first consultation period ended 13th April 2018). UCC is very grateful for the support of MSP, MP and councillors. Sincere thanks go to all those who have worked so tirelessly on this campaign.
- Condition of roads – Some patching of the Fereneze Road but there are still ruts in the road. Ascertain who to contact re. the logging to confirm that the work has finished. If so, can the roads now be repaired? Is there a reparation clause in the loggers' contract? This could be discussed in the meeting with the ERC roads department.

Planning report

Uplawmoor Development Trust is resubmitting the planning permission for the MUGA due to small change in proposed location. Currently £10k short of the required fundraising total.

Police report

Nothing to report other than one anti-social incident of dog barking. Query raised about how to report a vehicle regularly seen speeding through the village. Advised it would be best if at least two people witness the incident and report it with evidence e.g. an image of the speed sensor displaying the speed of the vehicle. Police could take action e.g. checking speed in the area, increasing presence through the night. Speed bumps cannot be installed due to the impact these have on emergency vehicles.

Training for community councils

Email sent to community councillors from Vincent McCulloch (ERC Community Councils Liaison Officer) regarding training on offer. Ross Leggat has timetable of information and will re-send to everyone. Rob Williams suggested that the community councillors try to cover all sessions between them and feedback to UCC.

Treasurer's Report

Alan Baxter presented report at AGM – see AGM minutes. Bill to be paid for church hall hire.

Web and Social Media

UCC website views have increased since last month. The numbers dipped when the designated Uplawmoor Airspace website was created as people were using this directly for updates. Rob Williams encouraged councillors to consider what other information or feedback could be shared with the Uplawmoor community.

Matters Arising

Two forthcoming events were highlighted:

- Gala Day 16th June
- Village clean up 21st April – meet at 10am at Tennis Club

Any Other Business

Issue raised about the path around the skate park in the recreation area. Concrete surface has been left uneven.

Barrhead News – running an article tomorrow about the Glasgow Airport proposed flight path changes. Looking for photo to use. Rob Williams to organise.

Date of Next Meeting

Monday 21st May, 7.30pm.