

## **HUMBIE, EAST AND WEST SALTOUN AND BOLTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

MINUTES of the 343<sup>rd</sup> MEETING of the Humbie, East and West Saltoun and Bolton Community Council held on TUESDAY, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022 at 7:30 p.m. via Zoom.

### **PRESENT**

Iain Galloway, Chair (IG)  
Margo Hodge, Treasurer (MH)  
Sandy Wilson (AW)  
Janet Beck (JB)  
Derek Logie (DL)  
Frank Kirwan (FK)  
Cllr Tom Trotter (TT)  
Cllr Shamin Ahktar (SA)

### **(1) APOLOGIES**

Cllr Craig Hoy MSP (CH)  
Cllr John McMillan (JMc)  
Debbie Elworthy, Secretary (DE)  
Robin Greenfell (RG)

### **(2) CONFLICTS OF INTEREST**

None

**Action:** Members were reminded to complete their Declarations of Interest before the next meeting and send them to IG/DE.

### **(3) APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Minutes from the previous meeting were amended in respect of organisation past hustings and timing of proposed hustings.

**Action** – DE to send Andrew McLellan CC contact details for the bus forum.

### **(4) FINANCE**

MH summarised income and expenditure YTD.

### **(5) TRANSPORT**

'Quiet Roads' – these are roads used predominantly by cyclists and walkers rather than vehicles; it is unclear what the designation means in practice (other than lots of signs!).

**Action:** TT to clarify definition and consequences of designation.

ELC's new Speed Policy sets out the process for communities to request a lower limit.

## **(6) PLANNING APPLICATIONS LODGED SINCE LAST MEETING**

The CC had submitted observations on the chicken shed.

DL noted that two Right of Way passages had been extinguished between Bolton and East Saltoun at Howden Farm (now gated); and between Humble and Ford/Costerton (almost impassable after tree felling and drainage).

**Action:** SA to arrange for Nick Morgan (paths officer) to visit..

## **(7) HUSTINGS**

JB was authorised to hire an outside audio system. Questions will be invited in advance as well as on the night (but those proposing advance questions should be there on the night to ask); JB has devised a poster; 120 tickets will be available on Eventbrite (JB will do for those who aren't tech-literate). Details will be on the CC website and Facebook (100 followers). SW will sort parking stewards.

## **(8) LOCAL HOUSING ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY – ELC Consultation**

**Action** - DL offered to look at the housing element

## **(9) POLICE REPORT AND CAPP**

The implications of moving electronic speed signs to different villages was discussed that there may be funding available for an additional sign through the Area Partnership.

**Actions** - MH to fill in application and check initial cost for another sign.

## **(11) Ukraine assistance**

It was agreed that the best course was to endorse the DEC appeal given its capability to get assistance through to those in need.

**(12) Correspondence**

None

**(13) Website**

Previous minutes will be loaded onto website.

**Actions** – IG to put on website

**(14) AOB**

None

**DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting will be held by Zoom Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 19.30.

**Action** – MH to arrange Zoom please