

# Barr Community Council

## Minutes

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 2023 7.00pm Barr Village Hall

**Present:** Tom Walker (TW), Maggie Bunnett (MB), John Bunnett (JB), Hamish Denham (HD), Rob Newsham (RN), Wendy Gillon (WG), Ed Connon (EC)

**In Attendance:** SAC Tracy Whiteford (TWSac), Cllr Gavin Scott (GS), Jane Grainger (JG), Neil Grainger (NeilG), Christine Stuart (CS), Kieron Stuart (KS), Tim Hollings (TH), Patrick Gardner (PG), Isabel Kay (IK), Neil Gillon (NG),

<i>Item</i>	<i>Minute</i>	<i>Action</i>
1	Sederunt: as above.	
2	Declaration of Interest on Agenda items: (EC) SACT (MC) SCCAN	
3	Apologies: Lesley McCleary, Alan Lamont, Jill Tomlinson	
Private	<p>Chair (TW) took meeting Private and asked Public to leave while CC heard a complaint. Outcome of hearing: Following a complaint a member of Barr Community Council was censured and a vote of no confidence was passed by majority due to breach of the scheme.</p> <p>As per scheme a formal letter will be sent by Recorded Delivery with length of censure</p> <p>Meeting returned to a Public Meeting at 7.40pm</p>	(MB)
4	Police Report – None received.	
5	<p>Minutes of the previous meeting: Item 5/6 – circulate FS TOR comments sent to FS 9. (HD) confirmed he used the words reported, minutes accepted</p> <p>The minutes circulated were proposed by (HD) and 2<sup>nd</sup> (JB)</p>	
6	Matters arising from minutes not included in agenda	
7	<p>Treasurers Report Bank balance £6117.99 Carrick Futures £5000 due in</p> <p>Planning report: Nothing to report Bus Consultation: SACT leave running and review</p> <p>Outstanding: Road lining at bottom of Glenginnet Road and junction with Changue Road has still not been done. Whilst there are no stop signs, the marking is so faint that due care is not be exercised at this junction which is further hampered by parked cars.</p> <p>Banking at The Clachan has been cut but the shrubs have not yet been trimmed (Lmcc) reported that the shrubs/trees at Alton Albany bridge on way onto village are still causing a sightline obstruction, (GS) offered to take up with SAC/Kenny Dalrymple. Land ownership might be the issue. Outstanding</p> <p>(GS) Chasing.</p>	GS        GS
8	<p>Website – proposed wording for review discussed. (TW) read out and will post on website. Proposed (RN) 2<sup>nd</sup> (HD) (WG) asked for all groups to be included. (MB) groups including SCIO can share with any other groups not currently on website. Open to all</p>	

	8b. MSP mitigation asked that all CC correspondence go via CC email address. As none had been received and only 2 sent this is not up to CC to sort. Fault at MSP office. Passed Unanimous.	
9	Correspondence: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. SDG Trail, Biosphere email re signs being installed over the winter, more information to follow</li> <li>2. SACT Out &amp; About Programme, Information published on SACT website and Facebook. Check if they put copies on CB8 Bus. Any trips collect in Girvan.</li> <li>3. Email from SPT about Active Travel Strategy consultation live online</li> <li>4. SCCAN email, Scottish Communities Climate Action Network introduction. Thanks and keep us informed</li> <li>5. SCCT, South Carrick Community Transport meeting. (MB) to attend and report back.</li> </ol>	MB
10	Open Forum  (NeilG) – What is happening with the hall. (TW) currently the CC are not taking any comments or action. The CC is not currently part of the project and cannot comment. (HD) we are a conduit to SAC. SAC are locked in discussion with the group run the CAT. We previously agreed to stay impartial at present. (JG) asked (GS) to comment, unable to comment. (MC) SAC/GS are in a difficult situation and cannot offer an opinion until final CAT has been put in. (KS) asked about Hall lets and hours. (MB) volunteered to answer even though it is BCA and not BCC, hours are currently 12 for lets and 7 (over 6 days) for cleaning (toilets). These have been adequate, SAC have covered any hours over this and have not indicated otherwise. A new hallkeeper has been hired but paperwork is holding up his start date.	
11	AOCB  Tracy Whiteford asked about stage 2 panel and (TW) will deal with in private section  CC Dates for meetings 2024 7 meetings proposed including not meeting in January 2024. Prop (MC) 2 <sup>nd</sup> (HD) Agreed  (WG) asked about small grants for January  Motion to convene a special meeting if results from panel or urgent funding required. Secretary to call, discretionary Prop (TW) 2 <sup>nd</sup> (HD) passed	
12	Next Meeting 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2024 7pm Meeting closed 8.25 Private meeting at 8.30pm	