MINUTES OF TROON COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

 HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS ON TUESDAY 5/11/19

SEDERUNT-TCC members- H,Duff, J. Thornhill, D Graham, D. Barr, E. Williamson, K. Workman, N. Power, L. Mathieson, M, Togneri, R. Milligan, A. Cameron, G. Mulveny, F. Carson, N. Alexander, I. Girvan.

 P. Scully, P. Saxton, C. Mackay, B. Pollock, P.Convery, Sgt. Dean Barlas, Chief Inspector B. Anderson.

Members of the public.

H. Duff opened meeting and introduced Troon Television Crew and explained that no voice recordings would be taken.

APOLOGIES- B. Phillips.

Marr Students Olivia and Rosie- School Captains discussed appointment of new Head of Music- Mr. Bailey, Prelims starting soon. Thursday 7/11- David Dickson- certificate of merit commemorating World War 1.

10/10-annual young singers competition, was successful, 14/10-fundraiser for Cystic Fibrosis raised £600. Children in need happening soon. Halloween Disco-good event.

Rotary competition, Parent’s evening, and Christmas dances all organised by 6th year’s.

Marr rugby team won semi finals. D. Graham congratulated them on behalf of TCC.

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Proposed by N. Power, seconded by M. Togneri.

OPEN FORUM-

P. York discussed roundabout at Lang Road-dangerous-too high, discussed going back to traffic lights and the ‘vote’ which happened in October. She requested this be ‘tidied up’. H. Duff explained that it has been passed for traffic lights and it should be tidied up.

Cllr. Pollock explained this had been deferred before the summer holidays. P. York stated that this would ‘freeze traffic’ and cause problems, due to no other exit. D. Graham reiterated that this went to Public vote and the whole of Barassie and Troon were consulted and the decision was made. Cllr Pollock stated that it has not been adopted by SAC. E. Williamson discussed weeds. Cllr Pollock discussed the growth of weeds was ‘deliberate’ to slow traffic down. H. Duff suggested a letter be sent to Stewart Milne homes.

I.Wilson spoke on behalf of the tenants of Bradan Road sheltered housing-lighting regarding the back lane and requested 2 lamposts. H. Duff requested Cllr Convery to speak with ARA in morning.

T. McAvenna discussed Portland park Lane and finding ‘needles’. D. Graham advised to report this, Sgt Barlas encouraged to report any findings to Police Scotland. P. Scully advised that Mr McAvenna could be provided with Sharps kit-community safety, Sgt Barlas informed Police Scotland all have sharps kits.

F Girvan requested an update regarding Glennon Brothers and discuused used waste and Cruising Club parking. I, Girvan -not effective getting rid of rubbish, asked if SAC could help. H.Duff and D. Graham will do a ‘site visit’.

Cllr Pollock stated ARA are satisfied of cleanliness, suggested an email, TCC decided against this and D. Graham and R. Milligan will continue with site visit. Cllr Pollock stated gulleys are cleaned every 3 months. roads daily. F. Girvan -clean are working-safe working practices (Health & Safety Act).

G. Mulveny spoke of Wintertainment 17/11/19 he introduced I. Gardiner from Fire department. We have permission for parade and car park, Rolls Royce -Tony Peters, Classic fire tender, Fire Service museum, I. Gardiner- heritage trust-living museum. Parade meet at 12pm on Templehill. TCC members-aware of route- yellow jackets to move people along out of the road, programmes out at end of week, Ayrshire Media informed, 3.30 community singing prior to ‘switch on’. Live @ Troon -buskers. Cllr Pollock asked about road closure, Sgt Barlas- not officially. Banners being done, 10 kilted men to escort Gala Queen and Princess. SAC requested to wear Christmas jumpers/ties/hats. K. Workman asked if advertised on social media, l. Mathieson-yes. J. Thornhill

Asked about information where first aid box will be. H. duff discussed the hairdressers-The Works, All councillors Police, helpers are welcome to a table of drinks and sandwiches, also a balloon archway will be provided. M. Togneri informed Spider Monkey are providing similar. H, Duff informed Seagate Church also providing free drinks etc. I. Girvan has paid for dresses for Councillors, and also volunteered his wife Fiona. D. Barr discussed Mrs. Claus will not be in a room this year, G. Mulveny informed R. Young-photographer-Ayrshire media.

