

Meeting of Leith Central Community Council

Monday, 15 December 2018 at 7pm
McDonald Road Library, Nelson Hall



AGENDA

1. Welcome

- a. introductions
- b. attendance, apologies
- c. declarations of interest

2. Approval of [Minutes of 27 November 2017](#) meeting

3. Matters Arising

- a. from previous minutes and not included in agenda below

4. Community Police Officer's Report

- a. *to note*: monthly update (September), including relevant incidents and crimes outwith area or reporting period

5. Presentation and Q&A by Leith Creative: *Leith Blueprint findings - "The future of Leith"*

6. Planning

- a. *to ratify*: [LCCC Planning Sub-committee: Status of current planning applications](#)
- b. *to note*: community meeting 10/1/18 re 154 McDonald Road ([minutes](#))
- c. *to consider*: LCCC policy towards [Airbnb](#) and repurposed student accommodation on LCCC area
- d. *to note*: [CEC consultation](#) to stop accepting planning representations by email
- e. *to note*: any other planning matters

7. Transport & Clean Streets

- a. *to note*: update on street lighting problems in Dalmeny Street (insufficient spread) and speed of repairs
- b. *to note*: impacts of Leith Street closure and planned Picardy Place works on LCCC area
- c. *to note*: Parking Working Group update
- d. *to note*: Leith Programme Phase 4 snagging progress (lighting, RNIB, compound areas, armadillos)

8. Parks & Green Spaces

- a. *to note*: Friends of Pilrig Park report
- b. *to note*: update on other Friends groups
- c. *to consider*: future use of disused Powderhall railway line: reopen as rail line or transform into green walk and cyclepath

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9. LCCC Office Bearers' Reports

- a. *to note*: Treasurer's Report
 - i. *to discuss*: desirability and feasibility of purchasing projector for presentations and papers at LCCC meetings
- b. *to note*: update by Communications Group
- c. *to note*: other office bearers' reports
 - i. update on NE Locality Committee and Leith Neighbourhood Partnership
 - ii. update on Leith Chooses

10. Councillors' reports, MSPs' reports, MP's report

11. Open Forum

- a. *to note*: CEC's proposal to transfer Gaelic Medium Education to Drummond Community High School ([statement by Drummond Parent Council](#))

12. AOCB

13. Future Meetings (usually 3rd Monday of the month) and meeting topics/presentations

- a. *to note*: future meetings to May 2018
 - i. LCCC meeting Monday 15-Jan-18 booked
 - ii. LCCC meeting Monday 19-Feb-18 booked
 - iii. LCCC meeting Monday 19-Mar-18 booked
 - iv. LCCC meeting Monday 16-Apr-18 booked
 - v. LCCC meeting/AGM Monday 21-May-18 booked
- b. *to note*: future presentations/discussions
 - i. TBC planning and enforcement issues in Cambridge Avenue
 - ii. TBC impact of AirBnB on LCCC area
 - iii. date TBC: North East Locality Manager Natalie McKail (or maternity cover)
 - iv. date TBC: impact of City Deal and [Council Business Plan 2017-22](#) on LCCC area