

**DENNISTOUN COMMUNITY COUNCIL (DCC)  
MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 9th FEBRUARY 2010  
IN WHITEHILL SECONDARY SCHOOL**

1. PRESENT:

P. Aitchison (Chair), J. Cochrane, A. Fowler, H. McCarthy, E. Macfarlane, A. McKenna, V. Melvin, J. Mulholland; and P.C. J. MacIntyre and P.C. C. Kirkwood, Dennistoun Community Police.

2. APOLOGIES:

J. Boyd, L. Williams, Councillors Docherty and McDougall.

3. POLICE REPORT:

78 crimes were reported in the North Dennistoun Area in the past month, covering housebreaking, breach of peace, vandalism, youth disorder, etc. Also during the month uniformed and plainclothes personnel have been targeting the area round Alexandra Parade Primary School for car parking and double parking, and car parking in the bus lanes during the restricted times, and drivers mis-using one-way streets off Alexandra Parade and Duke Street. Money has been allotted for new bicycles to increase the presence of Police in trouble spots.

4. MINUTES OF MEETINGS:

7th DECEMBER, 2009: Acceptance of the Minutes was proposed by H. McCarthy and seconded by A. Fowler.  
12th JANUARY, 2010: Acceptance of the Minutes was proposed by A. Fowler and seconded by J. Mulholland.

5. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES (12th JANUARY):

Paul Martin, MSP, will attend the DCC meeting on 9th March.

6. TREASURER'S REPORT:

Cash in Bank is £2,627.65 and cash in hand £96.59.  
The Treasurer was advised that the Audited Accounts should be in the hands of the Community Councils Resource Centre by 26th February, 2010.

7. PLANNING APPLICATIONS:

14 Reidvale Street - M.O.T. Station  
Duke Bar, 631 Duke Street - Licensing Board - renewing licence  
Alexandra Bar, 468 Duke Street - Licensing Board - renewing licence  
La Cala, Meadowpark Street - Licensing Board - Change of hours from 12 noon to 12 midnight.

8. EAST CENTRE AREA COMMITTEE:

Most of the reports concentrated on education and truancy in Glasgow Schools. One piece of good news was that there was a 70% reduction in truancy in Whitehill Secondary School in recent months.

9. COMMUNITY PLANNING PARTNERSHIP:

No report.

10. COMMUNITY REFERENCE GROUP:

No report.

11. CORRESPONDENCE:

Paul Martin, MSP, Newsletter, including his surgery details.

Glasgow City Council Review

Nature of Scotland - Natural Heritage - Chairman will bring the Report to next meeting to pass on to E. Macfarlane.

Letter from N.S.P.C.C.

Community Councils' Discussion Group - Meeting on 13.2.10 at 9.30 a.m. at the Parish Halls, George Street.

Draft Climate Change Strategy and Action Plan - invitation to Consultation Workshop - 9th March 9.30 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.

Royal Garden Party on Holyrood Palace - Tuesday, 13th July, 2010.

Places to be balloted. Committee member and partner and offspring aged 18-25 may attend; 12 places are balloted from Glasgow City Community Councils. As only the Chairman and A. Fowler were interested in attending the members present were in agreement to their completing the application forms.

12. ANY COMPETENT BUSINESS:

None

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

TUESDAY, 9th MARCH, 2010 at 7.00 p.m. in WHITEHILL SECONDARY SCHOOL.