



GAVINTON, FOGO & POLWARTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

**Meeting of the Gavinton, Fogo & Polwarth Community Council
Zoom Meeting- 7.00pm Monday 13th December 2021
(Members of the public are welcome and may request a link to attend the meeting)**

AGENDA

1. Welcome and introductions (KD)
2. Apologies for absence
3. Declaration of interests
4. Approval of minutes from last meeting 8th November 2021
5. Matters arising from the minutes and not covered elsewhere in the agenda
6. Treasurers report (CW)
7. Community Improvements and Maintenance - Current
 - a. Update on problem of overhanging shrubbery in Gavinton (BW/JG)
 - b. Improvements to Gavinton football pitches, Gavinton (AS/KD/VAD)
 - c. Issue of parking at entrance to The Glebe in Gavinton (AS)
 - d. GP Services in Duns
 - e. Upgrade of Gavinton Play Park
 - f. Services available from the SBC Dog education officer. (AS)
 - g. Online Community Polling. (AS)
 - h. Resilient Community Response to storm Arwen. (KD/AS/All)
8. Community Improvements & Maintenance – issues to be kept under review & discussed only when appropriate updates are available:
 - a. Review of SBC grass cutting and maintenance of vegetation on roadside verges (BW/JG)
 - b. Removal of Japanese Knotweed at riverside in Gavinton (BW)
 - c. Enquiries into the change of speed limit A6105 Duns/Greenlaw road.

- d. Replacement of Defibrillator Cabinet – Gavinton.
- e. Maintenance of hedges at the football fields, Gavinton (KD)

9. Planning (KD)

10. Correspondence

- a. Mid-Berwickshire police report November 2021 forwarded to CC prior to the meeting.
- b. Request from Emma Harper MSP for help in identifying abandoned and derelict buildings in the Scottish Borders – forwarded to all CC.
- c. Offer of help in promoting responsible dog ownership from Rose Hogg, SBC Dog Education Officer.
- d. Information on Scottish Governments Investing in Communities Fund with link to information webinar on 30th November & 8th December 2021 – forwarded to all CC.

11. Councillor Update

12. Any other business

13. Dates of meetings.

- a. Date of next meeting Monday 24th January – 7pm Gavinton Village Hall/ Zoom TBC.
- b. Future meetings will be held at Gavinton Village Hall/Zoom at 7pm on Monday 7th March, 18th April and 6th June (AGM) 2022.