

## **Minutes of Community Council Meeting, Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at Whiteinch Centre at 7 pm.**

**1 Present:** G. Morgan (Chair) E. MacDonald (Treasurer), M. McCrae, N. Robertson J. Carmichael, L. Stevenson (Vice Chair) E. Brown (Secretary), C. McGeoch, Cllr Dalton.

**Apologies** I. McKillop, PC Ferry.

**In attendance:** 2 residents.

**2. Minutes of previous meeting** approved by Mc Crae, seconded J. Carmichael with amendment to 3.2 *Repeat request for Keep Clear markings Elm St and Lime St at Victoria Park Drive South.*

### **3 Matters Arising**

**3.1 Food Bank** at Whiteinch Transformations, in need of donations and volunteers

**3.2 Environmental** Gulleys on Expressway cleared, gully at 59 Victoria Park Drive South still blocked.

Tenement Waste collections improved. White lining at Elm St and Lime Street completed and effective in stopping obstructive parking. Play equipment in the Victoria Park not repaired as requested in March

**3.3 Food consultation** good response locally, awaiting final national feed back.

**3.4 Scotstoun Stadium 6-month** feedback meeting attended for Whiteinch CC by G. Morgan, for Ward 12 Victoria Park by Cllr McTernan. Reports received of measures taken to ease impact of parking during Warriors matches, link with First Bus successful, hope for similar arrangement with Scot Rail. In future match information will be shared with consultees online. Report was followed by general discussion of the possible plans for new stands, current planning permission expires in September 2019.

### **4 Reports**

**4.1 Police** unable to attend.

**4.2 Cllr Dalton** reported on protest organised by a local resident about dangers of crossing over Westland Drive from Nature Walk to Victoria Park, residents requesting a Pelican Crossing Cllr Dalton will take the matter forward. General discussion about the need, in the light of the Climate Change Emergency to encourage active travel, walking and cycling, the need for segregated pathways. Plea made to recognise the needs of those with restricted mobility and to involve the Disability Alliance in Streetscaping, seating at suitable intervals. Reference made to complaint by Thornwood CC about obstructive and problem parking in their area worsened by residents parking scheme in Partick. Cllr Dalton sees the ongoing roll out of such schemes as the answer as the hope is that they will lead to a reduction in the number of cars coming into the City. C. McGeoch asked for action to stop obstructive parking on the corner of Haldane St and Dumbarton Rd opposite the Clyde Tunnel exit. It was pointed out that there are double yellow lines on the corner, Cllr Dalton will take this forward and agreed to do a walkabout with community councillors in the area on 14th May.

**4.3 Chair** reported that she had attended the following meetings:

- DRS Community Council Planning Stakeholder event .
- Community Councils Discussion session on 27/04/19, topics -Community Empowerment. Local Community Development Plan and Public Petitions.

**4.5 Victoria Park Community Trust.** All present approved the nomination of M. McCrae to represent Whiteinch Community Council as a Trustee on the Board of the newly formed Victoria Park Community Trust, the nomination form to be completed accordingly.

**4.6 Fossil Grove** now under remit of Neighbourhoods and Sustainability, Lighting and ventilation may be up graded, enough work done to the building to permit opening to the public for the summer season Saturdays and Sundays 12-4pm.

Website <https://fossilgroveglasgow.org/>

**4.7 Friends of Victoria Park** held annual Easter Egg Rolling. Ferns will be planted on 1st June. AGM May 17<sup>th</sup> at St Thomas Aquineas School.

**4.8 Victoria Park Area Partnership** 23/04/19 grant awarded.

## **5 Finance**

**5.1 Expenses** to Chair £67.03, details handed to treasurer.

**5.2 Rent** annual hire of conference room £230:00, paperwork to be completed.

**5.3 Grant** of £ 1765:00 from Victoria Park Area Partnership for legal and set up costs of Victoria Park Community Trust paid on invoice to Glasgow Eco Trust. Report sent on MS1 form to GCC Grant Support Office.

**5. 4 Statement** Awaiting end of quarter statement, previous statement at date of meeting showing total of £2417.08, deductions above not shown will appear in future statements.

## **6 Correspondence**

**6.1 Invitation to take part in Active Seniors Day in the Park** Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 10:30-3.30 accepted.

**6.2 Invitation to Planning Democracy Day Conference.**

**6. 3 Copy of Thornwood Community Council complaint** about parking issues.

## **7 Licensing**

**7.1 PEL00882** letter of representation sent as agreed, application to be heard 5<sup>th</sup> June, GM will attend.

**7.2 Application for variation in premises licence 1407 Dumbarton Rd GC 1410** discussed, agreed to determine reason for application before making representation.

## **8 Planning**

**8.1 19/00729/FUL WH Malcolm variation to 2003 permission** granted subject to conditions.

**8.2 Appeal to Scottish Government** decision still outstanding.

## **9 Community Council Business**

**9. 1 election** to fill 3 vacancies completed, results to be announced 01/05/19.

**9.2 Successful candidates + previous 2 will undergo induction** date to be confirmed.

**9.3 Governance** RAG analysis status confirmed as green (no problems).

**10 Street Play Initiative** discussed, too little time to prepare for this year.

**11 AOCB** nil.

**12 Date of next meeting Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May, at 7pm, in the Conference Room of the Whiteinch Centre.**