

ABERFELDY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting

Aberfeldy Town Hall

Tuesday 4th February 2020 at 7.30pm

MINUTES DRAFT

Welcome

Present: Victor Clements (Chair), Lorraine Reed, (Vice Chair), Jean Duff (Treasurer), Elaine Murdoch (Secretary), Ian Menzies, Val Kennedy, Karen MacKay, Cllr John Duff, community warden Norma Carr, Avril Taylor (Minute Secretary) & eight members of public.

Apologies

Cllr Xander McDade, Cllr Mike Williamson & Police Scotland

Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes were taken as read, proposed by JD, and seconded by LR, subject to two changes, (1) Clarification that VC had been proposed as Chair by Jean Duff, not John Duff and (2) Insertion of a statement that the CC had adopted the constitution, Standing Orders and Code of Conduct for Community Councillors.

Matters Arising

JoD continuing to chase up old Chinese sign.

Vc had spoken to Watermill re Aberfeldy: Past & Present, and they were now in a position to take forward a reprint.

Crime Prevention and Community Safety

Dog Fowling still an ongoing issue, but seems to be better in a number of areas at present. Still some issues at caravan park.

Some issues with youths. Dealt with by NC.

Mill Street cars parking causing obstructions having to be moved by police. JoD working with roads dept. to rectify problem.

Focus Topics:

Town Square Re-development

Works to be finished. Paving in front of Breadalbane hotel up to Burnside to be carried out end of Feb, traffic lights will be in operation while works carried out. List of snagging including Perdi & Boo corner large puddle and raised slab. Cycle sign and notice board to be looked at. Lighting and signs to be rectified. Disabled bays to be more prominent. PKC to look at redesign of car park

behind Co-op and removing of Yellow lines at the bottom of Crieff Road for extra car parking spaces.

ACC and ASBA are interested in developing a proposal whereby stalls or gazebos can easily be hired for use by groups in the square throughout the week. It is understood that PKC planners will facilitate a workable approach to this.

Kenmore Street

Puffin crossing to be installed end of February. Temporary traffic lights will be in place while works are carried out.

Hogmanay 2021

M Rogers was thanked for his hard work and producing 2020 festivities. Looking for volunteers to become a constituted group, with MR leading, to help with funding and support of this years Hogmanay. MR said Visit Aberfeldy may be interested in assisting. MR to speak with CC at April meeting.

Golf Club

Golf Club thinking of selling land on the north side of the river, they are checking with previous owner if they want it back. VC/LR & VF to get together and validate process if it goes for sale and community would want to buy.

Ongoing areas of interest:

Speeding/Road Safety Group

The bollard on the build out on the Crieff Road, needs to be made more visible. ACC to prioritise. Aberfeldy is to trial a 20 mile an hour speed limit through the whole town, this year. Dates to be confirmed.

P Spicer was delegated to represent ACC on group for Safe crossing place at Victoria Park.

Action Partnerships

No update

Common Good Fund

No update

Griffin Community Benefit Panel

No micro grants awaiting this years monies.

VC had been liaising on an endowment fund for Griffin with other CC Chairs. Updated documents had been received, and it is hoped a scheme will be in place this spring.

Reports

Chair

New housing estate built Duntuim Farm looking for play area. Keep on radar.

BBC reported Aberfeldy to Rannoch one of the most deprived areas in Scotland due to lack of access to public services. P Spicer to report back on this topic.

VE Day 8th – 10th May 2020. Birks Cinema showing national film. Black Watch muster on 10th May. EM & VF to represent ACC. KM to find out if school is doing anything. VC to speak with M Haigh re material for VE Day and see if museum will be updated.

Schools review good outcome basically staying pro rata.

Secretary

No report

Treasurer

Community Warden a/c = £15,000.00 Road Safety Group = £65.87

Micro Grant = NIL ACC = £833.60

Planning

Fishers site all rectified and building development hopefully going ahead, houses and business units.

Cllrs Reports

JoD reported Taxi Rank approved in Aberfeldy. Grave stones in cemetery being checked over. Still waiting on feed back of old Chinese sign removal.

AOCB

Moness path needs fixing.

LR to chair March CC meeting as VC away.

Date of Next Meeting Tues 3rd March 2020

ACTION LIST:

Who:	Action	By When
VC/LR/VF	Meet to discuss process of Golf Club land	March meeting
MR	MR to report back to ACC re Hogmanay 2020	April meeting
PS	PS to report back to ACC re deprived area	March meeting

PS	PS to report back to ACC Victoria Park crossing	March meeting
VC	To speak with MH re VE day	March meeting
KM	To speak with School re VE day.	March meeting
EM/VF	Represent ACC at Muster	10 th May 2020