

# Auchtermuchty & Strathmiglo Community Council

Minute of the 24th Meeting of the Community Council,  
Held at 7.30 p.m. on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2017  
in Strathmiglo Village Hall.

PRESENT: 1. George AITKEN [Strathmiglo], 2. Marj KEDDIE [Auchtermuchty], 3. Jane KERR [Strathmiglo], 4. Christine LITTLE [Auchtermuchty], 5. Alan MUIRHEAD [Auchtermuchty], 6. Bobby THOMSON [Gateside], 7. Bill TORRANCE [Strathmiglo], 8. Valerie WEIR [Gateside],

ATTENDING: Cllr. Andy HEER, Cllr. Donald LOTHIAN

1.0 WELCOME & APOLOGIES: The Chair welcomed members attending.

Apologies: Raymond HARDING [Auchtermuchty], Susan JACK [Gateside], Ian MACCAULAY [Dunshalt], Cllr. David MACDAIRMID,

2.0 MINUTES:

The Minute of the meeting held in Gateside Memorial Hall on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February, having been circulated to members, was accepted by those present.

3.0 MATTERS ARISING:

- 3.1 3.1 Dunshalt Community Shop; efforts are on going and monies are being raised locally.
- 3.2 6.3.2 Auchtermuchty Town House; the work order for the illumination of the clock face has been issued.
- 3.3 6.3.5 Mournipea dog fouling; the situation appears to be improved, but this may have been due to the recent heavy rain. It was reiterated that information and details are the key help that can be given to the Community Safety Team.
- 3.4 3.3 Gateside unadopted roads; residents wish the Old Town situation to be raised and kept in mind.

4.0 OTHER BUSINESS: none

5.0 POLICE MATTERS:

No report was available from local officers. It was noted that there had been a change in personnel, again, with a Sgt. Sharon Holmes and Insp. J. Docherty taking up posts.

6.0 FIFE COUNCIL MATTERS: [not already covered]

6.1 **Strathmiglo;**

- 6.1.1 West Road footpath; work on the new pathway is progressing and on a positive note it was noted that the road junction between the West Road and Cash Fues is being substantially repaired at the same time.

6.2 **Auchtermuchty;**

- 6.2.1 Health Centre prescriptions; it was noted that repeat prescriptions can be arranged online, details are available from the Health Centre.

6.3 **Dunshalt;** None

6.4 **Gateside;**

- 6.4.1 Lomond Hills path; it was noted that helicopters have been observed taking materials into the path above the Dryside and that access roads have been widened, it is thought to allow equipment access.

6.4.2 Speeding; the 'camera team' have been seen in the area, indeed residents are pleased that the appearances are occurring more often.

7.0 OTHER SERVICE PROVIDERS;

7.1 Road gritting A912 Bein Inn road; problems of road ice were noted, indeed road signage is still in evidence, on the Perth & Kinross side but Cllr. Heer was assured by Perth & Kinross that gritting had taken place. It was noted that litter on this stretch of road has increased, it was thought that this might be due to the end of a contract and the contractor no longer clearing the verges.

8.0 PLANNING: The Secretary drew attention to applications that appeared on the Fife list.

9.0 CORRESPONDENCE: the Secretary is now forwarding all correspondence received electronically to members.

10.0 AOCB;

10.1 Redistribution of Community Council grant; the agreed annual redistribution of the Community Council grant to the local Associations has been organised by the Treasurer and the Community Council accounts will be given in for examination once a bank statement has been received.

10.2 Living Lomonds Partnership; it was reported that the 'soiree' had been very interesting and most enjoyable with a Q+A session being held. It was pointed out that speaking to landowners before decisions are made, may be a more productive order of events.

11.0 Date and venue of next meeting.

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April, 7.30pm, Auchtermuchty Community Centre.**