Cllr Convery will speak with I. Wilson after meeting regarding dark areas.

POLICE REPORT- Sgt D. Barlas introduced Chief Inspector B. Anderson, he then discussed a separate sheet with breakdown of crimes, also traffic planning at fireworks for next year in talks with Round Table. D. Barr congratulated parking arrangements for Pumpkin Trail-well organised. Cllr Pollock thanked the Police team on behalf of everyone. Cllr Mackay discussed broken glass at Marr College-Dundonald Road. J. Thornhill discussed the broken windows at Muirhead Primary. E. Wiliamson discussed double yellow lines and 4x4 parking on Portland Street, Sgt Barlas asked that she contact SAC. D. Barr asked about Struthers Primary, Sgt Barlas informed possible car park created possible one way system. F. Carson discussed Kids drinking at the burn and Muirhead and the possibility of lights. Cllr Pollock informed that it is not a ‘recognised path.

Chief Inspector B. Anderson spoke of his history and that he has been in post since June. E. Williamson informed Troon is very lucky and that the force is a credit to all.

TREASURERS REPORT- read by J Thornhill in absence of W. Barr.

CORRESPONDENCE-J Thornhill -Troon Secret Santa requested donation of £50 and no blue teddies please D. Barr to buy £50 worth of goodies.

SAC REPORTS

Cllr Convery-toilet blocks South Beach-looking to bring to better standard-damp walls, damp old urinals.

D. Graham informed of Planning application for extension to Kiosk.

Cllr Convery -panel on Thursday 14/11- traffic regulation order-10.00 a.m. Ayr County Buildings=r. Milligan and D. Graham to attend.

Cllr Pollock-ARA-Thursday regarding Parking-footpaths on promenade and the island outside Ivy Cottage.

Cllr Mackay-Pumpkin trail-recognition for Donna Read, tickets- lessons to be learned for next year-local shops for local people first and toilets assured to be open until 8pm.North Shore Road-resurfacing in 2 weeks-Barassie bank Lane.

Cllr Saxton-Toilets North Shore road=opening 18/11. Gardens Templehill-some work-site visit date to be confirmed with Ian and Fiona Girvan. Costing for repairs £20,000- next meeting January. Look at Common Good Fund? I. Girvan thanked Cllr Saxton.

D. Barr-bushes at Marr bridge.

J. Thornhill regarding 40mph signage at new housing estate- Cllr Saxton informed going up tomorrow.

Muirhead Activity centre- 10 a.m.

Parking charges-January.

H.Duff asked all 4 Councillors about Remembrance day and possible use of Walker Halls if weather bad.Cllr Saxton looking into this.

Discussion had again about responsibility for lights on path to Marr from Muirhead-F. Carson, Cllr Mackay0ngoing debate, cycle/sustrans put in existing lights. J. Thornhill suggested the land belongs to Marr Trust- possibility of common Good Fund, ARA and SAC. N. Power discussed car parking at Marr and this not being used causing congestion. A. Cameron asked about road markings-Portland street, Cllr Pollock asked if this has been reported to SAC. D. Barr-gardens Hunter Crescent-when are they getting done? E. Williamson asking how many houses can Troon take? Cllr Convery answered another 750. D. Graham stated this is not on development plan.

OTHER REPORTS

5 past 10 car park Troon primary for parade for Remembrance day, apologies from D. and W. Barr, 6 councillors will attend H..Duff, D. Graham, J. Thornhill, K. Workman, A, Cameron, I. Girvan.

Lesley Jeffries-attended MTRA-contingency officer-Contingency planning group.

H. Duff NHS and SAC attend next meeting- Mental Health elderly.

AOCB

M. Togneri-asked about bridge at Dundonald Road-report. And about lights in COSTA car park.

D. Graham-Pumpkin trail-superb job suggested write letter of thanks to Donna Read, H. Duff emailed Donna Read regarding tickets. L. Mathieson informed tickets raised £1,000.

N. Power apologies for next meeting. H. Duff- new nursing home plans-passed-£63 million. R. Milligan asked if toilets will be open for Wintertainment-yes.

H. Duff closed meeting

Next meeting Tuesday 3/12/19