

DTCC Meeting

26th January 2022

7pm via Zoom

Present: Pam Higgins, Vicky Nicholson, Jenny Williams

Apologies: Hal Osler, Gavin Barrie, Dave Pickering

- 1. Welcome & Apologies**
- 2. Approval of previous minutes - Yes**
- 3. Chairs Report – nothing to hand over this month.**
 - **Secretary Report** – I have sent an email with a booklet on News and Opportunities in North West Edinburgh. I will share some of these on our Facebook Page for those that may be interested.
 - Next Neighbourhood Network Meeting is on 28th February at 6pm via Teams – I can forward the link on to anyone who wishes to attend.
 - Cllr Osler contacted by residents about a dark section of path that links Telford Drive to the cycle path. She has asked officers what can be done and as this is on HRA (housing) land, it has been directed to them and they are looking at costings. Once that has been finalised, it will be considered (along with other projects). It was also raised in 2017/2018 and funding had been allocated for lights and CCTV but never happened.
 - Request to Cllr Osler for an extra light on the path that links Easter Drylaw Place with the shops on Ferry Road. This is more complicated as when lights were being upgraded to LED, they took a light out. Will pursue this.
 - Increase in antisocial behaviour from the paths leading into Maidencraigs, Craigleith and Blackhall. Police are aware and are increasing resources.
- 4. Treasurers Report – No change**
- 5. Councillors Report –** Cllr Mitchell – housing repair enquiries – quickly rectified (flooded bathrooms). 1 outstanding (HA via private owned property but being dealt with). Edinburgh Police Fund for Children - £50 grants to help fund child/teenagers shoes/coats etc. Can be referred via schools (5 per term/10 per year). Also can self-refer but would need a police home visit. Also 3rd party referral (SW, HV, District nurse – no cap on referrals). Will send details to Ferryhill Parent Council
- 6. Litter picks/skips/clear up days** – Jenny visited by Julia (Garden worker from DTCC) who would be interested in organising a litter pick. Vicky Nicholson would also like to be involved in this. Jenny will speak to Julia and will come back to us. Could we invite Housing Officer of Manor Housing to discuss the involvements they are having with tenants in Telford regarding issues.
- 7. Meetings In person from February** – arrange a date with Amanda to go down to church prior to February meeting. Discuss kitchen facilities.
- 8. Day Today store fire** – not suspicious
- 9. Any other business** - no
- 10. Next meeting** 23rd February 2022