

## **West End Community Council AGM 2016**

7 June 2016 at Ashfield, 61 Melville Street, Edinburgh EH3 7HL

Present: Jock Miller (Chair), Alan Weddell, Isabel Thom, Gordon Renton, Colin Johnston,

Ian Robertson, Martha Baur, Gordon Wylie In attendance: Chloe Rayner (minutes)

| Discussion   | Action                                       |
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| 1. Apologies and welcome   | Action                                       |
| Apologies were received from Deidre Brock MP, Ruth Davidson MSP,   |  |
| Cllr. Alasdair Rankin, Cllr. Karen Doran   |  |
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| 2. Chairman's Annual Report  |  |
| The Community Council met nine times in the year. with a meeting in June when CEC discussed the Space Standard and a walkabout on July 5th. The main issues related to litter and HMO's.   |  |
| Four consultations took place – Capital Square Office Proposals, Charlotte Chapel Hotel proposals, Roseburn to Leith Walk Cycle Link (CEC), Torphichen Street/Dewar Place Hotel. The Edinburgh School of English came to WECC once.  |  |
| The major planning issues/consultations related to 59 – 60 Belford Road, Donaldson's School, The Haymarket 189 Morrison Street, Charlotte Baptists Church, Springside Fountainbridge, 6-8 King's Stable Road, Mixed Use Development Old Town, Former Royal High School, 62 Morrison Street, West of 2 Dewar Place and 2 Dewar Place. |  |
| 3. Treasures' Submission of Audited Accounts   |  |
| The Treasurer submitted the audited Accounts.  | WECC will highlight                          |
| Questions are made to continue supporting The Cockburn Association (TCA). JCS points towards influence in council. IT highlights importance of Civic Forum for latest planning legislation.  | concerns to TCA, but appreciate difficulties |
| It was agreed TCA is not as proactive as it once was, but to continue support.   | within their<br>working                      |
| Accounts approved.   | situation.                                   |
| 3. Election of Office Bearers The office bearers were re-elected as follows:   |  |
| Chairman – Jock Miller   |  |
| Treasurer – Alan Weddell   |  |



| Planning – Isabel Thom  |  |
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| Environment & Transport – Isabel Thom                               |  |
| Everything else bar the Secretary would be done on an ad-hoc basis. |  |
| Secretary – nobody put themself forward.                            |  |
| 6. Date of next AGM The next AGM will take place in June 2017.      |  |
| The Chairman closed the AGM.  |  |
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