

Uplawmoor Community Council

Minutes of Meeting Held in the Mure Hall on Monday 17 October 2016

Present: Gordon Steel (Chairman)
 Joyce Miller (Secretary)
 Ross Leggat (Treasurer)
 Charles Brindley
 Cath Close

Councillor Buchanan
 Councillor Green

1 member of the public

Apologies: Ivy Cowan
 Councillor O’Kane
 Emily Wallace

Approval of Minutes of Meeting held on 19th September 2016

Proposed Ross Leggat
 Seconded Charles Brindley

Item		Action	Date
1.0	Chairman’s Opening Remarks		
1.1	Gordon welcomed everyone to the meeting.		
2.0	Police Report (Officers attending from Giffnock standing in for local community officers)		
2.1	There was no reported crime in Uplawmoor between 14 Sept and 14 October 2016. Quad bike disturbances in the Neilston and Barrhead area are subsiding. They re-iterated the message for crime prevention regarding awareness of rogue cold callers.		
2.2	Speeding identified by UCC as main cause for concern and this will be reported back to local officers.		
2.3	C. Green enquired of rumours of a Cannabis Farm on Caldwell estate and requested feedback from the police.	C. Green	
3.0	Items Continued from Previous Minutes		
3.1	Mr Tom Arthur MSP will attend the next UCC meeting 21 November 2016. He will give a short presentation followed by Q&A session.		
3.2	There has been no progress on signage of “potential queueing traffic” at The Bridge on A736.	C.Green	
3.3	The glen. UDT have applied to get more trees. Willie Michie,		

	<p>ERC will plant bulbs at both entrances to the glen. Attempts have been made to contact A McCloy (erc) re school visit to glen.</p> <p>There have been complaints on facebook regarding recent work to remove trees from the glen and the affected areas not being reinstated.</p> <p>UCC will make a site visit and report back.</p>	G.Steel C.Close	
3.4	Data protection. Gordon is progressing with this – not yet complete.	G.Steel	
3.5	Christmas Tree. Grant submission to be completed ASAP	J.Miller	
3.6	UCC recruitment. No forthcoming members. Other groups in the village facing the same lack of people coming forward.		
3.7	Boundary Changes. Councillors reported that a judicial review to challenge decision (dependent on other authorities making a combined appeal) is not financially viable.		
3.8	Constitution amendment. The wording was not specific in drafting the amendment with reference to the term of chairman being able to serve for more than one year. The chair would still be required to stand for re-election annually and this was not clear. Resubmission to be sent clarifying this.	G.Steel	
4.0	Matters Arising		
4.1	The New Bin collection rota (ERC) is now on UCC website and Uplawmoor Info with a weekly prompt.		
4.2	Gordon attended the Police Forum which was an information gathering exercise by the police. It was well attended, particularly impressive were the presentations given by head boys and girls from local schools. Main conclusion drawn was the request for more police presence 'on the beat'.		
5.0	Correspondence		
5.1	<p>Notification of Scottish Government Education review. Links for this were not available on the email received. Cllr Green will forward the links.</p> <p>UCC will contact Uplawmoor Primary School Parent Council to gather information and provide support as required.</p> <p>Once received the links will be published on UCC website for all interested parties to view.</p>	C.Green J.Miller	
5.2	ERC annual performance review has been received.		
5.3	A resident has contacted the secretary regarding a BBC news item concerning some public access defibrillators being faulty and enquiring if Uplawmoor's Public Access Defibrillator is one of them. Cath to draft a reply for Joyce providing assurance that it is not the same manufacturer and has not been withdrawn by the sponsors - British Heart Foundation.	J.Miller C.Close	
5.4	The councillors were asked to determine if local 3G artificial turf sports surfaces were of the same kind as those being hastily removed in Holland due to its carcinogenic properties.	All Councillors	
	The Councillors were thanked for their attendance and left the meeting		
6.0	Treasurers report.		
6.1	£1116.22 is in UCC account.		
7.0	Web Report		
7.1	The current domain name (Uplawmoor Council) cannot be changed to Uplawmoor Community Council until March 2018. The website does show the correct terminology ie. Uplawmoor		

	Community Council.		
7.2	300/400 views on Sundays (new bin collections). Last month 825 views.		
8.0	Any Other Competent Business - NIL		
9.0	Date of Next Meeting		
9.1	21 st November 2016. 7.30 Mure Hall.	ALL.	