

Duncairn Community Partnership
Programme Reference Group
Minutes of the Meeting held 1 March 2019 in Intercomm

Present:

Leeanne Marshall (DCP)	Clare McMillan (IFI)
John Chittick (DOJ)	Sandra Buchan (DOJ)
Philip Agnew (Jennymount Meth)	Gail Green (NIHE)
Martin Hamilton (NHA)	Sam Blair (New Beginnings)
Simon Nixon (PSNI)	Georgie xx(New Beginnings)
Billy Millen (PSNI)	John Russell (PSNI)
Brian Caskey (Limestone Utd)	Gerard O'Reilly (DCP)
Anthony McKenna (NIHE)	Kate Clarke (DCP)
Monina O'Prey (IFI/MA)	Lynsey Robinson (TEO)
Ciarán Shannon (DCP)	Harry Smith (DCP)
Conor Maskey (Intercomm/DCP)	

Minutes: Janet (DCP)

Action

Meeting chaired by CM

1. **Apologies, Minutes and Matters Arising**

Apologies – Rab McCallum (NBIN), Maria Valenta (Star NB), Anthony Kerr (NHA), Michelle Hand (BCC)

2. **Minutes from Previous Meeting**

No points not covered in the agenda. Proposed by PA and seconded by KC that the minutes from the previous meeting (18 Jan 19) were a true account.

3. **Site Updates**

Adam Street

DCP met with D Murphy, Business Manager NB Business Centre who has submitted EOI regarding Adam Street. Plans connecting to retail units, not residential.

Alexandra Park

Meeting took place with Nigel Grimshaw and Ryan Black. Agreed to gain political support and forward draft development plan after elections in May. Possible further consultation.

N Grimshaw had met with M McAvoy with no further updates.

PSNI confirmed a small number of ASB incidents and arranged fights in and around the Limestone area and while they are conducting preventative work and intervention now it will eventually get to the stage where enforcement is the only remaining option; this was agreed by all.

Resources remain the challenge with reductions in the community team, the need to prioritise and build community confidence. Meeting to be arranged with Kelly Moore to discuss further.

CS

Hillman Court

Consultant appointed and planning permission closed. Leaflet had been completed by DOJ but had not been distributed however it was shared at the Tigers Bay PACT meeting. Correspondence had also been received from the DUP raising concerns about the consultation process. Discussions took place regarding the leaflet being discussed with individual groups in advance; it was felt that this was outside the agreement of the 14 Mar 18. DOJ believed it necessary to connect with all groups and political parties in the area. BCC were forwarding an additional letter to residents with regards to the height of the fence. Concerns were raised about these matters becoming more divisive than necessary and the move away from the agreed processes and frivolous objections not being fully justified which were deliberately delaying the progress. The New Beginnings group advised on their progress in working with the community.

NQS

GG confirmed new drawings being completed and the architect gave an overview of the designs. Consultation to take place with residents on either 11 or 18 Mar. JC confirmed that a meeting was taking place in the week beginning 4 Mar regarding the business case for aftercare package where attempts would be made to have the work completed prior to NIHE commencing work. CS advised that the community consent for NQS was based on an aftercare package being in place in advance of any physical change. JC to feed back details after the meeting and also confirmed the priority projects as Hillman Court, NQS and Woodvale.

JC

Parkside

JC confirmed the decision on the fence was currently on hold, meeting with Perm Sec to be arranged.

Hallidays Road

Survey to take place conducted by LM/CS re extended opening times; JC asked for confirmation of the process; it was agreed that DOJ would accompany DCP in completion of the survey.

CS/DOJ

4. **Strategic Planning and Programmes**

Youth / Resident Engagement

Events continue with opportunities for all to attend. Overview of Limestone Utd Winter League programme was given which has engaged with over 120 participants.

5. **Stats Update**

PSNI Report

As noted above.

DOC

Nothing further.

DOJ

Nothing further

NIHE

Nothing further.

IFI

Nothing further.

BCC

None.

6. **Political Engagement**

DUP to confirm date of meeting. Follow up meetings to take place with SDLP and Sinn Féin.

7. **PR/Promotion**

Articles for inclusion in magazine requested.

8. **AOB**

DCP holding a strategic planning residential in March which will address better ways to connect with other groups and promotion.

9. **DONM**

Friday 10 May 2019 at 10am in Intercomm.

All