



SOUTH WEST SCOTLAND CONNECTIONS PROJECT

COMMUNITY LIAISON GROUP

6.00 PM – 31st August 2017

PROJECT SITE OFFICE – NEW CUMNOCK

1. ATTENDANCE

Robert Laurie (NCCC), Councillor Jim McMahon, Robert Russell (AMECFW), Councillor Walter Young, Christine Morris (EAC), Greg Sagan (IEC), Brendan Tinney (SPEN), Karen MacGregor, (SPEN).

2. APOLOGIES

Colin Wylie (SPEN), Jerry Mulders (NCCC)

3. WELCOME / INTRODUCTIONS

Karen MacGregor (KM) opened the meeting thanking everyone for their attendance

4. PROJECT UPDATE / DISCUSSION

It was agreed by all to provide a verbal update regarding the Project on this occasion as the on-going activities have not changed since the last meeting. Greg Sagan (IEC) provided a construction update.

	Route C	Route D
Preliminary	100%	93%
Civil Works	38%	79%
Tower Works	1%	47%
Wiring	0%	10%

Robert Laurie (RL) commented that in his opinion moving peat in these circumstances was ludicrous when you take into account all that is involved. Christine Morris (EAC) confirmed that Peat removal is a SEPA stipulation which has to be adhered to. RL to contact SEPA for an explanation.

Councillor Jim McMahon (JM) asked if completion dates were still on target, KM advised that they were if there is any movement on the dates the Group would be informed.

5. AOB

There was no other business raised.

6. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

KM thanked everyone for their participation and explained that the date of the next meeting would be circulated in due course.