MINUTES/ACTIONS OF SPOKES PLANNING GROUP

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Next Meeting

Monday 24th January 2011 at 8pm at Peter Hawkins 118/1 Stenhouse Crescent (443 6712)

Minutes of 7.12.10

Present - Sandy Scotland Richard Grant Peter Hawkins John Love Alec Mann Shane Voss Apologies - Euan Renton David Roy

- 1) QBC Discussed Richard Grant's draft response; generally agreed with some alterations. Richard to send final response by 10th without further circularisation.
- 2) 20 mph zone consultation principle generally endorsed; SV has good pop density figures; ask for QBC Kilgraston/MarchmontRd and Grange/Srtratearn Rd corridors to be 20 (accidents clustered on major roads) Sandy Scotland to write response by 10th
- 3) Trinity Park House PAN asked for connection to adjacent cyclepath, if necessary at slightly substandard spec. Watch for actual planning application
- 4) Robertson Av flats; member wrote about lack of cycle parking and developer not providing cycleroute through developement. Developement not completed so difficult to enforce but Sandy to write to planning and to object to any changes in conditions
- 5) Access Forum 9th Dec Sandy will probably attend
- 6) BW status will not change in Scotland; become a charity in England. Money more important than legal status. Richard involved in CEC consultation on Union Canal; towpath has problems of success; suggest modern needs may overrule historic preservation.
- 6) Princes St Dave attended encouraging presentation by Gehl Architects; emphasised cycling; will keep in contact
- 7) Scottish Budget difficult to separate but cycling looks like standstill; campaign to keep CWSS money ring-fenced off ground quickly and Cosla appear to be backtracking, but campaign continuing
- 8) Southern Arc Richard Grant at meeting and will continue to represent.