

TILlicouLTRY, COALSNAUGHTON & DEVONside COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

MEETING ON TUESDAY 12TH MAY 2026 AT THE BEN CLEUCH CENTRE, TILlicouLTRY.

Community Councillors present: Robert McClelland (RMcC), Ewart McAuslane (EMcA), Alex Robertson (AR), Helen Saunders (HS), Ian Millar (IM), Andrew Black (AB), Robert McAulay (RMcA).

Others in attendance: Councillor Fiona Law (FL), Elizabeth Calder

Apologies: Gillian McAuslane, Melanie White

Minutes of Meeting held on 14th April 2026 – The Minutes had been circulated and were approved. Proposed IM and seconded by AR.

Matters arising not on agenda:

FL had had no response to the Moss Road crossing issues. AR raised the issue of bushes obstructing the view of drivers in that area. This will be checked out.

The legal issues delaying the RACC houses repairs remain to be resolved.

Police Report: No Police presence so RMcA read through the Police Report. There seemed to be an increase in criminality which will be monitored.

AB referred to representatives from the power company OVO going round doors.

Townscape Initiative – Standing Item

The Sub Group had met and discussed the Tree Survey, the Square Clock repairs, the RACC houses and the changes proposed at the Eagle Inn. The Square Clock had stopped working and the Council is arranging its repair. An approach has been received from the Council's Transportation Team suggesting the replacement of some of the bus shelters. It was agreed that EMcA would respond telling the Service that the CC's preference would be that all 4 shelters in the High Street be replaced this year. The Sub Group are to meet again on Tuesday the 19th in the Royal Arms.

Updates from elected members:

FL confirmed there was no word on the Devonside planning breach. She suggested that the CC approach the vendor of 50 Moss Road re the situation after it's sale. The construction of the Well Being Hub at Alloa is well underway.

Local Place Plan – EMcA is to meet Enid Trevitt this week to look at how a LPP could be produced. He will also source extra copies of the Community Plan for the Townscape Initiative community consultation.

Treasurer's Report/ MicroGrants

EMcA presented a microgrant application from the Flower Group at the Parish Church towards the purchase of new equipment. This was approved.

There have been delays in the EDF Grant money from Foundation Scotland being received and he has written to them to clarify the situation.

A funding request has been received from the Development Trust who are running a Big Lunch community event in June at the Ben Cleuch Centre. The CC approved a contribution up to £1,025 from the 25/26 EDF Events Grant and will take a stall at the event to start the public consultation on the Townscape Initiative.

Date and time of next meeting: The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, 9th June 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ben Cleuch Centre. RMcC intimated his apology.