



LOSSIEMOUTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held in

The Seaview Suite Main Town Hall

On Tuesday 17th June 2008

Sederunt	Mr Bill McLean	Chairman
	Mr Ian White	Vice-Chairman
	Mr Tom Bothwell	
	Ms Kathleen Culyer	
	Mr Des Donaldson	
	Mr Charles French	
	Ms Helen Macintosh	
	Mrs Anna-Mary Overing	
	Ms Joyce Stewart	
	Mr Ken Scofield	Secretary/Treasurer

Present Mr Bill Mclean, Mr Ian White, Mr Tom Bothwell, Mr Des Donaldson, Mr Charles French, Ms Helen McIntosh, Mrs Anna-Mary Overing, Mr Ken Scofield, Cllr David Stewart, Ms Fiona McPherson (The Northern Scot).

The Chairman opened the meeting at 1930hrs after welcoming all those attending.

ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION BY
1	Apologies. Apologies were received from Ms Joyce Stewart, Ms Kathleen Culyer, Cllr Allan Wright and Ms Sarah Riley-Evans.	
2	Minutes of the Previous Meeting. The Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as a true record of that meeting and signed as such by the Chairman.	The Chairman
3	<u>Bus Shelter.</u> Cllr Stewart informed the meeting that the position as far as the bus shelters at the Moray Coast Medical Group had still not been resolved. The firm was querying the cost of the shelter and also wished to use the shelter as an advertising billboard. <u>Speed Limit.</u> The Chairman wished this item to be left until such time as a definitive course of action had been agreed. <u>Lossiemouth Community Magazine.</u> It appeared that the life of this magazine would be short lived as the editor/proprietor's husband had been posted. <u>Grant Park Grassed Area.</u> Mr French informed the meeting that the Tenants Association were trying to arrange a meet with The Moray Council to discuss	

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	<p>options. <u>Marine Park Terrace.</u> The parking and yellow lining at this location was the subject of consultation within The Moray Council.</p>	
4	<p>Planning Applications. No contentious planning applications were considered by the planning sub-committee</p>	
5	<p>Correspondence.</p> <p>The Moray Council - Letter giving details of the programme for Post Office network changes.</p> <p>The Moray Council - Letter giving notice that the owners of Waters Edge were launching an appeal with regard to the refusal of The Moray Council to close a path close to their house.</p> <p>Scottish Government - Letter to the appeals staff outlining objections to the closure of the path at Waters Edge.</p> <p>The Moray Council - Details of the traffic survey carried out adjacent to the Moray Coast Medical Group premises. No details available as some vandal had slashed the pneumatic pipes.</p> <p>Moray Forum Chairman - Letter from Chairman listing aims =, successes and targets for the forum.</p>	
6	<p>Any Other Competent Business.</p> <p><u>Local Area Committees.</u> The Chairman informed the meeting that he had received a document from The Moray Council discussing the establishment of the Area Committees. Although a discussion followed, it was decided to put this matter on the agenda for the next meeting as few of the members had seen the document. The Secretary was to copy to all members the document and place this matter on the agenda for the next meeting.</p> <p><u>Pharmacy.</u> The Secretary, as a member of the Patient Participation Group, informed the meeting that he was in receipt of a letter from the practice manager of the Moray Coast Medical Group requesting views on the relocation of the pharmacy to main building conjoined with the medical group. However, it transpired that it was a fait accompli as the present premises of the Lloyds Pharmacy were up for sale. Although at first the move seemed reasonable concerns were expressed with regard to the processing/dispensing of repeat prescriptions.</p> <p><u>Bicycle Sheds.</u> The bicycle sheds at Hythehill School were the latest targets for the vandals.</p>	The Secretary

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	<p><u>Rabbie Burns Anniversary.</u> 2009 will be the 250th anniversary of the birth of Rabbie Burns. Cllr Stewart informed the meeting that The Moray Council was looking at projects to celebrate the anniversary. The Chairman suggested that members go away and return at the next meeting with possible suggestions.</p> <p><u>Jet Skis.</u> Mr Bothwell addressed the meeting with regard to this matter. It seemed two owners of jet skis had launched their noisy machines in the estuary and had thoroughly enjoyed the outing. However, they had managed, with their noisy machines to scare away all the birds habitually resident on the estuary and disturbed the peace and quiet for those people in the Lossiemouth Bay Caravan Park. He went on to say that as far as he could ascertain there was no law or bye-law with regard to use of jet skis in the estuary. The meeting felt that these jet skis should be used in the Moray Firth adjacent to the Lossiemouth Sailing Centre on the West Beach.</p> <p><u>Lossie Junior Football Club.</u> Cllr Stewart informed the meeting that The Moray Council had made a grant of £4,500.00 towards the cost of erecting the fencing required by the rules of the SFA.</p> <p><i>Secretary's Note: Planning application has been lodged with the council for the erection of the fence.</i></p>	All Members
7	<p>Date and Time of Next Meeting.</p> <p>The next meeting will be held in the Seaview Suite, Town Hall on the 15th July 2008 at 1930hrs.</p>	

There being no further business the meeting closed at 2115hrs.

Signed:Chairman

Date: 15th July 2008