

## **CAMBUSLANG AND RUTHERGLEN AREA COMMITTEE**

Minutes of meeting held in Rutherglen Town Hall, Main Street, Rutherglen on 15 August 2017

**Chair:**

Councillor John Bradley

**Councillors Present:**

Robert Brown, Janine Calikes, Margaret Cowie, Alistair Fulton, Ann Le Blond, Katy Loudon, Margaret B Walker, Jared Wark

**Councillors' Apologies:**

Walter Brogan, Gerard Killen, Carol Nugent (Depute)

**Attending:**

**Finance and Corporate Resources**

K McLeod, Administration Assistant; L Paterson, Administration Officer

**Also Attending:**

**Scottish Fire and Rescue Service**

A Kenna, Station Manager

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### **1 Declaration of Interests**

No interests were declared.

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### **2 Minutes of Previous Meeting**

The minutes of the meeting of the Cambuslang and Rutherglen Area Committee held on 20 June 2017 were submitted for approval as a correct record.

**The Committee decided:** that the minutes be approved as a correct record.

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### **3 Scottish Fire and Rescue Service**

A Kenna, Station Manager, Clydesmill Community Fire Station, Cambuslang, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service tabled a performance report providing information on progress made during 2016/2017 against the key priorities within the Local Fire and Rescue Area Plan. The current Local Fire and Rescue Area Plan for South Lanarkshire contained the following key priorities:-

- ◆ reduction of dwelling fires
- ◆ reduction of fire casualties and fatalities
- ◆ reduction of deliberate fire setting
- ◆ reduction of fires in non-domestic properties
- ◆ reduction in road traffic collisions
- ◆ reduction of unwanted fire signals

Performance targets, which had been devised for those key priorities, had been incorporated into the Local Fire and Rescue Plan. The performance report provided detailed analysis of relevant performance information covering the period April 2016 to March 2017. In order to provide a comparison, performance information was also provided for the financial years 2012/2013 to 2015/2016.

Station Manager Kenna, having responded to members' questions, was thanked for providing the update.

**The Committee decided:** that the update be noted.

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#### **4 Community Grant Applications**

A report dated 2 August 2017 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources) was submitted on applications for community grant.

**The Committee decided:** that community grants be awarded as follows:-

- (a) Applicant: Cambuslang Churches Holiday Club (*CR/17/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing, entrance fees and equipment  
Amount Awarded: £250
- (b) Applicant: Cambuslang Handicapped Fund (*CR/18/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Specialist transport and entrance fees  
Amount Awarded: £375
- (c) Applicant: The First Glass Club, Cambuslang (*CR/21/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing  
Amount Awarded: £200
- (d) Applicant: Rutherglen Old People's Welfare Committee (*CR/23/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing  
Amount Awarded: £145
- (e) Applicant: Park View Parent Partnership, Cambuslang (*CR/24/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Equipment and administration costs  
Amount Awarded: £350
- (f) Applicant: North Halfway Senior Citizens' Club, Cambuslang (*CR/25/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing and administration costs  
Amount Awarded: £450
- (g) Applicant: Fernhill Senior Citizens' Men's Club, Rutherglen (*CR/27/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing  
Amount Awarded: £200
- (h) Applicant: Eastfield Sequence Dancing, Rutherglen (*CR/30/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing  
Amount Awarded: £200
- (i) Applicant: Rutherglen and Cambuslang Men's Shed, Rutherglen (*CR/31/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Start-up costs  
Amount Awarded: £250
- (j) Applicant: 1<sup>st</sup> Springhall Brownies, Rutherglen (*CR/32/17*)  
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees  
Amount Awarded: £250

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#### **5 Urgent Business**

There were no items of urgent business.