

HUMBIE, EAST & WEST SALTOUN AND BOLTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes 380th Meeting

Tuesday, 6th January 2026

19:30

The Session Rooms, East Saltoun

Present: Sharon Dirkin (Chair), Danny Hunter, Mike Jeans, George McGuire, Tom Trotter, Margo Hodge, Alexander Wilson, Carla Ward

Agenda
item

1. Apologies

John McMillan, Shamin Akhtar

2. Disclosure of Interests

NA

3. Approval of previous minutes and action update

Minutes approved as accurate.

4. Finance

Margo provided an update on the financial position.

Debit card ordered - details will be shared with Danny once it arrives to allow him to transfer ownership of the social media accounts.

5. Hustings for May Elections

Hustings scheduled for the 30th of April in Humber Village Hall.

We need to investigate the possibility of recording and live streaming the event. It would also be good to share the recording on the website.

Previous hustings have been very well attended.

Eventbrite will again be used for people to register their attendance.

CC members to be in attendance if possible.

Currently scheduled for 30th April.

6. Planning Applications

NA

7. Correspondence (since last meeting)

– Email from Eamon John

They are good sessions worth attending. Individuals to sign up for any sessions that interest them. Sessions will be held on teams and will also be recorded.

DH raised a question regarding the East Lothian Community Liaison Officer.

Eamon John, Head of Communities, clarified that he does not have an individual with that title in his team, but that Stuart Baxter is the lead for Community Councils.

– Asset Transfer Session

MJ registered to attend session on the 25th Feb.

- Email from Carol Galloway
Carol has requested access to the distribution list that Iain put together for East Saltoun.
CC approved the access - CW will let Carol know.

8. Website

Once we have received the CC debit card, DH will arrange to meet with Iain Galloway to get access to all of the social media accounts.

Once he has access, information regarding smart meters (wording from Billy Agnew that was circulated by AW) to the website.

9. AOB

- Funding streams
MJ investigating various options. Mike looking at various options
- Smart Meters
AW provided an overview/recap of the survey that had been carried out in Humble. MJ will share Smart Meter information with East and West Saltoun and will get feedback from anyone that is experiencing issues.
- CAPP
Speeding in East Saltoun
GM raised the issue with the Police, and they have indicated that they will keep an eye on it.
- Resilience
MH will forward Garvald resilience document to MJ.

10. Date of next meeting

Tuesday 3rd February 2026

Humble Village Hall

19:30 - 21:00