

JORDANHILL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTE OF MEETING HELD ON 7th NOVEMBER 2016

1.0 PRESENT

2 Police Officers	Police Scotland
Councillor Feargal Dalton	Glasgow City Council
Stephanie Adams	Jordanhill Community Council
David Beaton	
Phyllis Fisher	
Douglas Fotheringham	
John Grierson	
Steven Rettie	
Beryl Roebuck	
John Winfield	

Constituents from Jordanhill Community Council Area
Visitors from Knightswood
Apologies: Kate Still, Cllr. M. Bartos

2.0 MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minute of the previous meeting was approved as an accurate record of the matters discussed.

3.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Professor Winfield and David Beaton had met Carol Monaghan, Westminster MP, to discuss the Victoria Park and Open Space Community Plan prepared by Victoria Park Residents Association. Ms Monaghan was supportive of the local residents' efforts and advised that the city parks are the responsibility of Glasgow City Council.

The need for, and the possibility of providing, a pedestrian crossing on Westland Drive were discussed.

4.0 CHAIRPERSON'S MATTERS

Professor Winfield reported as follows:

Community Councils have an obligation to present a Chairperson's report to Glasgow City Council at the AGM. A report in draft form was tabled, approved and will be forwarded to Evelyn O'Donnell and her successor at GCC.

With regard to meeting protocols, it is proposed to issue minutes of meetings in draft form promptly after the date of the meeting and approve the minute at the subsequent meeting.

5.0 POLICE SCOTLAND REPORT

5.1 Confirmation was requested that the complaint made to Police Scotland regarding parking of cars associated with Glasgow Warrior matches has been communicated to the two officers present. The officers confirmed that it has. It was requested that Police Scotland arrange a meeting with Glasgow City Council and interested parties to discuss the matter.

5.2 Crime statistics from the date of the previous meeting held on 3rd October were reported as follows:

121 phone calls have been made to Police Scotland.

36 crime reports have been raised.

37 crimes in total.

2 assaults have been reported. Both have been detected.

There have been no reports of drug possession or drug dealing.

1 person arrested for disorderly behaviour under Section 50A1b CLCSA 1995.

1 person arrested for being drunk and incapable in a public place.

1 report of a Section 38 CJLSA 2010 (not alcohol related).

11 reports of housebreaking in Munro Road, Jordanhill Drive, Chamberlain Road, Seggielea Road, Southbrae Drive, 2 in Essex Drive, Milner Road (shed), Victoria Park Drive North (shed), Balshagray Avenue (shed) and Mitre Road which are all subject to ongoing enquiries.

2 reports of House breaking with intent in Selbourne Road and Southbrae Drive.

8 reports of theft from motor vehicles in Southbrae Drive, Victoria Park Drive, St Kilda Drive, Airthrey Avenue, Chamberlain Road and Crow Road.

1 report of theft of a bicycle in Mitre Road.

1 report of theft of a motor vehicle at Cluny Villas

1 Road Traffic incident with 1 person reported under Section 3 RTA

5.3 The officers advised that Police Scotland can be contacted on any of the following:

Twitter - @policescotland

Facebook – Scotland.police.uk

101 – Non emergency

999 – Emergency

0800 555 111 – Crimestoppers

Local CPT E-mail – (Enter CPT Address)

6.0 JORDANHILL CAMPUS

Much of Jordanhill Campus is to be sold by Strathclyde University for housing development. It is understood that Cala homes will submit a planning application by the end of this year or early in the new year.

The planning consultants acting on behalf on Cala Homes have invited Jordanhill Community Council to attend a meeting which it is proposed be held on the afternoon of Thursday 10th November. John Grierson and David Beaton propose to attend. It is understood that a Traffic Impact Assessment is to be submitted with the planning application.

7.0 VICTORIA PARK

7.1 Professor Winfield has represented the Community Council at 3 recently held workshops organised by Land and Environmental Services and reported as follows:

The workshops are intended to be part of a consultation process that will extend over a 2 year period. The following summarises some of the points raised from discussions among the persons present.

Glasgow City Council advise that budgets for parks will be reduced and the financial contribution made by the Council cannot continue at the current level.

The City Council welcome input from local Community Councils and voluntary organisations.

It is proposed that any income generated by parks should be returned to the parks. It is noted that the rent paid by Zippos Circus for their use of Victoria Park presently goes to the City Council and is not necessarily invested in the park.

7.2 Professor Winfield is presenting the Victoria Park and Open Space Community Plan prepared by Victoria Park Residents' Association and Subsequently endorsed by JCC, at The Partick west Area Partnership meeting to be held at the City Chambers at 2pm on Thursday 10th November.

Neil Lovelock of Dumbarton Road Environmental Trust had met with Professor Winfield on 4th Nov. He was willing to host a meeting about the Plan if this would be of any assistance.

8.0 4 AND 4A BUS SERVICES

8.1 Constituents of JCC and visitors from Knightswood reported many difficulties created by the reduction in service and the lack of connectivity with other services.

8.2 A resident from Anglegate suggested that the present service should extend to the west end of Victoria Park Drive North rather than terminate in Broomhill and reported that the undernoted retirement developments within the Jordanhill Community Council areas were now isolated without a bus service:

Anglegate, Westland Drive. 28 households.

Westland Court, Westland Drive. 37 households.

Cluny Gardens. 37 households.

8.3 Other concerns noted are as follows:

Schoolchildren unable to travel to Hyndland Secondary School by bus.

Students and evening adult students unable to travel to Glasgow University by bus.

Parents unable to travel to Nursery Provision in Hyndland by bus.

Bus services going into the city centre via the Expressway with no connectivity to Byres Road.

First Bus benefitting from Scottish Government subsidy for bus passes for the elderly and failing to accommodate the needs of the elderly.

Failure to comply with Green Transport Policy.

8.4 The legal position of GCC vis a vis First Greater Glasgow was summarised by Cllr. Dalton. This was effectively a commercial matter and Glasgow City Cllrs had little

direct power. Representations had been made to First about the effects on local residents by Cllrs and by our MSP and MP.

It was requested that evidence of the impact of the reduced service on Residents be forwarded to the Community Council's website.

- 8.5** It was proposed that the Community Council in discussion with Knightswood Community Council pursue the matter with Glasgow City Council. It is proposed that Kelvindale Community Council be advised of the action taken.

9.0 DANGEROUS VEHICULAR TRAFFIC

- 9.1** Further to the discussion at the previous meeting Mr Rettie and 2 local constituents stressed their concern regarding the volume and speed of traffic driving through North Jordanhill. They expressed their dismay at Glasgow City Council's refusal to take any action despite by making repeated representations on the matter.

- 9.2** Mr Rettie was requested to prepare a document recording incidents and summarising concerns of neighbours to assist the Community Council who will pursue the matter with Glasgow City Council.

10.0 MATTERS YET TO BE ACTIONED FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Business carried forward from the August Extraordinary Meeting and the September Meeting that is yet to be actioned is noted as follows.

Concern over the change in playing surface at Scotstoun Stadium and the high level of public expenditure involved.

Planning enforcement charter with respect to unauthorised additional seating capacity at Scotstoun Stadium.

Representation to be made with respect to the forthcoming planning application for additional seating capacity at Scotstoun Stadium.

11.0 NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on 5th December at 7pm.

Distribution, members of JCC, Local JC Councillors, Local MSP and MP, Steven Dowling, GCC.

This is a draft minute to be amended if required and then confirmed at the meeting to be held at the 5th December.