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Minute of Inchtire area Community Council Held at Inchtire School 4th March 2010

Present Mr P Henderson, Mrs C Allan, Ms L McFarlane, D Henderson

APOLOGIES Mrs C Havranek, Mr S Barton, Mr T Woodford and Mr N Guest

IN ATTENDANCE Cllr J Roberts

Minutes of previous meeting

The minute was accepted and proposed Mr D Henderson and seconded by Ms L McFarlane

Police and Fire

Sergeant Ian Shepherd attended the meeting and reported that two youths had been taken to their homes and given warnings in front of their parents for minor incidents.

A member of the public asked if some attention could be given to the number of young cyclists riding without lights and on the wrong side of the road in Inchtire.

TREASURER

No report at this time as the treasurer could not attend this meeting.

INCHTURE COMMUNITY FUND

A public meeting is to be held at Inchtire Hotel Thursday 11th March to report on the progress made towards the building of the proposed sports complex in Inchtire. The meeting will also provide a platform allowing the public to give their views and opinions on the project.

PLANNING

A member of the public representing neighbours surrounding a planned house to be built in the garden of a house on the Main Street Inchtire asked the Community Council to support their objection to the building of the house. The objection sited the historical status of the houses affected and the access to the site. Mr D Henderson is to write to the planning department.

Mr D Henderson reported that the Barrett development for 56 houses at Inchtire has been approved by the planning department. This had come as a surprise as the project had been withdrawn when last checked on the P&K site. A re-submission was not expected at this time.

A local person wishing to develop land to the north of the A90 gave the Community Council a brief description of his dealings with planning and the nature of advice he had been given regarding attending Community Council meetings in the past. He gave assurances that he had intention to consult with the community and would in principal be happy to talk to interested parties on any project that he may have in the future.

ROADS and TRANSPORT

The new bus stop for Intercity Buses on the A90 is now in commission. Thanks must go to George Ward for his persistence over years to bring about this result.

P Henderson asked if it were possible to re open a gap in the fence used by the workers installing the new bus stop on the A90 as this would allow access to the new bus stop from the Glebe and would allow travellers to park in the parking area at the Glebe to have easy access to the new bus stop. Cllr Roberts to look into this option.

T Woodford has written to the road department regarding a large pothole developing at Castle Rd Kinnaird due to turning Bin Lorries at the communal collection point.

No information at this time regarding the request to re route 16A & 333 buses.

TWINNING

NO report at this time.

Braes of Carse

The group are holding a meeting tonight 4th March. No representation from group.

EDUCATION

A member of public asked if the Inchtute School did classes on the line of social responsibility. They had knowledge of other schools doing projects like picking litter from the school area and wondered if this could be something that the school could become involved in.

PARKS and ENVIRONMENT

Mrs C Allan is to contact environmental department following a request to have a litter bin and possibly dog litter bin installed at the end of the path opposite the school gate leading to the Muir Homes.

A O C B

Inchtute Online Site. P Henderson had posted a note advertising this meeting. No one in attendance had seen it. P Henderson will post the next meeting on the site to find out if it is worthwhile project.

Mr S Barton contacted Hilary Thomson of P& K regarding the amount of correspondence that the Community Council was expected to deal with. She has delegated this matter to Stephen Rankin who is happy to attend a Community Council meeting. He could not attend tonight's meeting and cannot make our next meeting at Kinnaird. We will continue to give dates of our meetings.

The chairman asked all councillors to have a read of the new proposed constitution as any change to our Inchtute Community Council Constitution requires that a written request is brought to the attention of, and requires the acceptance of a formal meeting of the Community Council within a minimum of ten days before the A G M. Changes require to be formally proposed and seconded. The next meeting of the Community Council before our A G M in May will be at Kinnaird 1st April it is the chairman's hope to have the formalities of this proposed change brought to the Kinnaird meeting. An informal discussion of the proposed change to the constitution was aired by the chair and he will contact the members before the next meeting to discuss the matter.

DATE of NEXT MEETING

1st April 2010 Kinnaird Church starting 7.30pm