Kincorth and Leggart Community Council

Minutes of meeting held on 12th October 2015 at our Lady of Aberdeen Catholic Church , Provost Watt Drive , Aberdeen

Present; Graham Bennett Chairman, Hazel Park Treasurer, Alex Park Vice Chairman, Iris Bennett, Councillor Andy Findlayson , Sergeant Magnus Smith

Apologies; Catherine Cowie, Billy Cowie, Hannah Park, Councillor Steven Flynn

**Police report;** Sergeant Smith reported there had not been much serious crime to report. Four attempted /break ins of sheds, garages etc. A high value mountain bike had been stolen.

Spread the word (possibly on our web page) to ensure sheds, houses and cars are locked. Some juveniles were in custody for causing problems at the shops. The school had been broken into. Road traffic operations were still being continued and a drug driver had been caught with crack cocaine on him.

**Community Wardens;** There were no wardens in attendance this month.

**All Wheeled Skate Park;** Graham had an updatefrom KarenRennie via the legal team. It was not expected that we will be able to recoup funds. None was happy with this conclusion. It was suggested we look into it again in the future.

**Website;** Catherine had uploaded new photos

**Christmas Lights;** Catherine had correspondence from Steve McHaffie to advise that the lights could be erected by 15th November. We decided that our preferred light switch on date would be the 2nd December. There was no decision made about a person to switch on the lights. No update was available re-funding from Callum McCaig as Steven was not able to attend the meeting tonight.

**South of the River Update;** Acknowledgement letter of our comments re planning was received for planning applications Ref; P151082.

**Corespondence;**

Sarco Aberdeen Open Day- this has now passed

Patient Advice & Support Service Event – this has now passed

Kincorth Learning Partnership Invite, advised re date change New Date Thursday 5th November @ 10.00am

Public Panel Members Wanted – Out of date 5th October

Keep Scotland Beautiful – Online survey [www.keepscotlandbeautiful.org/yourvoiceatparis](http://www.keepscotlandbeautiful.org/yourvoiceatparis)

Amazing things – Wider Achievement for Young People

October Holidays Programme. – Timetable attached

Aberdeen City Council – New Library Opening Hours at Kincorth

Mon 9am – 7pm, Tuesday 9am – 5.00pm,Wed 9.00am – 5.00pm, Thursday 9.00am – 5.00pm

Friday 9.00am -5.00pm and Saturday 10.00am – 1.00pm

New Lane Closure Imposed – Wellington Road – date past (Catherine had posted on Facebook)

Proposal of Application Notice (PAN) – Energy from Waste Facility , East Tullos Industrial Estate.

Letter from Angela Scott Chief Executive re complaint from Mr Parrot

Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland, comments on proposals can be submitted through the website, [www.consultation.lgbc-scotland.gov.uk](http://www.consultation.lgbc-scotland.gov.uk)

Changes to Waste Recycling Services – We were advised that there were to be on street communal bins for general waste, which will be emptied weekly. This is to start in the next few weeks. Lots of discussion at meeting and the conclusion was to invite Hannah Lynch the Waste Strategy Officer for Aberdeen City Council to give a presentation as there were many unanswered questions. Ask if can attend December 10th meeting. Graham is to email to invite Hannah to our meeting on 10th December.

Trails to take place on Gardiner Road – Even no’s and Gardiner Crescent odd no’s

**Treasurers Report;** £2183.76 in bank at this time

**Reports;** The minutes from Community Council Forum were made available to read

**AOCB;** Graham made the following statement

Councillor Findlayson advised that there was no date available for a walkabout at this time

Councillor Findlayson advised that he was still awaiting details re HMO’s

Before closing I would like to thank all of our Councillors and Community Council members past and present for their hard work. You can all be very proud of our achievements, especially Catherine our secretary. It has been a pleasure and an honour to have been Chairperson over the last term. Thank you.

Date of next meeting which will be the AGM Monday 9th November