

# PUBLIC PROCESSIONS PANEL

Minutes of meeting held in Committee Room 2, Council Offices, Almada Street, Hamilton on 5 December 2018

**Chair:**

Councillor Jim McGuigan

**Councillors Present:**

Andy Carmichael, Richard Lockhart

**Attending:**

**Community and Enterprise Resources**

S Simpson, Assistant Engineering Officer

**Finance and Corporate Resources**

T Little, Head of Communications and Strategy; C Lyon, Administration Officer; G Mays, Solicitor; L Robertson, Licensing and Registration Team Leader; L Wyllie, Administration Assistant

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## 1 Declaration of Interests

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No interests were declared.

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## 2 Urgent Business

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There were no items of urgent business.

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## 3 Exclusion of Press and Public

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**The Panel decided:** that, in terms of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business on the grounds that it was likely that there would be disclosure of exempt information in terms of Paragraph 6 of Part I of Schedule 7A of the Act.

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## 4 Notification of Intention to Hold a Public Procession in Carlisle on 8 December 2018 – Carlisle No Surrender Apprentice Boys of Derry

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In relation to a notification to hold a public procession on 8 December 2018 in Carlisle submitted by Carlisle No Surrender Apprentice Boys of Derry, the Panel:-

- ◆ heard J McLean and W McNeil, representing Carlisle No Surrender Apprentice Boys of Derry
- ◆ considered written representations from Police Scotland who was represented by Inspector McCallum
- ◆ considered written representations from Roads and Transportation Services who were represented by S Simpson, Assistant Engineering Officer

In terms of Standing Order No 13, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 3.05pm to allow the representatives from the organisation, together with Police Scotland and Roads and Transportation Services, an opportunity to consider and, if possible, agree on an alternative route.

The meeting reconvened at 3.20pm. All parties had reached an agreement that route 1 proposed by Police Scotland was acceptable. The agreed route was Castlehill Industrial Estate, Bothwell Road, Weighhouse Road, Stewart Street, Kirkton Street, James Street, John Street and Carnwath Road to Carluke Lifestyles.

The organisation agreed to amend their notification accordingly.

**The Panel decided:** that, subject to the agreed changes to the route, the public procession permit be issued with the standard conditions.