

Date	Tuesday 12th May 2015 Multicultural Centre , Rose St, Time 7.30 pm		
Present	Jane Sutherland (CC) Peter Murray(CC) Hugh Wynne (CC) A.Smith (resident) K Rodgers (police)	Ian Khan (CC) Nora Hytiris (CC) Gordon Bavaird (CC) Edmund Smith (resident) K. Handley (police)	Viviana Checchia (CCA) S.Akhtar (resident) F. Sarwar (resident)
Apologies	Sean Mackay(CC) Margaret Watt Katherine Mackinnon	Aaravind Patnaik Bill Beckett Martin Docherty	Nina Baker
Welcome	J.S. chaired and opened the meeting by welcoming all those present.		
Minutes Feb 2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aravind, unfortunately had thesis deadlines, so preparation of minutes has been postponed until June meeting. 		
Police Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 theft of motor vehicle from Shamrock St, between 13 – 16th April Vandalism, foot dents, on motor vehicle, Scott St Driver on mobile phone, without license, Rose St Driver against one way system, Dalhousie St House break-ins, 18th April, Hill St and 3rd May, Renfrew St Occupant disrupted criminal and managed to retrieve several items Left of handbag at garden door 1 disorderly behaviour, 68 Buccleuch St Anti social offence, 24 April, Douglas St park 4 cannabis related incidences in Garnethill Park NH asked again about possibility of CCTV JS asked if police could provide a written report. 		
Resident's complaint	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr and Mrs Smith informed CC of dubious planning permission granted to local cafe on St George's Road. They had no reason to object as they welcomed a small cafe but strongly object to erection of a large scale vent constantly blowing strong smells directly at their window which they can no longer open. Original drawings did not suggest scale and nature of ventilation required, nor the degree and scale of cooking facilities. They also have severe concerns over demolition of internal building structures which compromised the structural integrity of their building Mr and Mrs Smith retrospectively contacted Susan Connelly with their objection and concerns regarding health and safety/noise/smells/fire-hazards/but disappointed to report her lack of interest and co operation. JS suggested discussing concerns with Gordon Matheson at his next surgery. IK suggested getting a fire inspection team to investigate. 		
Sauchiehall/ Garnethill District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> JS disappointed in Thistle Hotel meeting perceiving it as a re run of previous meetings and basically a waste of time. NH indicated that it facilitated getting personal contact details from local businesses such as the Garage night club. Viviana suggested creating an open laboratory/ to understand what is needed in the area. 		

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CC resignation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill Beckett contacted JS regarding his forthcoming resignation due to work and family commitments. • Members felt saddened by the news as he worked tirelessly for Garnethill.
Recent Hustings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JS congratulated PM on meticulous organisation/planning of Hustings staged by CC • It was a resounding success/ well attended/chaired with dignity and control/ impressively streamed on line/good public participation/established firm relationship with CSA union as a venue/showcased the CC • Above all introduced CC to newly elected MP, Alison Thewliss.
Vigil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CC thanked JS for thoughtful/massively emotional vigil held in Garnethill Park to remember for the Irish student, Karen Buckley who lived in Garnethill but sadly taken from us. • JS and helpers arranged 1000 candles in a beautiful Celtic design • "A thousand candles were lit for the one bright light that was extinguished"
Clean up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JS congratulated NH for organising the clean up with Tesco/local residents/members of CC and GCC. • Massive amount of rubbish was collected due to team effort especially from area below the view point. • JS suggested a regular follow up event.
View Point	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JS informed the CC that the opening has again been delayed. • She has concerns over depth and quality of stone carvings. • JS suggested a ceremony to formally celebrate the grand opening of the view point possibly in September. • 5000 pounds has been set aside to commission an art work.
Correspondence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Street trader request for Chinese fast food, Mon –sat 8am – 10 pm, Scott Street. Most members disapproved as this is directly outside a Chinese restaurant and likely to cause noise for local residents/litter/over provision and lack of clarity of type and nature. • Request to paint cartoon type characters on various walls was discussed but disapproved of also based on quality and poor style not in keeping with conservation status of area..
AOCB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GB indicated that Tommy requested CC to remove tree cuttings as a matter of urgency.
Sports Centre SAC sports complex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FS claims there is still confusion over the ownership of land and believes SAC should not be granted planning permission. • She has since written to Anas Sarwar, awaiting a response. • Unconfirmed reports that Zore received text message from Susan Connelly advising her not to attend the planning meeting. • Factor forced them to foot the bill for repair works and title deed search. • CC have not heard back regarding their objections.
DONM	Tuesday June 9 th 2015