

Our Monday 7th September 2020 Agenda and Business meeting discussion topics combined are:

Welcome

GCC Chair CClr Ponton thanked her team for their attendance through email and expressed her gratitude to the owners of the Village shop, to all villagers and many others for their valued help at this troubled time in our community.

Attendance through email: CClr Ponton, CClr Fraser, CClr Pilmer, CClr Horsman, CClr Duncan, CClr Warder, G.Christie Minutes Secretary

- 1. Apologies** - none to report due to Covid-19 public gathering restrictions
- 2. Approval of last business meeting Minutes.** Proposer CClr Pilmer, Seconder CClr Fraser

3. Action Points update:

Crash barriers

Feedback carried forward to the next Business meeting. *PKC Cllr Purves*

Greenbank Crescent

Feedback carried forward to the next Business meeting. *PKC Cllr Robertson*

Footpath from Ladeside to Elm Lane

Feedback carried forward to the next Business meeting. *PKC Cllrs*

G.Christie co-opted CClr

Feedback carried forward to next business meeting. *CCllr Pilmer*

Christmas Lighting

CCllr Fraser reported. The eight new festive lights have been delivered to the PKC depot and the invoice handed to the Treasurer for settling. The 'commando' sockets have been fitted to the eight columns on the South end of Main Street. We are now in a position for the lights to be fitted along with the North end of Main Street and these should provide an excellent display.

Covid Response

CCllr Fraser reported. Following receipt of funding from the 'Local Action Partnership' in the sum of £320.00; 700 disposable masks, 400 disposable gloves and 8 bottles of hand sanitizer were purchased for use by villagers when using the

village shop. These resources are now expended and a further approach for additional funding requires consideration of the Community Council.

Glenfarg Website

Cllr Fraser reported. This topic has been suspended meantime whilst we allow the impact of the lockdown to ease.

20MPH limits in our area

Cllr Pilmer reported that the request to instigate 20mph speed restrictions within the confines of the village had been approved by PKC and that we shall see speed reduction amendments to a number of roads. The extension and amendment of the southbound approach to the village (currently a 40mph) is to be addressed by PKC,

4. Planning report

Cllr Duncan stated that there were planning matters to be notified publicly.

5. Police Report

Cllr Pilmer stated that there were no serious crimes within our community to report. Police Scotland's Area Commander's Bulletins are added to the Grapevine FB on a weekly basis. Additionally, there was a request by our GCC Chair for Speed Monitoring to be carried out by our local Police Scotland Community Policing Team (CPT). This followed complaints by residents and one business owner about the speed of all types of traffic through the village, especially on Main Street. Police Scotland CPT will carry this out on an ongoing basis.

6. Finance Report

Cllr D.Horsman stated:

TREASURER REPORT 7th September 2020

1. GCC – BALANCE ON ACCOUNT £424

Income – Nil

Expenditures – Cllr Expenses £40

2. GCC NEWSLETTER ACCOUNT – BALANCE £10 099

This balance is made up as follows :

Newsletter Microgrant Nursing

		Fund	
		£	£
At 6 th July 2020	8 138	1 595	4 011
Income	320	Nil	Nil
Expenditures/payments	3 065	Nil	Nil
	<u>5 393</u>	<u>1 595</u>	<u>4 011</u>

Income/Expenditures since last meeting:

Newsletter:

Income – P&KC Covid Grant £320

Expenditures – Covid Supplies £297 Christmas Light Storage £374 Purchase of Christmas Lights £2 293

Microgrant:

Income – Nil

Expenditures – Nil

3. SCHOOL FUND £141

No Change

TOTAL FUNDS HELD £11 564 at 7th September 2020

7. AOCB

Defibrillator

CCllr Fraser reported that the defibrillator has been checked and returned to service following its recent use. A replacement standby battery pack/pad set has been sourced and will be put in place shortly.

56 Bus route

CCllr Ponton reported that discussions with PKC Transport department are still ongoing in consideration of the service. It was noted too that feedback from Glenfarg residents was reported too. CCllr Ponton was advised that PKC Transport department will notify us of what the service will be although we have not been

notified of an implementation date. Nevertheless, the GCC will make public any announcement in due course.

East OHL upgrade

CCllr Pilmer reported that he had received correspondence from SSE in relation to an upgrade planned for the main East Coast OHL (Overhead transmission line) to the west of the village. Whilst it is not expected that the upgrade work will have an impact on the village itself it was noted that residents, who live in proximity to or have land that the East Coast OHL passes through/over, have been notified.

Glenfarg Hotel

It was reported by a member of the public (by email) that the former Glenfarg Hotel was put up for disposal through a Public Auction (PA). Cllr Robertson of PKC has been notified about the building with regard to its exterior and that what was once a successful and established business is being left to decline.

Close of meeting Monday 7th September at 9:00pm

Next proposed GCC Business Meeting is Monday 2nd November 7:00pm. To be confirmed.