

Garrowhill Community Council Meeting

Garrowhill Community Centre, Maxwell Drive

Wednesday 7th March 2018

Present

Murray Packer; Dougie McCallum; John McEwan; Maria Paterson; Andy Henderson; Bill McMaster; Fay McGregor

Public

Julie Morrison; Susan Carrick; Frank O'Donnell; Cllr E. Ballantyne

Apologies

None received

Police

PC Joanne Walker and PC Daryl Teasdale

1	MOLM Proposed by BM and seconded by AH
2	Police 4 crimes 1 housebreaking (trying doors) these individuals were caught. Disorder in licence premises. 1 incident of vandalism 1 RTA Inconsiderate parking at schools continues to be an issue. Foot patrols are in place and not many have been moved on, as behaviour changes when police are present. Schools continue to work with parents to encourage appropriate parking.
3	Councillor EB: From last meeting positive site visit at Sherbourne Park and hopeful that burn will be cleared and tidied up and red ash removed. Path to be tarmaced. New bins in the park and grit bin to be relocated. Branches on Mt Vernon Avenue – partly done. Not completed. Burn won't be dredged. Issue appears to be with some residents leaving tree cuttings. Drainage to be put in. Tree roots in Danby Rd have been re reported. Arborist to come out and look at. Temporary repairs to be made at bus stop at Glasgow Road. Arrangements being made to fix the gully to stop flooding. Toby cover replaced in Maxwell Drive. Pavement work in Thornbridge has been completed. Noted that roads were patched but not 100%. Work taking place at 10:45pm and at 7am. Gritting in Primary School and Station – are now on priority 1 routes. Were treated in accordance with the Winter Maintenance Plan. Recent bad weather – grit bins were widely utilised and grit has been replaced. Fencing at Glasgow Rd – will carry out and carry out required repairs by 23 rd Feb. Existing hedge at the location which eliminates the need for a replacement fence (per email received). Agreed this is not necessarily the case as it remains dangerous. Ian Johnston emailed re Tennis Courts – MP1 has email giving an update. Lampposts at T/B and Edinburgh Rd requested to be repainted. Meeting with Coop manager at end of next week re post office. MP1 had update – looking for suggestions on any way to reintroduce PO.

4	<p>Proposed Housing Development</p> <p>As part of the discussion it was noted that Mount Vernon is currently not in operation. Boundary discussed and concluded that Mount Vernon Avenue is in Baillieston Ward. Also noted that Barrachnie Park is not part of Garrowhill Community Council – although the houses are. Discussion over whether the park should be returned into GCC area. The land where houses are being proposed is in Mount Vernon. (NB Shettleston Councillors.) Resource Centre is looking at boundaries in some CC areas.</p> <p>Information to be put on the website.</p> <p>Should we have a Facebook Page? This is a good way to get information out but need someone to monitor and update it.</p> <p>Should we make any decision about this if Mount Vernon CC restarts as it is possibly nearer them (park is Baillieston but Mount Vernon is in Shettleston!). Bring back to next meeting and MP1 will follow up with Resource Centre.</p> <p>Tennis Courts</p> <p>Funding has been secured and awaiting planning permission. Leaflets to be issued to residents. Should residents be provided with the opportunity to complain?</p> <p>2 locations for tennis facility proposed as Easterhouse and Garrowhill – but will start with Garrowhill.</p> <p>Emails from Ian Johnston- noting the funding has been provided by SportsScotland.</p> <p>Electronic version of the information to be put on website. MP1</p> <p>Planning permission is not on line – not a change of use is it needed for this as it will continue as a tennis court? From discussion appears it will be required as changes being made and lights being added.</p> <p>Planning enquiries should provide the information.</p>
5	<p>Treasurer's report</p> <p>Bank Balance is £1067.28.</p> <p>Looking for local areas to use the money. Suggested plants in areas such as Barrachnie, Beech Avenue and Thornbridge Roundabout.</p> <p>Can also apply to BAP.</p> <p>Houses in Park</p> <p>Is there a possibility of joint CC meetings? Not really a goer – but perhaps joint working to consider areas in local area.</p> <p>Can a sub committee be set up from CC and residents in both areas? How many residents in Mt Vernon are bothered about it? Getting information out may be an issue. Application has not been submitted to planning department.</p> <p>Trees are still preserved. Any work will have an impact on this.</p> <p>To look at leaflets being printed.</p> <p>CCs are to print off minutes before the meetings. Paper to be provided.</p>
6	<p>Finance</p> <p>Murray and Dougie to look at printing leaflets to provide residents with information on the proposed housing development in the land off Mount Vernon Avenue.</p>
7	<p>Planning/Licensing</p> <p>No issues to be raised.</p>
8	<p>Roads and Lighting</p> <p>Already discussed earlier in the meeting.</p>
8 b	<p>Fence Glasgow road footpath</p> <p>Still not repaired</p>
10	<p>AOB</p> <p>Next meeting 4th April 2018.</p> <p>Fay will not make next meeting – apology to be noted.</p>