

Southwest Scotland – Transport Mitigation Forum
4 August 2015 – Dumfries Arms Hotel, Cumnock

In attendance – David Elliot (Cumnock Community Council)

Christine Morris (EAC – Planning)

Graham Fielden (IEC)

Brendan Tinney (SPEN)

Karen MacGregor (SPEN)

Denis O’Kane (SPEN)

Apologies - Craig Iles (EAC Planning)

Beth Griffin (Ochiltree Community Council)

Colin Wylie (SPEN)

DoK thanked all parties for attending. Graham Fielden introduced as new member taking over from previous IEC Project Manager Keith Gordon.

DoK confirmed that everyone had received minutes from the previous meeting CM raised point on page 3 re stone movements DoK will check and amend if inaccurate. As this was the only point raised minutes were confirmed as accurate

Action Points

DoK confirmed the action points detailed in the previous minutes had been progressed –

- 1 & 2 DoK- Question regarding plans for overhead line stone removal and volumes to be removed, points picked up in presentation. Some landowners have approached East Ayrshire Council with a view to retaining access roads. Removal of stone therefore dependent upon outcome of this process.
- 3 KM explained that funding for the Dalmellington Triathlon had been possible as it was raising funds for Cancer Research this charity is a ScottishPower charity partner.
- 4 DoK noted agreement was in place with East Ayrshire Council for initial delivery of stone to site as this was within the figures approved at that time.

Matters Arising

There were no matters discussed.

Project Update

DoK delivered a presentation providing an update in respect of project activity.

Any Other Business

GF confirmed that transformers would be delivered to New Cumnock substation by road over 3 weekends commencing 9th August,

DoK thanked everyone for their attendance and interest and confirmed the date of the next meeting as being 3rd November 2015 at the same venue.