

## **Banknock, Hags & Longcroft Community Council**

### **Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2007**

#### **In Attendance -**

A Little	Chairperson
J Blackwood	Secretary
A O'Donnell	Member
G Binnie	Member
C Wilson	Member
I Taylor	Community Police
K Marshall	Community Police
4 Members of the Public	

#### **Apologies -**

L Graham – S McArthur – M Pollock

#### **Minutes of the Previous Meeting –**

The minutes of the meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> February 07 were agreed as a true account of that meeting.

#### **Business Arising –**

Water on Kilsyth Road adjacent to clinic – A O'Donnell to speak to enquire at Bankview Nursing Home to try and establish if they own the land where the pond is situated.

Parking at Denny Tipper yard and Holland Bush – Constable Taylor has spoken to staff members of both establishments and hopefully this will eliminate the problem.

#### **Reports –**

Constable Taylor – Since our last meeting there was a drop in reported crime in the area. Reported crimes were, Community Centre window broken – Car windscreen broken at Denny Tipper's yard – Road rage assault – House thefts in Hags and Banknock – House in Banknock sprayed – Road traffic offences, i.e. speeding, mobile phone use, vehicle defects.

Chairman – The planning department had refused Link Housing’s proposal to build at the Station Road site, discussions on the site across from the Masonic were on going.

**Correspondence** –

Cowdenhill Quarry – Postwatch Scotland – Transport Strategy 06 – 09 – Planning Reform and Community Engagement – Planning Framework – Development Plan Scottish Parliament – National Spring Clean –Falkirk Council and Committee Minutes – Planning and Transportation Bulletins.

**Any Other Competent Business** –

It was proposed the secretary write a letter to retiring MSP Dennis Canavan thanking him for the tremendous work carried out by him in our area.

A question was raised on breast screening and the need for local women having to travel to Camelon for this service. The secretary to investigate the possibility of the van being sited at the Community Centre car park.

**Next Meeting – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April 07 at 6.30pm in the Banknock Community Centre.**