

Pettinain Community Council
Minutes of meeting, 31st January 2007

1. **Present:** Jane MacConnell, Diane Laing, Beith Forrest, Judith Clayton, Christine McKenzie, Betty Russell, Anne Murray, Sheila Vaughan, Charlie Galloway, Karen Murphy, Geoff Vaughan, John Train, Jim and Aileen Langford
2. Judith Clayton resigned as treasurer. Christine McKenzie was accepted as new treasurer.
3. **Treasurers report:** Main account - £2112.37; Garden account - £500
Carols by Candlelight raised £155. £77.50 to Scottish Redundant Churches and £77.50 to Marie Curie.
4. Minutes of the previous meeting were adopted.
5. **Matters arising:**
 - a. **Traffic calming:** Now 30mph in place, community encouraged to report registration number of persistent speeders to police.
 - b. **Carols by Candlelight:** General agreement to continue as an annual event to replace carol singing round houses.
 - c. **Snowploughs:** Contact Enterprise Resources, SLC requesting Cairngryffe St included in snowplough route. **ACTION JM**
 - d. **Purchase of computer:** deferred
 - e. **Hampers:** feedback – to include wine next year.
 - f. **Website:** PCC to set up new website Pettinain.info. **ACTION IM**
 - g. **Planning application Upper Pettinain:** Tony Finn, Senior Planning Officer, SLC reported there are no trees worth saving as they are over-mature. PCC to send letter reinforcing previous points of concern. **ACTION DL**
 - h. **Transport Strategy:** Refer to in correspondence in point g.
 - i. **Village hall:** Gutters still need cleaning. Contact Head of Community Resources, SLC re hall problems. Copy to Beith Forrest. **ACTION JM**
 - j. **Planning gain:** Chase up quotes from Mr Sneddon. **ACTION DL**
 - k. **Sustainable Communities Bill:** No relevance. Remove from agenda.
 - l. **Village Pump:** Contact Biggar Heritage Trust. **ACTION JM**
Contact Carmichael Estate and Scottish Water to establish ownership.
ACTION DL
 - m. **Access to playing field:** Contact Jim Tennant, Haven Homes re planned access.
ACTION JM

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- i. **Recycling:** Letter to SLC re complaints of unclean recycling crate. **ACTION JC**
- ii. **Litter around Raeburn Common development:** Letter to Haven Homes requesting tidy up. **ACTION JM**
- iii. **Roads:** Letter to SLC re potholes, litter at roadside and farm muck on Grange Rd. **ACTION KM**
- iv. **Surface Water:** Concerns raised re surface water on brae between Upper and Lower Pettinain and from 25 Cairngryffe St. Letter to Scottish Water.
ACTION DL

- v. **Reed bed:** Drainage pipe being placed between reed bed and Clyde. Letter to Scottish Water to establish exactly what's happening. **ACTION DL**
- vi. **Burn adjacent to Cairngryffe St:** Complaints of smell coming from burn. Find out contact address for Bidwells. **ACTION BR**

CHANGE OF DATE:

DATE OF NEXT MEETING WEDNESDAY 14th MARCH 2007.