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EAST RENFREWSHIRE COUNCIL

A meeting of the East Renfrewshire Council will be held on **Wednesday 28 April 2021 at 7.00 pm.**

The agenda of business is as listed below.

Please note this is a virtual meeting.

Yours faithfully

Caroline Innes

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PROGRAMME OF BUSINESS

1. **Report apologies for absence.**
2. **Declarations of Interest.**
3. **Submit for approval as a correct record the Minute of meeting of the Council held on 25 February 2021.**
4. **Submit for approval as a correct record the Minute of meeting of the Council held on 15 March 2021.**

5. **Submit for approval as a correct record the Minutes of meetings for the period 26 February to 27 April 2021.**

6. **Notices of Motion**

Consider Notice of Motion in the following terms:-

“This motion requests that East Renfrewshire Council instruct officers to proactively seek Fields in Trust status for the recreational area commonly known as the 'lower playing fields and woods' (Area 2 - see attached Map) that adjoin the existing King George V Playing Field (Giffnock), known as ‘Huntly Park’ (Area 1 - see attached Map).

Huntly Park was transferred by the First District Council to itself as trustees for King George’s Field Foundation (King George V pitches). This dedicates the area in all time coming for the purposes of a playing field for public recreation. Under the terms of the agreement, no buildings shall be erected except residences for park keepers, gardeners or pavilions, dressing rooms or shelters in connection with recreation purposes and East Renfrewshire Council cannot sell or dispose of any part without consent of Scottish Committee of the National Playing Fields Association.

The lower playing fields and associated woods are not afforded the same protection leaving them to an uncertain future, where their inestimable value as a resource that has helped and may continue to help underpin the health and wellbeing of countless generations, remains under constant threat of development in pursuit of the short-term interests of just one”

Submitted by Councillor Wallace and Councillor Grant.

7. **Statements by Conveners/Representatives on Joint Boards/Committees.**
8. **Equality and Human Rights Mainstreaming – Report by Deputy Chief Executive (copy attached, pages).**

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