

**GALSTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL
MINUTES OF MEETING 9th May 2017**

Present:-

, Police S. Sclater & N. McKay

Apologies:-

In Attendance EAC: - S. Cogley, G. Mair, E. Whitham

The minutes were proposed by and seconded by

welcomed – Proposed as new Community Council Member by
, Seconded by

Matters Arising: - NIL

Police Report - Update on blue bins – no further information. Crime report read out

EAC Report

G. Mair

Update given on Loudon Castle Estate. Covering information for last update and Planners. Some way away from full updates (not enough info). Not supported by Planning Dept. This has gone back to reporters, Scottish Government.

Long discussion followed on various aspects of Loudon Castle.

Meeting to discuss at Park Suite, Kilmarnock, Friday 12th 2pm. Scottish Government will chair meeting.

asked date when this may be implemented - 2018

E. Whitham

Co-op - Details to be printed and issued to members. Environmental Health to be involved **re ??**

Question asked as to who owns vacant plot in Titchfield Street. advised this is own by Hillhouse Quarry

S. Cogley

Advised there will be 2 debriefs on Cycle race at some point in the future. Especially on improvements/changes that will need to be made for next 2 years.

Question asked – will this be the same company.

There was a long discussion re shambles on how the bike race was organised.

Provost Role to have input to this event. Senior Officers input not questioned, nor referred to Cabinet or Councils.

Update from Craig MacArthur, East Ayrshire re Co-op & Council Chambers. Contractors have been contacted. There should be minimal disruption to shops. S. Cogley has suggested that work be done on nightshift or on Sunday. No planning permission required as this is a dangerous building.

It will take 12 weeks to install new Post Office at Co-op.

Portland Arms starts 15th May – details provided by S. Cogley

19-21 & 23 Bridge Street – dangerous building,

Finance

presented the report

Secretary

Planning Applications

Houses at top of Henrietta Street – 4 semi-detached, 2 blocks and 2 semis

Donations required for Hampers for Summer Fayre before next meeting

Canvass for new members at Summer Fete – vacancy 2

Tesco Bags for Help – application will be made

AOCB - NIL

Date of Next Meeting - 10th June