

Jordanhill Community Council

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Draft Record of meeting

Meeting type: Full JCC meeting.

Date: Monday 03 June 2019

Time: 19.00 Jordanhill School, Refectory Building

Address: 45 Chamberlain Rd G13 1SP

Present: JCC elected members: R. McKay (Chairperson), J. M. Winfield (Secretary), C. Benton (Treasurer), C. Cameron, C. Galletly, B. McKay,

Ward 12 Councillor, Cllr. F. Dalton (for part of the meeting), 1 Resident.

Apologies: K. Still, M. A. Dick, C. Kaur, PC C. Farren, I. MacCallum, K. Robertson.

1.0 Welcome.

All present were welcomed by the Chairperson.

2.0 Police Scotland.

PC Farren was on annual leave, hence there would be no Report. There had been several email alerts detailing scams, in particular fraudulent tradespersons; often elderly persons were the targets. We were all asked to keep a lookout.

3.0 Record of Meeting dated 13th May 2019

3.1 Accuracy. Item 6.7 Jordanhill Community Centre. A text amplification was accepted to the report given by J. Osborne. Replace text by: 'Data from the recently conducted survey of residents had been analysed. There were only 156 responses, so there was insufficient support in the Community, although 80% of those responding supported the idea. There appeared to be a potential pool of volunteers who would be willing to take the project forward if it were possible to do so.' This text would be included in the confirmed minute before publication.

Action: The Record was accepted by the meeting

3.2 Matters Arising from 15th April Record. A question was raised by J. Grierson regarding the 'clarification offered by the Chairperson (items 3.1 (a) and (b) and accepted by the 13th May meeting. For the avoidance of doubt: The Chairperson had stated that (a) the previous JCC criterion for planning application support (significant local disquiet about an application) had been adopted at a time when JCC membership was significantly below our establishment. This was no longer the case. (b) An email had been received from GCC indicating that JCC would be considered further for conservation status; however, the time scale was not known at present.

Matters arising from 13th May Record. Item 6.5. C. Cameron introduced a discussion regarding the fate of JCC reports of planning applications considered. A discussion ensued in which various possibilities

were canvassed, e.g. inclusion of full records in the meeting record, inclusion of a summary of decisions in the meeting record with the full documents as addenda to the Record, a statement that planning applications had been considered but with no further detail. The Secretary observed that as the Planning Sub-Committee did not presently exist (see 5.4 below), definitive arrangements would have to await a decision to be made at the AGM. Chairperson ruled that, for the present, A summary of any planning matters considered would appear as part of the meeting Record.

Item 3.1/3.2 Additional measures, i.e. meetings with appropriate GCC staff and others if required, were approved to amplify matters that related to the vexed question of traffic-light controlled pedestrian crossings.

Item 9.0 JCC Membership of Victoria Park Trust. Chairperson had written to the trust to establish what might be on offer. A reply was awaited.

Action: Chairperson would arrange a further meeting with Neighbourhood Liaison/Traffic Lights Officer to carry JCC's concerns about crossing safety further. (post meeting, this has been done)

4.0 Correspondence received.

(i) Hard copy of the report 'Strengthening Community Councils', an online version had been distributed to members also. The topic was to be the subject of the next CC Development Session (22nd June); all members were urged to attend.

(ii) A Seggilee Rd resident had written to say that the re-routing had improved the layout of the junction; this was welcomed by the Meeting. The Resident had mentioned also that a vehicle was now frequently, illegally parked at the new junction. It had been suggested in reply that this should be reported to Police Scotland via 101. It would be brought to the attention of PC Fallon, the JCC contact.

5.0 Reports.

5.1 Elected Councillor. No report.

5.2 Chairperson. A general account of the Chairperson's recent activities to raise the JCC profile was given. These included a visit to the planting of the Fernery in Victoria Park, a meeting with Scotstoun CC, the informal committee of local organisations set up to organise representations against the proposed District Heating system (south St), the Minister, Woodend CofS, Citizens' Summit, cycling experience, the proposed Jordanhill Community Trust group. The next meeting with Cala had been fixed for 14th June. Discussions with SCC had centred on Scotstoun Stadium. There was to be a travel plan meeting, to be chaired by Cllr. Cullen, at 10 am on 26th June. JCC would be represented by our Chairperson plus another. Whiteinch CC were to be represented also. It was suggested that representation from GCC (DRS) might be beneficial. However, the meeting was to last only for 0.5 hr. Chairperson reported that SCC were generally supportive of the Travel Plan for Scotstoun Stadium, believed that the Stadium with Warriors involvement was beneficial for the area and were in favour of the status quo.

