Minutes of BCC Meeting of 10 September 2018

1. Welcome

The Chair, John Donald opened the meeting and welcomed all present. Thanked everyone for attending and explained that he would try to keep things as informal as possible and also to about an hour time.

2. Attendance

Present: John Donald, Chair

Ian Whyte, Secretary Fiona Whyte, Treasurer Gordon Hay, Member Gavin Lawson, Member Alison Lawson, Member Jennifer Smith, Member

PC Stefan Dawson Police Scotland (PS)

Apologies: Councillor Phillip Charles

Councillor Elaine Ballantyne Rachel Carmichael, Member

John Mason, MSP

3. Minutes and Matters arising:

Minutes from last meeting - have now all been uploaded to the Broomhouse Community Council Website.

4. Reports:

a) Police Scotland:

The issues with large groups of youths has now dropped away due to action from Police Scotland and the vigilance of local residents.

For the period July/August 2018 there has been a 100% drop in crimes reported to 7. With very little disorder offences.

For the period August/September 2018 there were 8 crimes reported, mainly involving vehicles.

Comment was made from the floor re vehicles speeding along Boghall road. Police Scotland said they will speak to their colleagues in traffic.

b) Elected Members:

No Update from the elected members.

5. Treasurer's Report

Bank Balance is £1,835.62, of which £470.00 is for the stalled spaces initiative.

6. Chair Comments

The new bridge has reopened and is looking good. Acknowledgements to all those parties that assisted will be issued by BCC.

Taylor Wimpey have offered 400 bulbs for planting in Broomhouse and Jennifer Smith will contact them for more information.

Conversation has taken place with Mount Vernon Community Council re the proposed new housing development.

Gym Equipment - Some discussion has taken place re the installation of robust gym equipment in Broomhouse Park. The Community Council in Drumchapel have recently installed such equipment and the BCC are planning to discuss this with them.

Sports/Community Hub in Baillieston, the BCC has previously asked questions regarding what is going on and so far to date we have had no response and therefore it should be returned to the Agenda, which was agreed.

7. Any Other Business

Concerns were raised re the overgrown shrubbery on Hamilton Road (beside Dogs Trust) as it was now making the pavement unusable.

Question was raised re a shop in Broomhouse. The Chair has said he will follow up on this.

Bins not being emptied in pockets of Broomhouse. Conversations are taking place with LES.

Elections for the Office Bearer positions are due at the end of October. A notice will be placed on the BCC Facebook page and anyone wanting to join will be warmly welcomed.

8. The Chair then closed the meeting.

Meeting closed 8.30 pm

Next Meeting Monday 1st October 2018 At 7.30pm in the Broomhouse Community Hall All Welcome, tea coffee and biscuits will be provided