

AUCHTERHOUSE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING No 293

HELD IN THE PARISH HALL ON THURSDAY 17 Oct 2013 at 7.30pm

Present:	Grant Anderson, Shiona Baird, Gavin Christie, John Forster, Helen Smith, Garry Stewart
Apologies:	Linda Cockram, Clive Sayers,
In Attendance:	2 members of the public
Chair:	Shiona Baird

293.1. Chairman's Comments

Shiona welcomed everyone to the meeting.

293.2. Minutes of Meeting No 292

The minute of the last meeting, which had been circulated, was approved.

293.3. Matters Arising

a). Police Matters.

There was no report

b). Road/Traffic Matters

Action to resolve the traffic problem at the entrance to Kirkton of Auchterhouse, beside West View, caused by cars parking on the road in front of the school is ongoing.

Cars continue to travel at excessive speed on the Brae. Sean has agreed to survey this problem using a radar gun.

Speed of traffic on the Avenue is a concern, which will be taken up with Sean.

c). TACTRAN / STPR/NFF2.

Nothing further to report.

d) TAYplan

Nothing further to report.

e). Angus Local Plan

Nothing further to report.

f). Keeping the Public Informed

Garry presented examples of messages for a Welcome card for newcomers and a Christmas card for all residents. Further action will be taken to further tune the messages and to get local photographs.

g). Other Topics

A Strathmartine C C (Local) Flood Forum has been established with Angus Council and drawn up an action plan which includes the need for a Flood Risk Assessment for the area.

The owners of Auchterhouse hill plan to replace the wooden gate onto the hill (on Funnyneuk track) including installing a pedestrian side gate. This is unlikely to be before next year.

293.4. Planning Applications

a). An application for a single garage at the Old Schoolhouse has been lodged. There was no objection.

b). The application for an extension to shooting days at Auchterhouse Country Sports will be heard by Angus Council on 5th November.

293.5. Correspondence Received

a) Angus Council.

Chief Exec Dept. Notification of the date for the next bi-annual meeting on 5th December. Gavin will endeavour to attend.

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Roads Dept. Notification of road/ wall works on C7at Balkello Smithy starting on 21 October and lasting 8 weeks. Diversion signs will be erected.

Acknowledgement from Ian Cochrane, Head of Technical & Property services, to our letter recommending that community councils are always informed of proposed road works for their area in the planning stage, so that comments and suggestions can be fed back to them before work starts.

b) Others

Nil.

293.6. FINANCE

Balance at 30 Sep was £2,234.50.

293.7. OTHER BUSINESS

a) It was agreed that the insurance premium (£106) for cover on Sports Day would be paid by our council.

293.8. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

THURSDAY 21 Nov 2013 at 7.00pm