



Langside, Battlefield and Camphill Community Council

Meeting on Monday 6th December 2022 @ 7.00pm

From the constitution:

The objectives of the community council shall be to:

- (a) gather and articulate the views of the community which it represents
- (b) express fairly the views, diversity of opinions and outlooks of the community to Glasgow City Council; and other public/private organisations
- (c) act as a voice for their local area on any matters affecting their community's lives, welfare and environment
- (d) liaise with other community groups within their local area
- (e) take any such action in the interests of the community as appears to be practicable
- (f) promote the well-being of the community and to foster community spirit.

1. Note attendance, apologies.

Attendees

Councillors - Claire Conaghan / Russell Ecob/ Christine Jess / Alistair King / Evelyn Silber / Laurence Weir

Apologies – Suzanne McCheyne / Ola Pawluk

Visitors –Ewan McIntyre, website designer.

2. Approve minutes of last meeting

All agreed to approve minute of the meeting in November.

3. Matters arising from last meeting

Further to last meeting's discussion on the poor process on the Liveable Neighbourhoods consultation, CJ had spoken with Derek Dunsire of GCC, who had welcomed any comments from the CC. CJ had put together a set of comments and this had been submitted on behalf of the CC. A response was awaited.

CJ had sent preamble for website to Ewan McIntyre.

4. Community Police report

Community police not present.

5. Councillor's report

Councillor not present due to further communication mix-up.

AK to ensure notifications of changes to Tuesday were getting to GCC Councillors and Community Police.

6. Area Partnership Report

ES had attended Area Partnership meeting at which had discussed various investment packages to be spent in the area. There was a need for this to be fully quantified. ES noted there used to be a tracker that recorded the ENV2 money that had been accrued from the area, timescales for expenditure and how it had been spent. An update should be requested from GCC.

There was a danger that this would be spent on projects at other end of the Partnership area and LBCCC should be making case for needs in our area. LBCCC needed a project to submit and a few options were discussed: Glass houses in Queens Park; Administration Building within the Victoria site. In all cases these would need a future use to be agreed and this may need to come from the community. We needed further ideas on engaging with the community and this could be at the launch of the website.

The proposals for setting up Citizens' Panels remained unclear although there were currently three pilot projects underway – one in Pollok. Bernadette Moynihan was responsible for setting up the panels. This could be discussed further with Susan Aitken who was due to visit at the February meeting and we should make contact with her in January to request discussion on this be on the agenda.

There had been no discussion on work to pavements and roads though Stephen Docherty had questioned priorities following resurfacing work carried out to Overdale Street. Also, the need for more cycle storage units.

7. Correspondence

Number of items received through correspondence which was being sent direct to all community councillors.

8. Treasurer's report

Annual accounts had contained a minor error but this had been corrected by Suzie and re-sent to Steven Dowling. Laurence Weir was now signatory for the CC bank account along with Suzie and Evelyn.

ES had sent through final set of accounts for Library Garden project as conclusion to separating the project from the CC.

9. Planning report

No further notification had been noted on the 32 Mansionhouse Road application nor on the mast adjacent to QP gates.

10. Licensing report

There was further discussion on the application from French Monkey on Sinclair Drive for extended hours. There may be question of noise / music causing disturbance to neighbours above and across from the café but they would be notified directly and could make objections.

Recent changes in Airbnb regulations were noted.

11. Library garden project update

The Library Garden Project had now been established and independent of Community Council. The potential for decoration of the gable at the garden had

been raised and this was likely to be sent as part of the consultation of the community.

12. Queens Park Working group

Updates are being forwarded by QPWG with Bob Marshall continuing to be involved. The group was concentrating on applications for grants for a development plan seeking these through the Area Partnership.

13. CC items / Website

Ewan MacIntyre joined the meeting to confirm final updates on the interactive map prototype and gave a further demonstration. The drop down menu had been developed and preamble information with FAQs added as guidance. It had been agreed that there should be a formal launch but it would also develop after up and running with priorities and comments from local people.

The process for checking and inputting information needed to happen regularly – probably monthly. There needed to be immediacy as community would not use unless it was current. Links with GCC services would need to be shown and these chased up for action.

Ewan had submitted fee and this was being processed.

There was need to increase our presence and activity on various on-line platforms as discussed at last meeting for each of Facebook page, website and interactive map. The website was currently not being serviced and more correspondence and minutes etc needed to be uploaded. Further discussion to the timescale for launch early in 2023 at February meeting.

Alistair had offered to update the poster and would look to doing this for the 2023 meetings.

14. Other

Evelyn noted that the hard copies of the Langside Heritage Trail and Battle of Langside booklets were now out of print. She was looking at updating for a reprint and would welcome any suggestions for additions to supplement the content.

15. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting to be held on **Tuesday 7th February 2023 at Finn's Place at 7.00pm.**

Councillor rota: The rota for GCC councillors:

Tuesday February 7th Meeting – Cllr Susan Aitken

Tuesday March 7th Meeting – Cllr Paul Leinster

Tuesday April 4th Meeting – Cllr Stephen Docherty

Tuesday May 2nd Meeting – Cllr Holly Bruce

January 2023 – No meeting