

STEWARTFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL AGM MINUTES

Date: Tuesday 13 November 2007
Time: 7. 30pm
Venue: Stewartfield Community Centre, 3 MacNeish Way, Stewartfield

Present

A Maxwell (chair), D Wallace (secretary), A. Fitzpatrick, E. Young, others as on separate list.

1 Apologies

A Vann, N Pentland, V Yaneske, S Jess

2 Nominations

The Meadows Residents Association nominated Alastair Maxwell and Mountleigh Residents Association nominated Val Yaneske.

3 Election of Office Bearers

Chairperson: Alastair Maxwell: Proposer Emily Young, Seconder Douglas Wallace. With no other proposal, this was accepted.

Deputy Chair: in his absence Nigel Pentland: Proposer Tony Fitzpatrick, Seconder Emily Young.

Secretary: in his absence Alistair Vann: Proposer Tony Fitzpatrick, Seconder Alastair Maxwell.

Treasurer: Emily Young: Proposer Tony Fitzpatrick, Seconder Alastair Maxwell.

(Note: Tony Fitzpatrick took the chair in the interim while the nominations were heard for new chairperson. Mr. David Meechan of 1 Dunottar Court had audited the accounts.)

4 Minutes of Previous AGM

The minutes were approved; proposed by Tony Fitzpatrick, seconded by Alastair Maxwell.

5 Chairman's Report 2006/2007

The Council's Elected Members are Sheelah Jess, Nigel Pentland, Alistair Vann, Val Yaneske, Douglas Wallace, Emily Young.

Nominated Members are Alastair Maxwell (Meadows Residents Association), Tony Fitzpatrick (Mountleigh Residents Association).

Meetings have continued to be held on the second Tuesday of each month with the exception of July and August. With the support of the local Councillors the opportunity has been given to cover a wide range of issues, the situation altering following the local elections in May of this year when we now have contact with 3 councillors who cover East Kilbride West. We are grateful for the help and advice given by PC Finlay Ferguson, our Community Policeman, also for the effectiveness of work done by him towards controlling vandalism, unsocial behaviour and crime in general.

The Council continues to be involved in the Cathkin Landfill Site and monitoring by SEPA, the local Transport Plan with particular reference to vehicle movement in and around Stewartfield and East Kilbride in general, appropriate comments having been passed to the relative authority. South Lanarkshire local plan has been similarly dealt with, giving observations on intended developments, planning applications and the development of the Play Golf site.

All members are due thanks for their support, particularly Alistair Vann for his work as Secretary in enabling correct functioning of the Council, also Emily Young our Treasurer in looking after financial matters.

6 Date of Next Year's Meeting

The date set is Tuesday 11 November 2008, at 7. 30pm in Stewartfield Community Centre.