

## **Eaglesham & Waterfoot Community Council**

*08 March 2022 Meeting*

Attending: Ann McNair, David Macaskill, Cllr Caroline Bamforth, Niall Rachman, Duncan Macintyre, Freya Young

Apologies: Christine Balloch, Steven McMenamin, Cllr Jim MacLean

### **Previous Minutes:**

Read by Niall Rachman (Chair). Proposed by David, Seconded by Duncan.

### **Police Report:**

Read out by Niall. Crime remains low. Report to be placed onto Community Facebook group.

### **Councillors' updates / Points:**

#### **Caroline Bamforth:**

Roads – 24<sup>th</sup> meeting for roads approved for resurfacing / works.

Bollards on Ayr Road – Always going to be temporary. Funding was provided via Sustrans (Scottish Government) and ends on 31/03/2022. Funding covered cleaning, snow ploughs etc. Consultation showed that majority of people are in favour of a permanent segregation and will be looked at by council in due course. Options will come to cabinet in June 2022 for suggestions including Kerb stone segregation. Spaces for people are undertaking the surveys to look at keeping cyclist safe.

Charging Points – Update last week. Saga ongoing with BP Pulse in relation to warranties. Eaglesham charge point needs a part, which is proving difficult due to supply problems (shortage). Not going to be imminently replaced. ERC continuing dialogue. Caroline has asked for this to be prioritised due to layout of village not allowing for charge points at houses.

Other – Council carrying on as usual. Purder starts next week and will be in place until June 2022. Council will be working, but less big decision will be made. IT is down at ERC.

Jim Mclean sends his apologies and there are no updates from him currently.

### **CC Member Updates:**

#### **David Macaskill:**

Lisa McCulloch – Annual grant has been given to the EWCC. £318.00 has been awarded. Freya using fund for the Food Larder.

**Freya Young:**

Food Larder is needing replaced. Has been blown over / knocked over. Same type of larder will be ordered to replace this.

More volunteers are required for the Food Larder.

AOE fund is being used for food.

3 volunteers (+ Freya) currently working in the larder.

Fair has announced dates for quizzes, walks etc. We will advertise this on the Facebook page.

**Niall Rachman:**

No comments.

**Duncan Macintyre:**

Suggestion of “Meet your councillor” event after the next election.

NPF4 – Attended alongside CCs, Counsellors etc. Most recent one attended was about concept of interactive central belt. Discussions regarding Green Belt. 20-minute community concept was discussed. Raised the fact that bus didn’t appear in the NPF document. CC has opportunity to put in a response – our proposed response would be green belt importance and integration of buses being joined up across the board. Received permission from Community Council to submit response.

Ivan Broussine has been discussed talking about replacement to LEADER fund. Ivan has been tasked with assessing the needed around the local area, what may be applied for. Came to Duncan via Whitelee. Ivan is looking for suggestions for kind of things that communities need to increase the concept of tourism, green spaces etc across the board.

**Members of public invited to speak:**

Ann McNair: Contacted Jim McLean for TREE to contact to get a brown bin. TREE put in contact with someone in the council, put in touch with neighbourhood support officer.

Eglinton arms hotel would keep the bin. Bin has been rejected due to the fact that the bins are residential only. Suggestion of going to Barrhead to dump rubbish – not feasible for TREE to do so.