



Community Planning Aberdeen

Friday 24th of November 9.30 – 11.30 am, St Machar Credit Union

Present:- Paul Tytler, Derek Bain, Mark Stephen, Susan Morrison, Santosh Gaihre, Jim Noble, Mark Lovie, Councillor Lesley Dunbar, Councillor Neil copland, Jane Fullerton, Susan Ironside, Abeer Helmi

In attendance:- Madelene MacSween, Amy Thomson

Apologies:- Councillor Ross Grant, Councillor Alexander McLellan, Murray Dawson, Kirsty Harold.

Topic	Discussion/Decision	Action
1. Apologies, Welcome and Introductions	The chair welcomed all to the Woodside, Tillydrone and Seaton Locality Partnership Meeting and explained that Angela Scott would be joining us for the meeting.	
2. Minutes of last meeting		
3. Urban Governance	Paul introduced Angela to all present and explained that she was attending to talk to us about urban Governance. All around the table then introduced themselves to Angela. We then went on to discuss Urban Governance.	
4. Jackie From Credit Union	Jackie Weir came in to the room and introduced herself as the head of the St Machar Credit Union. She told us a bit about what they do and how they are in the middle of the Christmas rush for low cost loans and how they are a low cost initiative. They rely on teachers on the schools for drop ins. They keep the junior accounts open as they tend to go to them when they are a bit older to buy a car or set up home.	



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5. Locality plan Tracker	Paul said that their hadn't been much feedback for the locality Plan tracker.	
6. Project Charters	Paul spoke about the charters that he sent out before the meeting and asked everybody to have a look at them, and if there are any questions to get back to him.	
7. Domestic Abuse Sub Group	There is another domestic violence meeting soon. The number of reported incidents is already 10% less than last month. Is that because of the work that we are doing? However this figure could be ruined in the run up to Christmas with people drinking and the stress. The project charter is to be refined.	
8. Third Sector, Community Project Engagement	As we were running very late this was suspended until the next meeting.	
9. SCDC	The SCDC (Scottish Community Development Council) can support us around locality partnerships. They are also offering support in terms of groups like this, but we have not received the scope for this yet.	
10. Date of Next Meeting	The next meeting is in January and Paul asked what date or time suits everyone? Would they prefer an evening or a different day as we have a lot of people who cannot attend. It was mentioned that the last Friday of the month was good as people have other meetings and groups that they need to attend.	