

**West End Community Council**  
**11 FEBRUARY 2020**  
**Logie & St John's (Cross) Church Hall**

**PRESENT:**

Ann Prescott	WECC
Mary Mackenzie	WECC
Nick Marra	WECC
Natalie Mackland	DCC Neighbourhood Services
Sandra McDowall	WELL
Cllr Richard McCready	DCC
Iain Iveson	WECC
Lynsey Penny	WECC
Martin Hay	Westfest
John Wyman	Outdoor Access Officer
Innocent Oakley	WECC
Cllr Donald Hay	DCC
Bailie Fraser McPherson	DCC
James Simpson	Evening Telegraph
4 members of the public	

**APOLOGIES:**

Jim Dryden  
Esther Carmen  
Sgt Alan Devine  
Russell Pepper

**1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES**

Sandra McDowell (vice chair) welcomed all to the meeting and apologies were noted as above.

**2. PROPOSED CYCLE PARKING – John Wyman Outdoor Access Officer**

John provided information about the Dundee Cycling Forum, the cycling strategy and the process to develop proposals for cycle parking in the West End.

Two proposed locations – outside Sainsbury's at Blackness Library. Mock-ups of designs in situ shared.  
Much discussion ensued, specific opinions expressed about the impact of proposed racks at Sainsbury's impacting negatively on pedestrians.

Further suggestion made to identify a suitable location in the Blackness Road shopping area.

John to revisit the Perth Road Sainsbury's and consider Blackness Road.

**3. OFFICE BEARER ROLES- UNFILLED**

Laurie Edmond is due to step down as Treasurer end of March and the position of secretary/minutes secretary remains unfilled. Community councillors encouraged to consider. Support/Training is available. Any interest, please report to Natalie

**4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING & MATTERS ARISING 10 DECEMBER 2019**

**ACTION**

**JWhyman**

**ALL**

Agreed as an accurate record, proposed Lynsey Penny, seconded Mary Mackenzie

WECC priorities – a number of individuals present willing to form a sub group to consider a development plan session.

Noticeboards – Nick Marra has been pulling together an application for regeneration funding ( it'll be next financial year as the underspend this year has now been allocated).

N Marra

Agreed locations :

Blackness PS

West End Campus PS's

Blackness Library

Millers Wynd / Perth Road at Community Fridge

Blackness PS – New Head teacher takes up post in March

20 MPH consultations – Fraser to send links to above to be shared with community councillors.

FMacpherson/  
NMackland

Pop-up Jims – check they've been ordered, Alan Devine.

NMackland

Car Parking charges/Parking reported to have made the on street situation worse. DCC intend to hold 2 consultation events in March to seek views in residents parking scheme.

NMackland

## 5. CORRESPONDENCE

DCC seeking location for improved bus infrastructure. Specific request made for a shelter in place of stop on Perth Road, east of Seafield Road. Any other suggestions/requirements by email to

ALL

[natalie.macklend@dundeecity.gov.uk](mailto:natalie.macklend@dundeecity.gov.uk) by end of Feb.

School estate proposed catchment changes, information online, comments sought. Public consultation sessions to be held in Harris Academy on 26 Feb & 16 March, 6-8 pm

Jim Dryden was approached by city development enquiring about possible reusing obsolete picnic benches from city square. Suggested locations on site at community fridge and Magdalen Green.

## 6. PLANNING UPDATE

No current considerations.

Licensing – minor changes at the Premier Store. No concerns.

Forewarning of a license which is being submitted for a march ending at Magdalen Green on 5 September. Experience in the community last year was negative, specifically lack of notification re road closures, info displayed on DCC website was incorrect, porta loos in dreadful position overlooked by homes, food caravans with no knowledge of that as part of the event. Can be discussed in full and representation made when licence is live.

## 7. OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED ON BEHALF OF WECC

Airport consultative meeting

The combined surveillance centre will be in Inverness. While Dundee has a challenge with air traffic management, having the most mixed traffic of HIAL

airports, it will be the last to transition. This is likely to be seven years from now.

**8. AOCB**

Concern about Riverside flooding during recent storm, reported storm gates open. Events to be reviewed to ensure protocol is followed.

Logie Estate celebrates 100 years since first allocation on 27 May 1920. Fraser reported developments to celebrate this including archive presentations, exhibitions and an event on the evening of 27 May at Lime Street. Agreed that £40/£50 from WECC held Xmas Fortnight account be used for provisions. All welcome to attend, further detail to follow.

**9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

**10 March 2020**