5.3 Treasurer. The financial state of JCC continued to be satisfactory. Currently there was one bill outstanding (room rental). Accounts for the current session would be closed on 31st August, it time for auditing and presentation at the AGM in October.

5.4 Planning Sub-Committee. Present Status. The arrangement currently in place to examine the weekly planning list were proving too onerous and the Planning Sub-Committee had been dissolved. It was intended to revisit the topic at the AGM. Meanwhile, as a temporary expedient, the Secretary would review the weekly lists and would report by email if there were cases that should be examined by JCC in more detail.

5.5 Current Planning matters. There were three items to be reported:

(i) J. Grierson was thanked for his careful detective work in uncovering errors in the Essex Drive planning Application.

(ii) The Secretary had scrutinised the weekly list, 21-27 May; there was nothing that required examination by JCC.

(iii) Planning Appeal: Alteration and Diversification of Existing Waste Recycling Facility to incorporate an Energy Recovery Facility, etc. 865 South St. JCC as an Interested Party had been invited to submit a Response to the latest stage in this long-running saga. J. Grierson and the Secretary had prepared a draft response, which had been circulated and received some favourable comments. The meeting was now asked formally to approve the JCC response. The Secretary indicated that minor changes to the document were proposed to improve the style and 'tighten up' the arguments made against the /development. These were accepted by the Meeting.

Action: The representation against the Development would be sent to the Scottish Government, Directorate for Local Government and Communities, Planning and Architecture: Planning Decisions.

5.6 Licensing. Secretary would be presenting the JCC representation against the granting of a temporary entertainment licence to Zippo's Circus at the Licensing and Regulatory Committee on 5th June. The main point concerned the use of Diesel Power.

5.7 Jordanhill Community Centre, after the survey. A meeting to decide on the fate of the Project was to be held the following evening.

5.8 Meetings with Cala. The Tree Canopy operation had been started and visits by the Consultant Arborists, as mandated, had apparently been made. A walk-round meeting about the Southbrae/West brae junction was fixed for 14th June.

5.9 Get Glasgow Moving Campaign. B. McKay gave an account of the current activities of the Get Glasgow Moving Campaign. Its objective was to achieve better public transport, particularly bus services. A welcome development was the appointment of a Funded Officer for one year. The great need was for the Local Authority to have control over services; this would address problems such as the present lack of connectivity, for example between Jordanhill and the West End. Cllr. Dalton observed that the issue was related to other issues confronting GCC, a proposed 20 mph speed limit throughout the City, better conditions for cyclists, air quality. Improved connectivity between green spaces was required also.

7.0. Scotstoun Stadium, general discussion.

An Action summary, produced as a result of a Special Meeting held on 8th May 2019, held to consider possible actions relating to Scotstoun Stadium, had been circulated to members. Part of this consisted of a draft Community Agreement possibly to be used as a basis for coordinating actions involving JCC and neighbouring Community Councils. It was resolved that part of the document might be used as the basis for a letter to be sent to WCC and SCC to seek their support. J. Grierson and the Secretary undertook to draft such a letter.

Action: A letter together with a cover email from the Chairperson would be sent to WCC and SCC for consideration.

8.0. Victoria Park Trust membership.

A reply was awaited to the JCC request for information regarding becoming a member of the new Trust.

9.0. GDPR Statement.

A statement to be posted on the JCC website was pending.

10.0. Annual Self-Assessment, RAG analysis.

JCC (Chairperson and Secretary) had conducted this Annual Assessment according to the GCC requirement. Most of the requirements had been met and therefore the GCC test had been passed.

11.0. Traffic and Parking.

Lack of time prevented any discussion of the topic

This record will be confirmed or amended as required at the September meeting of JCC.

Dates for Meetings in 2019. School Refectory Building, 19.00-21.00: 02 Sept., 07 Oct. (AGM), 04 Nov., 02 Dec.