

## West End Community Council

6<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at Ashfield, 61 Melville Street, Edinburgh EH3 7HL

Present: Jock Miller (in the Chair), Alan Weddell (Treasurer), Gordon Renton, Ian Robertson, Isabel Thom (Planning), Martha Baur,

In attendance: Cllr. Alasdair Rankin, PC Susan Purnell, PC Lynsay Claxton,

It was noted with sadness that since our last meeting that Dr John Herbert had passed away.

Discussion	Action
<p><b>1. Apologies and welcome</b> Apologies were received from Deidre Brock MP, Ruth Davidson MSP, Cllr. Joanna Mowat, Cllr. Claire Miller, Cllr. Hal Osler, Cllr. Karen Doran, Cllr. Gavin Barrie, Cllr Iain Whyte, Cllr. Max Mitchell, Cameron Buchanan, Colin Johnston, Gordon Wyllie,</p>	
<p><b>2. Minutes of meetings held on 6<sup>th</sup> February</b> Were approved subject to a few changes intimated in Alan Weddell's email.</p>	
<p><b>3. Matters Arising</b> There were none.</p>	
<p><b>4. Police Report</b> PC Purnell introduced her colleague PC Claxton who had just joined the team. Domestic Break-ins 3 Bikes stolen 4 Car &amp; keys 1 Car Break-ins 3 They have been out and about in the 20mph zones with the speed gun An issue with bikes on the pavements at Haymarket Terrace</p>	
<p><b>5. South East Locality/Neighbourhood Partnership</b> Ms Sarah Burns will attend our April meeting.</p>	
<p><b>6. Councillors' Report</b> Cllr Rankin spoke about the budget which was passed on the 22 March. IT informed spoke about a cycle shed in Douglas Crescent that had been vandalised but not replaced. Cllr Ranking to investigate. GR asked why the stainless-steel U-bike racks had been put in one place on Morrison Street and not spread out along the street. Cllr Rankin to investigate</p>	<p>Cllr AR  Cllr AR</p>
<p><b>7. Correspondence</b> There were no items requiring attention.</p>	
<p><b>8. Financial Report</b> The balance in the Community Council's favour will be £776.78p</p>	



<p><b>9. Planning</b> Mrs Thom spoke to and was thanked for her Report. In particular she spoke about the recent Civic Forum which discussed supply of affordable housing, new technologies impact on the Development Plan and low emission zones.</p>	
<p><b>10. AOCB</b></p>	
<p><b>11. Date of the next meeting</b> 3<sup>rd</sup> April</p>	

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