

Pettinain Community Council
Minutes of meeting, 23 May 2007

1. **Present:** Jane MacConnell, Betty Russell, Anne Murray, Karen Murphy, Christine McKenzie, Diane Laing, Jim Langford, Aileen Langford
Apologies: Ian McLeod
2. **Treasurers Report:** Bank Account stands at £2746. There is £662 in the Garden Account which should have been closed. This raised the question that a SLC grant received in the past has possibly been paid into the wrong account. CMcK will investigate this discrepancy. **ACTION CMcK**
Suggestions were made for spending the CC's funds:- a water butt for the church, outings, children's Halloween party. To be discussed further at next meeting.
3. **Minutes** of the previous meeting were adopted.
4. **Guest speaker: Mr Andy Rooney, Divisional Environmental Health, SLC.** Mr Rooney gave an informative talk about the role of Environmental Health. A number of issues were raised relevant to Pettinain and Mr Rooney advised the CC to highlight these directly to him in correspondence. These included:
 - Drainage problems in Cairngryffe Street
 - Dog fouling
 - Trailer at the corner of Grange Road and Cairngryffe Street
 - Drivers smoking in school buses
 - Dust and noise from Cairngryffe quarry**ACTION JM**
5. **Matters arising:**
 - a. **Meeting with Police:** Items discussed not relevant for PCC. Further concerns raised at PCC meeting re speeding. KM to highlight at next meeting. **ACTION KM**
 - b. **Snowploughs:** Correspondence from SLC, 26 April 2007, stating service is under review and will contact us once review is complete.
 - c. **Purchase of computer:** IM to purchase and liaise with CMcK re payment. **ACTION IM**
 - d. **Website:** deferred
 - e. **Planning Application Upper Pettinain:** No further information from SLC. Awaiting bat survey.
 - f. **Village Hall Issues:** Contact Charlie Reader re fridge, broken lights, floor, insulation, extension/additional room. **ACTION JM**
 - g. **Planning Gain Raeburn Common:** Quote received from David Sneddon, Land Services Manager for equipment. Discuss at next meeting.
 - h. **Litter:** To be addressed in letter to Environmental Services. **ACTION JM**
 - i. **Village Pump:** Letter, 18 May, from Bidwells, stating area of land (including water pump) sold by Carmichael Estate to the Council in 1955. JM has contacted Small Business Gateway and BDCH to access grants/funds. Awaiting further information. Advised to find out age of pump, its history and the part it played in village life. **ACTION BR**
 - j. **Scottish Water – Water on Brae, Grange Road:** deferred

- k. Reed bed connection to Clyde:** Work to last approx 18 weeks. Map of 2km pipework available from DL.
- l. Gala Day:** 16th June. Prizes - £1 1st, 75p 2nd, 50p 3rd. Marathon £2 1st, £1 2nd, 75p 3rd.
- m. Newsletter:** IM to print out. To be distributed before Gala day. **ACTION IM/JM**
- n. Caringryffe Street Development:** Planning permission granted.
- o. Raeburn Common Development:** deferred
- p. Conservation status:** deferred
- q. ASCC membership:** deferred

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- **Results of local election:** deferred
- **Village Square:** deferred

Points were deferred due to time restraints as time was allocated to the guest speaker. These will be discussed at the next meeting.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING, WEDNESDAY 27TH JUNE 7.15PM