Letham & District Community Council Note of Meeting

Held on: Thursday 24th November 2022 at 7.30 pm

Held at: The Feuars' Hall plus TEAMS

<u>Present:</u> Isobel Sword, Karen Smith, Wendy Cameron, David Lumgair, Julie Wright, Cllr. Nicoll.

<u>Via Teams</u>

Also present via TEAMS NB connection failed. Sandra Macrae, Mhairi Dickson, Cllr. Cowdy

Apologies Cllr. Shepherd

1. Matters arising

Defibrillators

• <u>Report back by Karen Smith</u>

Karen had contacted someone (via Heartstart) who was able to assess the defibrillators and has been able to source new suitable batteries. All 3 defibrillators are now working and have been registered on the national scheme, meaning that they can be found for emergency use by ringing 999. (the nearest defibrillator will be identified. The scheme has a note of the Keystore and Pharmacy open hours and the code for accessing the one in the Square)

- The possibility of further defibrillators being placed around the area, eg. Crachie and / Carmyllie discussed.
 - With the possibility of recruiting members from out with the village.

Meeting Place

The new Feuars' Committee have agreed that the Community Council can

continue to meet in the Feuars' Hall (and run hybrid meetings)

(note from Secretary)To ensure data protection, I will keep the new CC laptop at my

home (& any other printed personal details)

Have also suggested that the new Feuars' Committee purchase their own

equipment to use for administration.

2. Policing

It is hoped that the Community Policing Team will begin to hold informal events ("Cuppa with a Cop") where local residents will be able to make contact and discuss any areas of concern. 19th January provisionally booked for the first one.

3. Correspondence / new email address

• A new email address was set up for the CC, sadly this was not successful, I have had to register another Microsoft Account in order to have another outlook email address.

<u>Note</u>

Communiy Council email address

lethamanddistrictcc2022@outlook.com

I am unsure at present, whether to pay for an Office 365 in The name of the Community Council or to continue holding Teams via my own account.

- <u>The Biannual (hybrid) meeting</u> was held on the same evening of The Feuars' Extraordinary Meeting
- <u>Recycling Survey</u>
- <u>NHS Health Research Register</u>
- <u>Stakeholders Meeting re School Friendly Zone</u> Karen Smith & Wendy Cameron Community Council representatives.
- <u>Road Closures</u>, Greystone near mains of Carmylie & Auldbar Rd.

4. <u>Treasurer</u>

CC. Acc £519.77

Defibrillator Acc. £1,323 (donation received from Santa Collection) Letham Paths Acc. £4,169.61 (£100 to come off)

5. Planning

A large array of Solar panels is proposed for Cotton of Lownie

6. <u>AOCB</u>

- Santa Sleigh (collection) December 20th from 6pm "Kindness gifts" will again be given out to Letham residents who have experienced a difficult year.
- It is noted that the hedges on Blairs Rd (opposite the Pharmacy) are overgrown and impacting the pavement. Hopefully the new owners will rectify this soon.

Date of Next Meeting, Thursday 19 January 2023, 7.30pm The Feuars' Hall