



Tayport Ferryport -On-Craig Community Council

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE TAYPORT FERRYPORT ON CRAIG COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD IN THE BURGH CHAMBERS ON MONDAY 6th JULY 2009 AT 19:30 HRS

Present: Chair: Mrs J Phin: Secretary: Mr G M Beat: Treasurer: Mr J Kinnear
Mrs J Massie, Mrs H Lowe, Messrs B Davidson, T Gray, C Torrance, Councillor M Taylor,
Councillor R Caird . Chris Hobster – Volunteer with Scotways .

Apologies: Mrs S Walker , Dr N Torrance

Minutes: The Minutes of the meeting held on 1st June were agreed .

Matters Arising: A letter of support for the Auld Kirk grant application was sent .
The Sandyhill site has almost reached adoption . A suggestion was made that a time limit is
included in any conditions to planning applications .

Guest Speaker: Chris Hobster gave a resume' of the work of Scotways – how they aim to preserve , defend
and restore Rights of Way for 160 years and in doing so preserve local history .All routes are
now computerised . A general discussion ref local issues followed and it was agreed that
even with the new Right to Roam Legislation there is still a need for Scotways . Anyone
interested in helping maintain Rights of Way by becoming a Route Warden should contact
Scotways office .

Thanks were expressed to Chris for an interesting and informative presentation .

Comments	Action
Police:	
1. John Steel is the new Sergeant for Taybridgehead area .	
Fife Council and General Correspondence:	
1. Beautiful Fife local judging will take place on 27 th July , Mrs J Massie to meet with the judges .	
2. A choice of topics were made for discussion at the Community Council Seminar.	
3. Scottish Health Council Newsletter – passed to Dr N Torrance .	
4. A Formula has been agreed to regularise Local Holidays in Fife from 2010 .	
5. Bus changes affecting Tayport – the 92 Service will continue to the new St Andrews Health Centre .	
6. The Licence Application for the Ferryport Festival Parade was approved .	
7. The Approval of the Fife Structure Plan 2006 – 2026 was noted .	
8. Fife Council Transportation 2009 Consultation was well attended in Tayport .	
9. Fife Council is making improvements to the street cleaning service .New local Service Teams are being established to take responsibility for all street cleaning functions in the area .	
Planning:	
No Applications this month .	
Fife Councillors Report:	

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The process for the Cemetery extension has begun . 2. The sign required at Victoria Road has been fitted . 3. Fife Police remind householders to secure Garden sheds , garages etc . 4. Some cable laying within Tayport will restrict access on some roads . 5. Harbour phase 2 looks good – planting will take place later this year . 6. Local Councillors have donated towards the Art exhibition in the Auld Kirk . 7. The time used by the Badminton Club at Waterstone Crook is not viable as it is open only for them at that time . 8. No Golf signs have been asked for at Shanwell Road South . 9. Scott and Fyfe are having problems with stray golf balls in the Car Park area . 10. A letter from Mr A Law referring to the Caravan Park will be addressed by the Legal Dept . 11. An application for a Gas Board structure in Scotsraig Drive – more information will be sought . 12. Funds from a Coast and Countryside Development Trust may aid Phase 3 of Harbour Renovations . 	
<p>Questions for Fife Council:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Although the Legal Group are still in discussions , the War Memorial does need some repair . 2. Can the recycling bins at Cross Greens be emptied more frequently . 3. Will the footpath at the Serpentine be made more permanent 4. A loose rail on the steps from Harbour Road to the sea front needs to be fixed . 5. Could the Pond be cleaned out and the water level better regulated . 6. Potholes in Dougall Street outside of the Surgery are in need of repair . 7. When will the repairs to the Ladies toilets at the Harbour be completed and can a more efficient method of opening times be arranged . 8. As tendrils from bushes on the steps from Castle Terrace could be dangerous can they be cut back . 9. What is the review of the Rail Concession Scheme by Fife Council . 	

A.O.C.B.

Councillor R Caird visited Melville Wood Landfill site and suggests a Community Council visit would be useful and informative .

No decision yet on the site of the new Madras College .

Meeting closed at 10.15 pm

Next meeting on 7th September 2009 at 7.30 pm