Northfield and Willowbrae Community Council



MINUTES OF MEETING 28 February 2019: St JOHN'S R. C. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Present:

| Sam | Rutherford | Vice-chair |
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| Nick | Weech | Treasurer |
| Sarah | Cleary | |
| Gordon | Macdonald | |
| lan | Murray | |
| Ex Officio | | |
| John | McLellan | Councillor, City of Edinburgh Council |
| In Attendance | | |
| Lee | Kindness | Portobello Community Council |
| Crawford | McGhie | Senior Manager - Estates and Operational Support |
| | | The City of Edinburgh Council |
| Peter | Almand | Senior Project Manager - Capital Programme Team |
| | | The City of Edinburgh Council |

Many members of the public were present.

Welcome

1. Sam Rutherford <u>welcomed</u> everyone to the meeting. The meeting was called in response to a request under Section 11(g) of the Community Council's Constitution to discuss:

"that the commitment to provide a skatepark in Treverlen Park should be honoured"

Presentation

2. Crawford McGhie and Peter Almond explained the development of the final plan for the Treverlen Park since the main planning approval was given on 27 March 2018.

3. A new plan and explanatory slides were shown.¹

Discussion

4. Members of the public asked questions about the unannounced changes in design and budget. The Council representatives explained that although changes had been in discussion, following discussion with Planning, the skater area and the main recreation features were retained in the final design. This was now under construction. The meeting concluded in broad agreement that concerns expressed earlier had been dealt with satisfactorily.

Conclusion

5. The Chair <u>thanked</u> Messrs McGhie and Almand for their helpful explanation which had given considerable reassurance to the community.

6. The meeting closed at 7.15 pm.

¹ <u>http://northfieldandwillowbrae.org.uk/Meeting%2028%20February%202019/Treverlen%20Park.pdf</u> <u>http://northfieldandwillowbrae.org.uk/Meeting%2028%20February%202019/Trevelen%20Park%20Layout%2028-2-2019.pdf</u>